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Dear Parents / Carers,

With winter rapidly approaching and with no sign of the COVID-19 restrictions easing, I acknowledge that in some instances, some areas of the school building can feel a little cooler.

Whilst the heating is on, with windows open, the impact is limited, however I want to ensure that we are best prepared for when the temperature drops further.

Therefore, I have agreed to allow the following additions as part of a winter uniform.

New Uniform: Students are allowed to wear a navy, V-neck, woollen jumper underneath their blazer. These are not branded and can be purchased from most uniform supply stores.

Old Uniform: Students are allowed to either wear a plain base layer (navy / black) underneath their polo shirt, and / or we will allow them to wear their branded, maroon Winterton PE hoodie around school at the teacher's discretion inside the classroom, if the teacher feels the room is uncomfortably cold. Please be advised, this remains at the discretion of the teacher and where the temperature is acceptable, then they may be asked to remove them for the duration of the lesson.

Other sweat-shirts / hoodies and tracksuit tops are not permitted in school and as is the current rule, may be confiscated. In addition, students will not be allowed to wear their coat inside the classroom.

I hope these additional options help in ensuring that our pupils remain comfortable and ready to learn.

Kind regards,

Mr Kowlands Headteacher