



7th September 2022

Dear Parent/Carers,

It has been so lovely to see our pupils back in school today. They seem raring to go and I want to take this opportunity to thank you for getting them to us on time while looking really smart. There is a lot to think about at the start of a new academic year for everyone and we appreciate it can take a lot of organisation when juggling work and family life, so we thank you for your efforts. Hopefully, we'll all soon be into a steady routine.

Our uniform represents our school community and teaching pupils the value of wearing a uniform helps to prepare them for their future, where a uniform of some sort will inevitably form part of their working life. Where author group staff have identified any concerns with incorrect uniform (and we're pleased to report that this is only a very small minority of pupils), we will be in touch with those families to put in place any support needed so that the uniform policy, which parents agree to by sending their child to Churnet View, is followed. I have copied the link to the uniform and equipment policy for your future reference:

<https://cvm.ttl.org.uk/wpcontent/uploads/sites/11/2022/06/Uniform-and-Equipment-policy-2022.pdf>

Where can you get items of uniform from?

Most of the basic items in our uniform can be purchased from the supermarket. Our other uniform items are available from:

Super Sports

You can order online at <https://www.supersport.co.uk/> and collect from the store on a Tuesday and Thursday, the shop is now open on a Monday and Wednesday 9.00am – 5.00 pm and Friday 9.00am – 4.00pm. Any problems please contact them on: 01538 386226,

School's In

You can also order online from School's In at Meir for home delivery at <https://www.schoolsinuniform.co.uk/>

Uniform Bank

There is also the uniform bank organised by St Luke's and St Paul's Churches. If there are uniform items that you need, you are able to message them via their Facebook page where they will check stock and even deliver. To support the churches with this valuable service, if you have any unwanted uniform items, please contact our school office to arrange to drop off the uniform and we can pass them on.

Please let us know if you have any questions, concerns or need any support with uniform and we will work with you to resolve the matter. Contact your child's author group teacher as the first point of contact.

Please see below other relevant information for your attention

Reminder School Meal Price

As explained in the summer term, due to the rising costs of ingredients and resources, it will be necessary to increase the cost of school meals to **£2.57** in September. This is a difficult decision that schools in the Talentum Learning Trust have needed to make. We have delayed in doing this before now in a bid to avoid contributing to the rising cost of living. However, it is something that we can no longer delay with. We believe that the meal that this provides for our pupils is still value for money and the quality will remain unchanged. Please remember we are a cash free school and all school meals need to be paid for using ParentPay.

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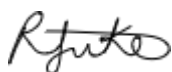
Email: cvm.office@ttl.org.uk Website: cvm.ttl.org.uk

Timings of the school day

Period	Time
Unless pupils are attending breakfast club in the school dining hall from 8:15 am, they should not arrive in the school grounds until after 8:30am, as they WILL NOT be supervised.	
Registration	8.50-9.10 am
Period 1	9.10am -10.05am
Break	10:05am -10:25am
Period 2	10.25am – 11.20am
Break	11:20 – 11:30
Period 3	11.30am – 12.25pm
Lunch	12.25am -13.15pm
Period 4	13.35pm – 14.30pm
Registration	13:15 – 13:35
Break	14.30pm – 14:40pm
Period 5 Key Stage 2	14.40pm -15.40pm
Period 5 Key Stage 3	P5 14.40-3.35pm pupils are dismissed at 3:35pm from lessons as part of a staggered exit.
Please note that on Fridays, the afternoons are slightly different and PM registration time is longer 2:00-2:50 to allow for assemblies and RSC sessions.	

If you have any concerns or questions, please contact the school office or your child's author group teacher as the first point of contact.

Kind regards



Mrs R Jukes