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Dear Parents/Carers

### **School Uniform – New Supplier Price & Buckland from 1<sup>st</sup> October 2023**

Please be advised that the Trust will be changing its uniform supplier across all our schools, including the Little Learners provision in our primaries, from 1<sup>st</sup> October 2023.

This after a review of the current provision, in line with the Statutory guidance on School Uniforms published [here](#) on the gov.uk website.

We have reduced the number of compulsory branded items in order to give parents/carers more choice on where they purchase the non-branded items and to make uniform purchasing more cost effective and save families money, whilst not compromising on the quality, consistency and high standards of the products we do require to be purchased.

The new uniform offer is wholly delivered via an online service, with the supplier having robust and established systems to deliver orders quickly and effectively. Please follow this link to view the new supplier website <https://price-buckland.co.uk/>, search for your child's school and follow the online instructions.

In order to support the process the supplier website provides:

- An on-screen sizing guide for each item available but, if you are not familiar with the garment, please ask at your school as there will be sizing samples available or specific days when uniform can be tried.
- Deliveries to home addresses should be dispatched within 5-10 working days and come with a P&P charge, but this becomes free if the order is over £70. There is also the option of free delivery into schools on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of every month during term time only.
- Should the items not be quite right when received, Price & Buckland also offer a free returns service.
- They also offer Klarna 'pay in three' terms, again to support affordability.

In our secondaries we have reviewed and streamlined the PE kit requirements and removed branded items where possible. See your individual school website for a full list.

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Students can continue to wear uniform already purchased until it needs replacing. Your school website will have links to pre-loved uniform information and a full list of uniform required.

If any families eligible for Pupil Premium funding would like assistance with uniform purchasing, please contact your school directly.

Finally, please be assured that the agreement with Price & Buckland does not generate any revenue/income for the Trust from its sales

Yours faithfully,



Mark Antoine  
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