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Dear Parent/Carer

As you are aware Graham School is currently in the process of converting to an Academy and joining The Hope Learning Trust.

The school uniform, in line with re-branding, has therefore undergone changes which and these are effective from 4 September 2018. Hope Learning Trust have liaised with Rumours, 17 Victoria Road, Scarborough regarding the uniform changes and various options are available. I have enclosed a booklet which provides full details of the new uniform and additional information together with a price list.

Although there is a new PE kit alongside the new uniform there is no obligation for current students to have this in place from September. Students may continue to wear the old kit with the expectation that this will be changed to the new version as and when the student grows out of it.

It is recognised that changing uniforms is expensive for parents and Hope Learning Trust are therefore providing certain uniform items free of charge to all our current students which are those who will be Year 8 through to Year 11 at September 2018. I have attached a voucher to this letter which is unique to your child and **can only be redeemed at Rumours for the items listed on the voucher**. Please ensure that you keep the voucher safe as Rumours will not provide the items free of charge unless the voucher is provided to them at the time of purchase.

George Pindar School have arranged for old uniform to be collected by National Police Aid Conveys who fill containers with old uniforms and sent to aid areas around the world. Graham School are pleased to join in with this very worthwhile scheme and will therefore be having a non-uniform day on the last day of term, Friday 20th July. We ask that students bring their old laundered uniform in together with a donation of 50p which will support the cost of the container for the charity.

I hope that you agree that the new uniform is very smart and although there are changes to the style of it the school colours have been maintained to keep the individuality of Graham School within the Trust.

Yours sincerely,

Tracey Shaw
Business Manager