



10th September 2020

Dear Parent/Carer

We are delighted to announce that the installation of the new 3G sports facility has been completed and our students are now using the pitch for some of their PE lessons.

As outlined in [my letter](#) from 21st July, we would like to remind you of the new guidance regarding footwear.

We have been advised by the manufacturer (SIS) that following footwear is appropriate:

- Football Boots (screw-in studs)
- Football Boots (moulded studs) – *we highly recommend.*



The following footwear is deemed **not appropriate** as it may damage the surface or provide a lack of grip.

- Trainers ('Astro' trainer)
- Trainers (flat sole)
- Football Boots (blades)



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We want to utilise the facility, with all students, throughout the year and will plan to use it for a range of sports not only football. Therefore, all students in Year 7–10 will need appropriate footwear as part of their PE kit in order to fully take part in lessons.

We feel it would be unfair to now ask Year 11 girls to purchase football boots as they will get limited use from them.

All boys' groups will need football boots, as normal, this month. Girls will need to have them for PE lessons at the start of the second half term in October. Girls who intend to take part in extra-curricular football are likely to need appropriate boots prior to this time.

If your child does not already have suitable footwear to be able to use the 3G pitch (as explained above), and you require financial assistance to purchase them the correct football boots, please contact your child's Head of Year this month and we will try to support wherever we can. If your child is currently eligible for Pupil Premium or Free School Meals, and you would find it difficult to purchase suitable footwear, we would particularly like you to get in touch with us. The Heads of Year can be contacted via email:

Year 7: Mrs Worrall (cworrall@lymmhigh.org.uk)

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