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Spalding High School PE Kit Update

Dear Parents,

It's been lovely to see so many parents visiting the shop for their appointments for their girls to try on their new uniform, and we've already had lots of early orders on-line which helps us immensely, as the end of the summer holidays gets incredibly busy.

Unfortunately we have just been informed by Trutex that there is going to be a delay in the delivery of our last order of PE Kit for Spalding high School which was originally due on 5th July. We purchased some mixed stock from Hills, and had most of the PE Kit from Trutex of polos, skorts and socks, so we do have a good base stock of most items. The last container includes the balance of the PE kit including the hoodies, which is where we have the most gaps in our stock.

We have had a very apologetic letter from Trutex explaining the delay has been caused by the ongoing issues around Covid-19 and the subsequent effect on manufacture and shipping, and they are working with all parties in the supply chain to get the balance of their orders into the country and delivered to us as quickly as they can.

As a very diverse business which deals in goods from all over the world, we are hearing that lots of our suppliers are having similar issues with the supply chain, and actually feel quite lucky that it hasn't had a bigger effect on our business – so far! We're all keeping our fingers crossed!

So please bear with us if you need items which aren't advertised in the colour or size you need on the website. We will upload them as they come into stock, and advertise their arrival on social media. We are hoping if all goes to plan to have the balance of our orders by the **week commencing 20th August**, and will fulfill our orders to you as promptly as we can after that date.

Kind Regards

Ruth Collins
Director.