



**THREE
LANE ENDS
ACADEMY**

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13 September 2018

Dear Parent/Carer,

First and foremost, we would like to thank you for your commitment in implementing our new uniform for Three Lane Ends Academy. We acknowledge and appreciate the investment of time and funds you have given to ensuring all our pupils look smart at the beginning of this new academic year.

It has come to our attention that there has been some confusion with regards to the PE arrangements. As of this year, we have made the decision that all pupils will attend school in their PE kit on the day when this is timetabled for.

Please see below for days when Year groups will need to attend in their PE kit. In previous years, much of the time allocated for PE has been taken up with pupils changing from uniform into PE kit and back into uniform after the session. This has significantly impacted on the length of time pupils were engaged in any physical activity, as well as other lessons. By allowing pupils to come into school in PE kits on these days, we believe it will maximise the amount of time spent participating in physical activity and ensure that all pupils have access to their entitlement of up to 2 hours per week.

We have considered some parents' concerns that pupils will not look as smart on these days, however by wearing the new PE kit in school colours, pupils will look as smart as they do in their new uniform. On the days when your child is taking part in PE during the morning, so that they are not sat all day in their PE kit after taking physical activity, they will need to bring their uniform to change into.

We hope that this will address any concerns or questions you have had over the last few days. Once again, thank you for your support and commitment.

Yours sincerely

Miss Greatorex
Headteacher

[Year 3 – Wednesday \(am\) and Thursday \(pm\)](#)

[Year 4 – Tuesday \(am\) and Wednesday \(pm\)](#)

[Year 5 – Tuesday \(pm\) and Thursday \(am\)](#)

[Year 6 – Monday \(pm\) and Friday \(am\)](#)



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