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## Uniform Exchange

Dear Parents/Carers,

Exciting news! We are starting up a uniform exchange at West End Academy!

This is an opportunity to look after the environment, by reusing uniform that has plenty of life left in it, and helping our community at a time of economic crisis.

Our aim is to run an after-school event once a term, where anyone can come and browse the uniform that is available. Families who have children that are; eligible for free school meals, new to the school mid-term or have exceptional circumstances, can request a uniform parcel to be made up at any time. We will do our best to accommodate these requests and support our community's needs.

## We need your help to make this happen!

Uniform won't magically appear all by itself! If you have any uniform that your child/children have grown out of, including PE kit, pumps, outdoor shoes and coats, please donate to our uniform exchange. Please ensure that it is washed and that your children's names are removed. You can hand the uniform to reception or class teachers.

All going well, (with lots of donations) we will look to hold our first after-school event during the first 2 weeks following the Christmas holidays. More information will be sent out nearer to the time.

If you would like more information about the service, please come have a chat with reception, Mrs Ridley (Year I) or Mrs Harper (Year 2).

Thank you in advance for your support!

Kind Regards,

Mrs S Ridley

