

King Edwin Primary School



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UNIFORM EXCHANGE

Dear Parents/Carers,

On Monday the 26th July we will be holding our first '**School Uniform Exchange Days**' to support our families in reducing uniform costs and to promote the idea of a more sustainable future. The economic and ecological cost of buying new uniform every year is high and many parents have responded positively to the suggestion of holding such an activity.

On the last two days of term (**Monday 26th and Tuesday 27th July**) children will be able to wear non school uniform if they so wish to. Parents are encouraged to bring any old uniform **in plastic bags, clearly labelled in order to be exchanged for other uniform of a larger size.**

Children will place the clearly labelled bags outside of their current classroom at the start of the day and collect the appropriate bag at the end of the day (from what is available outside the classes). The older sizes will obviously be outside of the older year groups class.

We must ask parents not to rummage through the bags ...it will be a case of collecting what is required from outside the classroom and leaving accordingly. You could say that it's a case of 'a lucky dip' scenario but I am sure you can all work it out.

Hopefully this will see uniform recycled and reduce the costs somewhat for the next school year. Clearly not all uniform will be recycled but we sincerely hope that families take up this opportunity and that we can make it a regular event every summer.

New uniform can be ordered from our provider too. Many of these garments have embroidered logos on them. <https://myclothing.com/King-Edwin-Primary-and-Nursery-School/7951.school>

We must emphasise that all clothes should be **clean and prewashed**. No underwear should be included in the bags. Each bag needs a *clear label identifying the type of garment (trouser etc.), age group and size of clothes* within it. **No shoes are to be shared either** (although feel free to arrange exchanges on our social media pages if you wish to do so).

Kind regards,
Mr Callaghan-Wetton

