



Walderslade Girls' School

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Dear Parent/Carer,

Last week I wrote to you detailing reminders regarding mobile phones and school rules and expectations.

I now write to you following a series of assemblies delivered to your daughter/ward outlining the new behaviour policy, the behaviour system and school rules. Afterschool detentions will begin from Tuesday this week, and would appreciate your support in encouraging your daughter/ward to attend these, detentions will be 30 minutes, fail to attend a detention without prior arrangement will lead to an escalated detention being set of 1 hour.

In the most part, these detentions will apply to a select few. In the two weeks that I have had the privilege of working in the school, the girls behaviour has been exemplary and it has been an enjoyable experience. Please continue to discuss with your daughter about making the right choices for their education and that is my first priority to your daughter/ward.

From Tuesday 29th November I would encourage your daughter to wear her school jumper under her blazer and bring a coat as the weather is set to get colder. All students will be expected to use the canteen if they wish to stay indoors at break or lunchtime, however with the increase of respiratory infections upon us as it is that time of year, I would encourage your daughter to get fresh air at social times, they may access the playground and the 'Daylo' area to get this fresh air. Both areas are fully supervised.

Over the coming few weeks anti-bullying will become a greater focus, identifying hot spots and the nature of the types of bullying taking place. Any student identified to be the cause of bullying will be sanctioned by the school. Please discuss with your daughter about kindness and how words and actions cause distress to others.

I truly hope your daughter is able to feed back to you that these last two weeks have been enjoyable and they feel they are in an environment where they can learn, after all this is the reason we send our children to school.

Please find attached the behaviour policy and the school rules.

Please do get in contact with the school directly should you wish to discuss anything that I have sent out in my letters in the last two weeks, if the school is aware of any feedback we can act on it. Please do note that staff are not on the parent facebook page and can therefore not help with any concerns raised on that platform.

Many thanks

Mrs L Campbell

