
Equipment and Valuables

Equipment

Students should bring their school bag with them each day in order to carry their books, writing equipment and sports kit. Every student is expected to bring the following basic items of equipment to every lesson:

- Clear pencil case
- Pens - black and green for written work.
- Pencils
- White board pens
- Glue stick
- Eraser
- Ruler
- Pencil sharpener
- Scientific calculator
- Mathematics set (compass and protractor)

Please check regularly that your child has the correct equipment for lessons. We place great emphasis on encouraging our students to be independent learners. Good organisation is an essential part of always being ready for learning. Textbooks and specialist equipment will be issued on loan and students will be required to pay for any loss or damage to academy property.



Valuables

Please do not allow your child to bring expensive items or large sums of money into the academy. Smart phones are not permitted in the academy and 'brick' mobile phones are not to be seen. If seen or allowed to disrupt learning, they will be confiscated and will be returned only to parents. Therefore, please do not call the school asking for the phone to be returned to the child, as they will only be returned to parents when they come in at their convenience. Smart phones cause a number of social and peer issues which impact on learning and well-being and therefore we do not allow them in school. The academy does not accept any responsibility for the loss or replacement of any items which ought not to be seen in the academy.

Lost Property

Pupils are expected to take responsibility for their property, taking care to keep belongings with them at all times. All items of clothing and equipment should be clearly marked with their name. Expensive items should not be brought into the academy. If pupils lose any items during the day they should report it to their form tutor. Pupils who find property should hand it in to their Head of Year immediately.