



17<sup>th</sup> May 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

**Use of Aerosols in School**

I am writing to inform you that with immediate effect antiperspirant deodorant sprays will be banned from school.

There have been increasing incidents concerning deodorant aerosols and sprays leading to fire alarms being set off. In some cases, students haven't deliberately sprayed knowing the alarm will be activated because of their actions. There is a real health and safety risk to students, especially those who are asthmatic.

Students will still be allowed to use roll-on and stick deodorants but any sprays, including perfume, and hairsprays will be confiscated.

Students have been informed that the consequences for possessing sprays and inappropriate use will be severe, in some cases this could result in exclusion.

I appreciate your support in keeping our students safe on the school site and would ask that you discuss this with your child, and ensure that they understand the consequences if they fail to follow school rules.

Yours faithfully

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