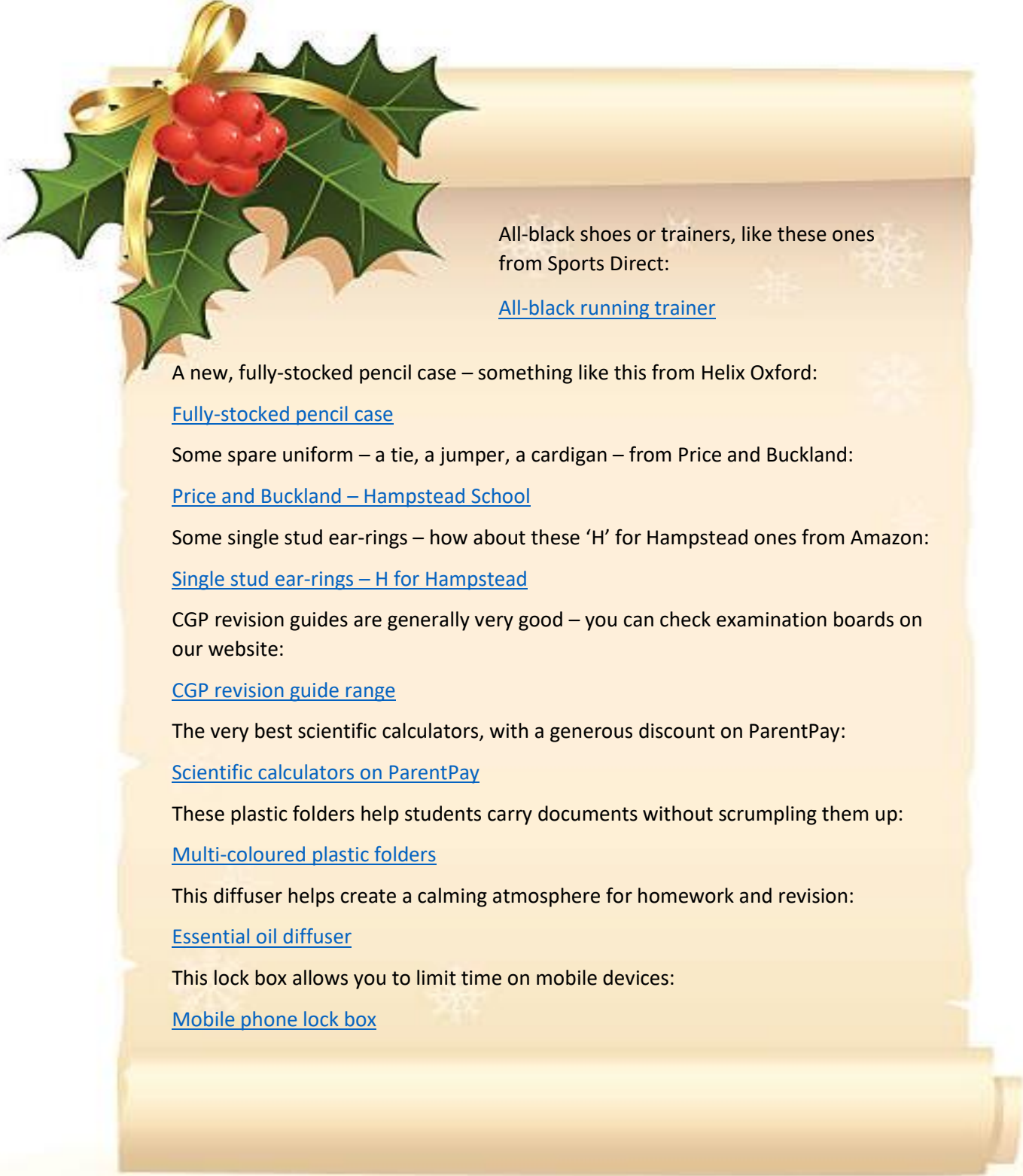




This festive gift-giving season, and the January sales, often provide an opportunity to refresh your child's uniform and school equipment.

We thought we would re-share the school's uniform guidelines (see accompanying PDF) to help guide any purchases.

And here is a 'Santa's list' of gift ideas based on our uniform and equipment expectations:



All-black shoes or trainers, like these ones from Sports Direct:

[All-black running trainer](#)

A new, fully-stocked pencil case – something like this from Helix Oxford:

[Fully-stocked pencil case](#)

Some spare uniform – a tie, a jumper, a cardigan – from Price and Buckland:

[Price and Buckland – Hampstead School](#)

Some single stud ear-rings – how about these 'H' for Hampstead ones from Amazon:

[Single stud ear-rings – H for Hampstead](#)

CGP revision guides are generally very good – you can check examination boards on our website:

[CGP revision guide range](#)

The very best scientific calculators, with a generous discount on ParentPay:

[Scientific calculators on ParentPay](#)

These plastic folders help students carry documents without scrumpling them up:

[Multi-coloured plastic folders](#)

This diffuser helps create a calming atmosphere for homework and revision:

[Essential oil diffuser](#)

This lock box allows you to limit time on mobile devices:

[Mobile phone lock box](#)



At the same time, it is important to highlight some gifts we would not recommend this festive season.

These items would not put your child on the naughty list, but could lead to:

- (i) Confiscation
- (ii) Removal from lessons until resolved
- (iii) The need to borrow from school stocks
- (iv) Permission being sought to send home



Do not get: Non-all black trainers or shoes

Make sure that any school shoes you buy are completely black, including the laces, sole and any logos



Do not get: Hoop ear-rings or necklaces

Make sure that the only jewellery your child wears is a single stud in each ear.



Do not get: Hoodies or tracksuit tops

Make sure your child has a warm and waterproof outdoor coat, and a school jumper, cardigan or blazer.



Do not get: False eyelashes or false nails

Make sure your child does not wear excessive make up for school.

We know that finances are stretched generally, and particularly at this time of year. If you need any financial support in purchasing the correct uniform for your child, please contact your child's year team and we will look to provide assistance.