

St Oswald's Worleston CE Primary

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Our pupils regularly receive positive comments about how smart they look in their school uniform: they continue to wear it with pride. I would like to thank you all for your continued support in this matter. Following numerous complaints about our current uniform supplier, Schools In, brought to our attention by Parent Council, we have been researching a different outlet.

Our governors have taken these complaints very seriously and requested that senior leaders meet with the Director of Schools In with the aim of resolving the issues.

During the meeting it became clear that we could no longer maintain our working partnership due to restrictions in stock; delays in supply and significant impending price rises. We have therefore decided to change suppliers from December. The supplier is based in Sandbach and will shortly be moving to a purpose-built warehouse with a children's play area and coffee machines. The staff are friendly and are very used to working with children of all ages. Further details will follow in the newsletter.

Our new supplier is Badged, who are based in Sandbach. The company can offer -

- \cdot Free delivery to school on a Friday, provided the order is placed before 3pm on a Monday.
- $\cdot\,$ On line facilities with a reserve and collect from school/branch or home delivery.
- · Stock the uniform all year round
- · Bigger premises, room for 40 cars
- . An embroider whilst you wait service
- · Private appointment during the back to school period, Sunday openings, late nights.

 \cdot Moving forward, a badged bus where parents will have the facility to purchase their uniform once a fortnight before school or afterwards.

- · A member of staff showcasing uniform on new parents evening, book fayres, sports day
- · Buy the uniform from the previous supplier to avoid confusion from parents.
- · A dedicated manager to look after our school
- . Stockists of Brownie, Guide, Scout, ballet, rugby and sports wear

We have a meeting with our new supplier on Monday 26th November and will send further details once we have confirmed them.

With kind regards,

Fiona Todd Executive Headteacher







