

Queen Elizabeth High School  
Ysgol Uwchradd Y Frenhines Elisabeth



Monday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

Please find attached a Transition Information Pack. We hope that the details provided will allow you to feel more confident regarding your child's entrance into year 7. If you have any further queries, then please do not hesitate to contact myself or Miss Jade Vowles/Miss Delyth Davies. Otherwise we look forward to welcoming your child in September.

Kind Regards,

Mrs J. Ostendorf  
(Head of year 7)

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Gweler yn amgäedig Pecyn Gwybodaeth Trosglwyddo. Rydym yn gobeithio y manylion darpanedig yn gymorth I chi deimlo'n fwy hyderus ynglyn â mynediad eich plentyn I fewn I Flwyddyn 7. Os oes gennych un rhyw ymholiadau pellach, yna cysylltwch â fi neu Miss Jade Vowles/Miss Delyth Davies. Heblaw am hynny, edrych ymlaen I groesawu eich plentyn ym mis Medi.

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Mrs J. Ostendorf  
(Pennaeth Blwyddyn 7)



## **TOTAL CASHLESS INCOME COLLECTION**

Collect payments for meals, clubs, trips, uniform and more  
Parents can securely pay for school items online at a time convenient for them.

### **Manage school dinners**

Full cashless till integration for secondary schools  
Stand-alone flexible cashless solution for schools  
MIS/attendance options  
Pre-Order Menu selections  
Parents can see full meal information online

### **Collecting other income**

Manage your school trips and clubs in easy to use flexible areas  
Revolutionise payments to collect donations / fundraising, extra-curricular / music lessons, lettings, school equipment, uniform & PE, Clubs / wraparound care, holiday clubs with an online shop

### **Integrated parental communication**

Send payment alerts or school messages by text or email to parents. ParentPay includes a communication system so the school office can easily send out important information and updates to parents.



### **What is Xpressions, what are Xpressions?**

Xpressions is a service, providing parents with an app to receive messages from the school.

The app is available on iOS and Android, with plans to bring it to a web browser soon.

### **How does the app work?**

The app receives messages, called Xpressions, sent from the school. They are similar to WhatsApp or iMessage, being transmitted over the internet rather than SMS text messages. Thousands of schools are using Xpressions, swapping out SMS and saving money in the process of communicating with their parents.

### **How do I get set up?**

When schools sign up to use Xpressions, they automatically create an account for each parent to log in. Rather than using a username and password system, Xpressions uses information that parents will always remember- their email address and mobile phone number.

While logged in, parents will receive a notification on their phone when a new Xpression has been sent to them from the school.

### **What can I do once I'm logged in?**

Within Xpressions, parents can access all messages that have been sent to them by the school. Depending on the product purchased by the school, parents may also have access to performance and progress information about their child, such as attendance, assessment, behaviour records and their timetable. Check with your school to learn more about the features you will have available.

# School Uniform Policy

The wearing of school uniform is a necessary part of good school ethos and discipline and is compulsory.

All pupils will wear the full uniform at all times with a few exceptions. There are some occasions when the Headteacher will authorise a non-uniform day, either as a reward or as a means of raising funds for worthy causes. Pupils visiting places outside school during the school day will wear the correct uniform unless permission has been given to the contrary by the Headteacher.

Pupils attending activities after school must wear the uniform during the day and change where necessary, before the activity begins.

## The Regulations

### 1. Years 7 – 11

Uniform Plain Black V neck jumper with school badge; Light blue shirt; Blue and red striped school tie; Plain black trousers or skirt (no jeans or tight fitting trousers); Plain black socks; Plain black shoes (low heels).

### 2. Physical Education Kit

#### Boys

Rugby Shirt Black with red band; Black Shorts; Black socks with red tops; Black P.E. vest with red horizontal band across chest; Trainers; Rugby/football boots; Swimming trunks (any colour).

#### Girls

Red polo shirts (with school badge); Red sweatshirts (with school logo) for cold weather; Black shorts; Black games skirt (optional); White ankle socks (netball); Black socks with red tops (hockey); Trainers; Predominantly Black 3/4 length track trousers and regulation hockey top for winter outdoor activities.

**All items of uniform should be purchased from approved suppliers.**

If there are issues in obtaining the correct school uniform, it may be possible to obtain items from our school recycling shop.

### 3. Hair

All hair styles must be reasonable and acceptable to the headteacher. Extreme hair styles are not allowed.

### 4. Prohibited items

No jewellery apart from one stud per ear may be worn [certain individual cases may be excepted by application to, and with the approval of, the headteacher]. **Studs must be removed for P.E. lessons for safety reasons. The wearing of watches is to be encouraged.**

Members of staff are asked to use their discretion in ensuring that make-up is not used excessively nor is brought to school. This is important as there are some pupils who may suffer allergic reactions to certain cosmetics. It is also important to maintain a high standard of pupil appearance.

## **5. Monitoring of standards**

It is the form teacher's responsibility to regularly check uniform and to report any problems to the Head of Learning. All members of staff are expected to enforce our expectations.

Form teachers should remind pupils of the need to identify and mark their clothes in order to facilitate the recovery of lost property.

Failure to wear the correct uniform may be treated as a disciplinary offence.

The Governing Body will review this policy to reflect changes in practice.

# School Uniform Guidelines



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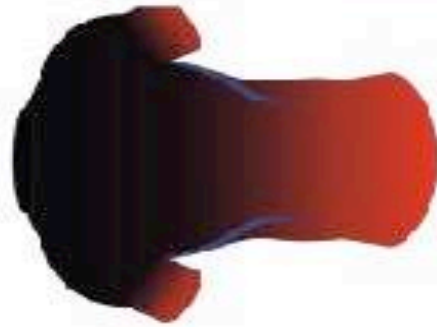


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Sublimated Rugby kit  
Compulsory for Boys  
Juniors £31.99  
Seniors £32.99



Juniors £10.50  
Seniors £13.00  
Plain Black  
Rugby shorts  
with school logo



'Unisex 1/4 zipl  
Juniors£19.75  
Seniors £24.50

Sports T shirts  
regualr and fitted  
Compulsory for girls - optional  
for boys



Unisex Socks  
compulsory  
£6.99 & £8.99

leggings



Juniors £19.50  
Adults £21.50

# Y DIWRNOD YSGOL

# 7-8

# 9-13

The School Day



9:00—9:10	<b>COFRESTRU</b>
9:10—10:10	<b>1</b>
10:10—11:10	<b>2 (A)</b>
11:10—11:25	<b>EGWYL</b>
11:25—12:25	<b>3</b>
12:25—1:25	<b>4 (A)</b>
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2:15—2:25	<b>COFRESTRU</b>
2:25—3:25	<b>5</b>

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