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Dear Parent/Carer,

### **Enrichment PE Kit - USF**

At Avonbourne we believe in supporting students to become the very best version of themselves which is why I am thrilled to be able to write to you to introduce a unique and exciting experience for our year 7 and USF students. From 18<sup>th</sup> September, every Wednesday week A during period 4 (14:05 – 15:25), rather than having curriculum-based lessons, students will take part in enrichment session. These wider opportunities will challenge our students to experience new things, explore their interests and develop their talents, equipping our young people with the character attributes that will enable them to succeed in later life. Students will develop new skills and have the opportunity to complete awards that will help them stand out from the crowd when applying for University, an apprenticeship or a job.

The first four sessions have been carefully planned to support students in getting to know each other through a selection of team building activities. These sessions will be followed in November with an Enrichment Fair where students will be able to sign up to their choice of activity which they will then attend each fortnight.

These sessions will take place in school and to support students in getting the most out of these hands-on sessions, we are inviting students to attend school on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> September, Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October, Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October and Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> November in their PE kits.

It is important to note that these are not the same as dress down days and PE kit for USF students comprises of the following:

- Tracksuit/jogging bottoms or shorts (not hot pants)
- T-Shirts appropriate for a school environment (no offensive logos or images)
- Jumper/Hoody appropriate for a school environment (no offensive logos or images)
- Trainers

Students who have it, are also welcome to wear their Academy PE kit.

Short/cropped, vest tops, strappy tops and bare shoulders are not acceptable. Footwear other than trainers is also not acceptable. Further details about the enrichment fair will be available later in the term.

If you have any questions please contact me on the following email address:  
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Yours sincerely

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