



17th July 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

As we come to the end of the academic year, I would like to take this opportunity to remind you of the uniform and equipment requirements for all students from September. I kindly ask that you use the summer break to ensure that your child is fully prepared for the start of the new academic year.

Students must wear:

- Black shoes or plain black trainers
- Black tailored school trousers
- White school shirt
- Immanuel College tie
- Jumper in the appropriate year-group colour
- Blazer with the Immanuel College logo

NEW* Students must also bring the following each day:

- Phone pouch
- Lanyard with ID card and timetable

Students must not wear:

- Crocs
- Trainers with white soles, logos or patterns
- Leggings

In addition, I would like to remind parents and carers of our jewellery policy. Students may wear:

- Small plain ear studs only (no hoops or drop earrings)
- One flat plain nose stud

No other jewellery is permitted.

***New arrangements for 2026–27**

Phone Pouches

We have seen a very successful implementation of phone pouches during the final weeks of this academic year, and I would like to thank you for your support.

Following student feedback, from September each student will be issued with their own phone pouch, labelled with their admission number. These will be distributed by tutors on students' return to school.



The first pouch will be provided free of charge. However, if a pouch is lost or damaged, parents/carers will be required to purchase a replacement. This purchase will be completed via an online portal that will be accessible from our website.

Phone pouches will become a compulsory part of our uniform and equipment expectations, set out in our behaviour policy for September.

If a student arrives at school without their pouch, they will be required to hand their phone in for secure storage during the school day and collect it at the end of the day.

Lanyards, ID Cards and Timetables

From September, student planners will no longer be issued. Instead, all students will receive:

- A lanyard
- An ID card
- A timetable card

All three items are compulsory and must be worn at all times whilst in school.

These will be issued when students return in September. A digital **Student Information Booklet** will be shared with parents/carers and students at the start of term. This will contain the majority of the information currently found in the student planner, with the exception of the diary section.

Students who currently use the communication cards contained within the planner will be provided with these separately as required.

Start of Term Arrangements

Please note the following return dates for September:

- **New Year 7 students:** Wednesday 2nd September 2026.
- **All students in Year 8 - Year 11:** Thursday 3rd September 2026.
- **Year 12 students:** Monday 14th September 2026.
- **Year 13 students:** Wednesday 9th September 2026.

Thank you for your continued support throughout the year. I hope you and your family have a restful and enjoyable summer break.

Kind regards,

Mr Patterson
Deputy Headteacher