

Ben Clark – Headteacher

Friday 14th October 2022

Dear Parents / Carers,

We fully appreciate that the current cost-of living situation will prove challenging for many of us. As such, Copperfield Primary Academy is keen to do everything possible to support our families during this time.

Therefore, to assist in keeping costs down, we will no longer expect children to wear uniform with the Copperfield Academy logo. Instead, we are open for parents and carers to source purple sweatshirts, cardigan, or fleeces from supermarkets and clothing shops. Uniform from supermarkets is considerably cheaper than items purchased with the logo on it. For example: <https://direct.asda.com/george/school-uniform/D10.default,sc.html>

However, we do stress that sweatshirts, cardigans, and fleeces must be purple, plain (no branding or marks) and appropriate for school. Items that are not in-line with these criteria will be deemed as non-uniform and a meeting will be arranged with a member of the Senior Leadership Team.

Our new stance on our school uniform also follows the latest government guidance, which can be found here: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/cost-of-school-uniforms/cost-of-school-uniforms#requirements-for-schools>

A complete list of uniform requirements is listed on our website: <https://copperfieldacademy.org/uniform/>

Finally, we do still have a limited stock of Copperfield branded uniform. Once we have sold all of the stock we will not be replenishing it. Once it is gone, it is gone! Therefore, should you wish to purchase any Copperfield branded uniform before it is all sold out then please order via Arbor.

Subject to demand, we will continue to stock the Copperfield Winter Fleeces. If you have recently ordered one of these, the order is expected soon.

We hope this adjustment to our uniform policy is helpful.

Regards,



Ben Clark
Head Teacher