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Inappropriate items in school

Dear Parents/Carers,

Unfortunately, we are increasingly finding that children are bringing inappropriate, and at times potentially dangerous, items in to school. We do need your ongoing support to ensure that pupils bags, lunch boxes and pockets do only include those items necessary for the school day. If a pupil is found to be in possession of an item that is not appropriate to be in school, it will be confiscated and kept safe for the remainder of the school day, whereby it will be handed over to you as the adult. If your child has permission to walk home, you will be requested to attend the school site to collect the inappropriate item.

Inappropriate items include:

- Chewing gum
- Toys
- Fizzy, carbonated drinks and/or energy drinks
- Smart watches connected to phones and/or with inbuilt cameras
- Vapes or e-cigarettes
- Lighters
- Potential weapons e.g. pen knife, knife, tools etc.
- Electronic devices
- Medicines

Please be reminded that pupils are not permitted to bring in their own stationary from home. School provides all of the equipment that pupils need to be successful within a lesson.

Yours sincerely,

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Miss Dale Deputy Headteacher & DSL

