

Joy as the new school uniforms arrive

OVER the years many of you have generously supported the provision of school uniforms for children with special needs in Nachingwea. We have just received these photos from Kevin Bushiri, chair of the Link in Nachingwea and the joyous message overleaf from Siamini Faraja, Head of Special Needs at Nachingwea Primary School. The uniforms are



particularly important for these children, as, if they do not have them, they will not attend school and, by wearing the same uniforms as the able-bodied students, they feel a sense of normalcy and belonging. Their pleasure can be seen in their faces.

We have often been asked why the uniforms are not passed on from student to student. This is because the red dust from the soil gets into everything and, after constant hand-washing, the uniforms are worn out by the end of the school year.



Thank you so much for your generosity, **The Stapleford-Nachingwea Link Committee**

Siamini writes:

“THANK you so much for the gift of school uniforms for the pupils with special needs. They received them with great joy together with their parents. They were truly delighted and encouraged to receive the new style of uniform that was introduced for all students in 2026. The new look has brought them so much happiness because many of their parents were unable to afford to buy the new uniforms for them. Your kindness has made a real difference in their lives and has brought smiles to both the children and their families.

“May God richly bless you for your hospitality.
Siamini.”

