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THE  
CORIELL  
AWARD

16th December 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

### **Important Update to Uniform Policy**

As part of our ongoing commitment to maintaining a smart and consistent uniform at Outwood Academy Newbold, we would like to update you on an important change to our skirt requirements.

From **September 2025**, the non-box pleat skirt will no longer be included in our uniform bundle. Moving forward, all skirts worn as part of the uniform must meet the following requirements:

- A minimum **2.5-inch box pleat**
- A minimum length of **18 inches**

To support families and ensure students are able to comply with this change by **September 2025**, we will be issuing regular reminders about this policy in our half-termly communications. This will provide ample time to prepare for the transition and ensure that everyone is ready for the new requirement.

This change has been made to ensure a consistent and cost-effective approach to uniform while maintaining high standards. We believe that this adjustment will provide clarity and simplicity when selecting uniform items and will help reinforce a sense of pride and unity within our school.

We appreciate your cooperation and understanding as we implement this change. If you have any questions or require further guidance, please do not hesitate to contact the academy via [enquiries@newbold.outwood.com](mailto:enquiries@newbold.outwood.com)

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully,

Rob Southern

Principal