

18<sup>th</sup> October 2018

**RE: Football Boots for PE/Games and After School Activities**

Dear Parent,

As you may recall, I sent an email last month highlighting the need for your child to wear football boots when participating in football or rugby. This is for their weekly games and after school activities. Unfortunately, there are still many children not bringing suitable boots to school for these sessions. This is compulsory from a safety perspective, particularly as the weather is changing with winter approaching and the field is now muddy.

We informed you of your child's games activities in advance so that you were able to purchase football boots at the right point in the year when they will be used. If you are unsure when your child will require football boots, please contact [admin@bcps.org.uk](mailto:admin@bcps.org.uk) or [admin@wcps.education](mailto:admin@wcps.education) Please note that if boots are not brought in for a PE/games session, the child will have to remain in class and continue with class based work.

If boots are not brought in for an after school activity, you will be called and asked to collect your child at the end of the school day. If collection is not possible, your child will be taken to the after school club and you will be invoiced for the cost of the childcare provision.

We know that purchasing boots can be a significant cost and so we asked if parents were willing to donate old football boots for other parents to utilise rather than have the full cost of purchasing. We are still happy to accept donated football boots in a bag labelled with your child's name so that, if they are not required by another parent, they can be returned to you.

Yours sincerely,



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