



CARLTON

KEIGHLEY

Dear Parent/Carer,

Second-Hand Uniform

As a school, we really value strong links with the community, and are always looking at ways we can support families to have more positive interactions with school.

In line with our mission of excellence for all we have high standards for students; this includes our approach to school uniform. Our core value of respect extends to students having self-respect, and taking pride in their appearance. We want students to dress professionally and smartly, to create a positive and purposeful culture in school, and to help prepare them for the world of work after their education has finished.

As a school, we understand that the cost of school uniform can be expensive. Where possible, we want to try and ease this burden for families, for example by minimising the number of branded items that are required as part of our uniform. One of the other ways we can do this is through providing a second-hand uniform stock for families.

If you do have any second hand uniform which you would like to donate to the school to support other members of our community, please can this be dropped off the school via the main office. This may be particularly the case for those families who have students in Year 11; it may be that you wish to donate items such as blazers which pupils will no longer require after they have completed their final examinations later on in June.

If families require support with purchasing uniform for their children, there are various ways that the school can help. If you have any queries about uniform expectations and support, this can be done through your child's Head of Year.

Thank you for your continued support,

Mark Turvey
Head of School