

Outwood Academy Ormesby

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Dear Parents / Carers

Following on from the letter sent out prior to the half term break with regards to uniform I would like to take this opportunity to clarify our position on hair colour and what is appropriate and not appropriate for school.

As we are all aware trends come and go however our expectations have not changed. It is acceptable only for students to display hair colour that you would naturally find on hair and therefore any colours beyond what would be natural are not acceptable for school.

We are well aware that students over the holiday periods choose to colour their hair or have coloured hair extensions / braids placed in to their own hair. Please note that on return to school hair accessories / colours must be removed to fall in line with our expectation that only colours from a natural colour palette are acceptable in school.

Please support us by ensuring if your child currently falls outside expectations this is remedied by February 1st. If students do currently have colours in their hair, beyond what is deemed natural, hair must be worn in such a way that this is hidden as best as possible up until it is possible to revert to a natural colour at the latest by the 1st February. Students who still do not meet expectation given this very reasonable time frame will face consequences in line with all other uniform issues.

Thank you for your continuing support and a happy new year to all.

Yours sincerely

Miss A Howe

Associate Principal