

# Thurcroft Junior Academy

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## Important Information regarding amendments to Uniform

#### **Dear Parents and Carers**

In light of the current cost of living crisis, schools have been asked by the Government to make uniform more affordable, by being available from a wider variety of retailers. In response to this we are making some changes to the design of our blazers, as the current design is bespoke and only available from Pinders.

## These changes will come into effect after the Easter Break from Monday 17th April 2023.

The bespoke 'yellow braided blazers' which pupils currently wear will gradually be phased out and replaced with plain black blazers with an embroidered school logo. Your child can continue to wear their yellow braided blazer until such time that it needs replacing.

Please note, that until the current stock of the yellow braided blazers held in school has depleted, when you order a new blazer you may still get a yellow braided blazer. For the plain black blazers you will be able to purchase an iron on school logo badge. These badges will be available from the School Office at a cost of  $\mathfrak{L}5.00$ . We will, of course, let you know when these will be available to buy.

We know and appreciate that the yellow braided blazers have been a firm favourite with you and thank you for your continued support with regards the school uniform. I think you'll agree that the children always look smart and we receive many compliments from visitors to school about how lovely the children look.

After the Easter Holidays there will be the following price increases to individual uniform items as listed below:

KS2 - Year 3 to Year 6	KS2 Uniform	Foundations@Thurcroft	Foundations
	Pack		Uniform Pack
Boys/Girls Blazer =	Blazer	Nursery Book Bag = £6.00	Reversible Fleece
£26.50	Jumper	Gold PE T Shirt = £4.00	Jumpers x 2
Grey Pullover = £15.00	Tie	Polo Shirt = £7.00	Total Cost £25
PE Top = $£16.00$	PE Top	Reversible Fleece = £22.50	
Tie = $£5.00$	Total Cost £25	Grey Pullover = £15.00	
Satchel = £11.00			





Given the current climate and increasing costs we are pleased to say that Trustees have agreed for us to continue to offer the existing uniform packages at £25, which is heavily subsidised.

Please find attached a copy of the new uniform order form which reflects the new prices.

We do have some second hand uniform in school which is free, as well as second hand uniform being available in the 'Thurcroft Cancer Charity' shop at a reduced price.

If you have any unwanted uniform then please consider donating it to ourselves or the charity shop so it can be re-distributed to those who need it.

If you have any questions regarding the school uniform please do not hesitate to contact me via the school office and once again thank you for your continued support.

Please see information below issued by the Government.

https://educationhub.blog.gov.uk/2023/02/28/how-ensuring-school-uniforms-affordable-families-grants/

Yours Sincerely

Ruth Stone Principal



Pupil Name:\_

the total amount of the items you are ordering.

## THURCROFT JUNIOR ACADEMY – UNIFORM ORDER FORM

Please enter your requirements on the table below and attach a cheque or cash in the envelope provided for

Class:\_\_\_\_\_

ou can also n Shop in Aston.	ow buy	Pullover	s, Rugby	Shirts an	id Ties fro	om Pir	nders	at the	Crysta	al Peaks
Clothing		Price	Size -	See guid	e below		(	Qty	Total I	Price
Boys/Girls Scho Blazer	ool	£26.50								
Reversible Flee	ce	£22.50								
Grey pullover		£15.00								
Rugby shirt		£16.00								
Gold PE T Shirt	t - FS	£ 4.00								
Polo Shirt		£ 7.00								
Ties		£ 5.00								
Iron on badge		£ 5.00								
Satchel Y3 – Y	6 - £11.	00	Bag N	lursery – \	/2 - £6.00	)				
Y3 – Y6 Package	£25	£25 Blazer Jumpe Rugby								
		Tie								
			Rever	sible Flee	ce					
Nursery – Y2 Package		£25	£25 Jumper							
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Size Guide										
Boys Blazer	22"	24"	26"	28"	30"	32"	34"	36"	38"	
Girls Blazer	22"	24"	26"	28"	30"	32"	34"	36"	38"	
Jumper	22"	24"	26"	28"	30"	32"	34"	36"	38"	
Rugby Top	22/24	26/28"	30/32""	34/36"	38/40"			1	1	
Gold Polo	2	3-4	5-6	7-8	9-10					
Gold T Shirt	2	3-4	5-6	7-8	9-10	1				
Fleece		3-4	5-6	7-8	9-10					