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Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to a lovely first half term at Sacred Heart. The children have enjoyed a wide range of activities and have worked hard with their teachers to meet the high standards expected at our school.

Thank you for joining us for the workshops, and for making sure your children have the right equipment and uniform for school. Our uniform unites us as a school and shows the pride we have on being part of the Sacred Heart family. Having an affordable uniform reduces the pressure on having to purchase expensive fashion items, and ours is designed to be as low cost as possible, whilst still setting the standard for our school community.

We want all our children to feel part of our school community. The Governors and the staff of the school are committed to making sure that no child has to come to school without the right uniform. We know that times are financially difficult for many families right now, so I wanted to take this opportunity to remind you that vouchers towards the cost of uniform are available from school. The vouchers are for £20 per child, and are available to anyone who needs them. You do not need to be in receipt of Pupil Premium (Free School Meals) to receive a voucher.

If you would like a voucher, (one per child), please contact the school office by emailing schooloffice@sacredheart.wirral.sch.uk with the heading - Uniform Vouchers Confidential with the following details - child/children's full names and class/classes and a uniform voucher/s will be organised for you. The office will call you when ready for collection (usually within 24hrs).

At present, only the Uniform Centre in Birkenhead will accept the Uniform vouchers, but we are working with other suppliers to assist us with this in the future. The school office will keep you informed if any other suppliers agree to support our families in this way.

The school's Uniform Policy is on the school website and can be found by clicking the link below:

PE Kit is also an Important Part of our Uniform

Last year we consulted with parents on the PE kit for school. The governors, staff and pupil representatives also gave their responses and the uniform policy was confirmed as a result. The whole Uniform Policy for September 2022 can be viewed on the website or Via the link here







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Below is a reminder of the summary of responses given by parents and actions we have taken, thanks to the feedback we received:

You Said	We Did
96% liked the style of the proposed PE uniform	Staff, Governors and pupils also liked the style and so it was agreed that the PE uniform should consist of: White t-shirt Plain striped black shorts Black joggers Black hoodie – with or without zip (with logo) Trainers Black pumps
94% liked the proposed colour of the PE uniform	Staff, Governors and pupils also liked the colour and so it was agreed that the colours should be black and white as proposed, and listed above
27% of parents were concerned about the cost of the uniform from the Uniform Suppliers. Several parents commented that supermarket unbranded t-shirts, shorts, jogging bottoms and hoodies were cheaper. For example a parent wrote "(I) like the idea of a standardised PE kitjust cost can be an issue." Another wrote "I can buy plain and add badges locally". Another wrote "Please subsidise for parents who struggle."	Staff and Governors agreed that costs should be kept to a minimum. Therefore it has been agreed that only the hoody has to have the school logo. If parents wish to have logos added to other items of uniform, then that is at their discretion. It was also agreed that families in receipt of Pupil Premium would be eligible for a £20 voucher for each child, to subsidise the cost of uniform. This has now been extended to all pupils, not just those in receipt of Pupil Premium. Trainers do not need to be of any particular colour.

The children are expected to attend school in the school PE kit on the days they have PE and on the days they have After School PE Activity Clubs. They are also asked to wear the PE uniform when representing

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the school at sports events. If they do not have the correct uniform, the teachers will remind them of the standards expected. If available, we will provide them with a clean kit for the day so that they do not feel different from their peers.

Please be assured that we are here to help you. Please contact the school if you need any further assistance.

Yours sincerely,

Margaret Jackson Headteacher







