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Dear Parent/Guardian

In the following senior subjects; **Agricultural Practices and Engineering Skills**, we will be meeting industry standards and best practice for students working in the Trade Training Centre. They will be required to wear the following items:

- Work boots (preferred steel cap)
- Long trousers
- Long sleeve shirt (or overalls)
- Safety glasses
- Hearing protection
- Welding helmets

Although hearing protection (ear muffs) and welding helmets can continue to be provided by GSHS, for the long term comfort of your child, please consider purchasing personal ear plugs.

The expected process is that the student will change into their workshop clothes before the end of the preceding break and change out of them after the lesson.

Lockers have been purchased for the intended storage and security of your child's possessions. Engineering and Agricultural Practices students may wish to use the lockers to hold their other school items throughout the day. A sturdy padlock with two keys is to be provided by the student. One of the keys will be held within the TTC Staffroom. Students should be aware that the lockers remain the property of the Department of Education and can be inspected at any time.

Obviously as with any elective subject, it is a privilege to participate in such courses and a student's adherence to **safe work practices** is an essential expectation for all students. Students who choose not to wear the correct attire on any day will be removed from the workshop. Continued failure to meet these expectations can lead to students being removed from the course under the school's Responsible Behaviour Plan – Code of behaviour.

For your purchasing convenience, Gundy Clothing and Arthur Schofield & Co are offering competitive package deals.

Should you require any further information, please contact the school.

Yours sincerely

Mr Brett Hallett
Principal