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Dear Parents and Carers,

Canford Heath Junior School Jumpers and Cardigans

As I have shared with you previously, the Department for Education has published new statutory guidance on the cost of school uniform. As a Trust, we have ensured that we are compliant with the new statutory guidance and we have updated our school uniform policy where appropriate.

We have also received feedback about the cost and quality of the knitted CHJS jumper and cardigan compared to our other three schools in the Trust. We have reviewed this and researched the quality and prices of the items on offer, and as a result, we have made the decision to revert to sweatshirt jumpers and sweat cardigans, like the three other schools. This will make the uniform cheaper, and hopefully more sturdy and long-lasting.

Please do not worry, we do not expect any CHJS parents or carers to rush out and buy new sweatshirts and cardigans. ALL CHJS children are able to wear either style for as long as their current uniform is wearable. Both styles will be available from our suppliers until April but from Easter, you will only be able to purchase the new fabric sweatshirt and sweat cardigans.

We have been busy liaising with our school suppliers PMG and School Trends to change the style over and confirm the pricing.

PMG have the CHJS sweatshirt jumpers and sweat cardigans available for purchase now. The new sweatshirt jumpers will range in price from £12.99 – £14.99 dependent on size and £13.99 – £14.50 for the cardigans.

School Trends' sweatshirt jumpers and sweat cardigans are made to order and are also available to order now online at School Trends. Prices for School Trends are £10.25 for the sweatshirt jumpers and £12.00 for the sweat cardigans.



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Second Hand Uniform

You will also know that we have set up a second-hand uniform shop running from each school office. This has been very well received by parents and carers however, following a recent Parents' Forum meeting, we received valuable feedback that some of the prices for the second-hand uniform were too high, so we have responded to this feedback and amended our prices. The new price list is as follows:

Jumper - £3
Cardigan - £3
Trousers - £2
Shorts - £1
White shirt – 50p
Polo shirt – 50p
PE shorts – 50p
PE t-shirt (coloured and white) - £1
Summer dress - £2
Tie - £1

We really hope this will be a useful change within the school community and help you in some small way in these challenging financial times.

With best wishes,



Mrs Kate Carter
Chief Executive Officer



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