

UNIFIRST CORP  
Form 8-K  
January 17, 2017  
UNITED STATES

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

**January 10, 2017**

**UNIFIRST CORPORATION**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Massachusetts 001-08504 04-2103460  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

68 Jonspin Road, Wilmington, Massachusetts 01887

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (978) 658-8888

**Not Applicable**

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 5.07. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.**

At the Annual Meeting of Shareholders of UniFirst Corporation (the “Company”) held on January 10, 2017, the Company’s shareholders voted on and approved (1) the election of Ronald D. Croatti, Thomas S. Postek and Raymond C. Zemlin as Class II Directors, each to serve for a term of three years until the 2020 Annual Meeting of Shareholders and until their respective successors are duly elected and qualified and (2) the ratification of the appointment of Ernst & Young LLP as the Company’s independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending August 26, 2017. The votes cast by the holders of the Company’s Common Stock and Class B Common Stock on each of the foregoing proposals were as follows:

Proposal 1: Election of three Class II Directors, nominated by the Board of Directors, each to serve for a term of three years until the 2020 Annual Meeting of Shareholders and until their respective successors are duly elected and qualified.

	Common Stock			Class B Common Stock		
	For	Withheld	Broker	For	Withheld	Broker
			Non-Votes			Non-Votes
Ronald D. Croatti	10,301,118	3,832,704	663,944	45,720,320	0	0
Thomas S. Postek	9,816,314	4,317,508	663,944	45,720,320	0	0
Raymond C. Zemlin	9,250,682	4,883,140	663,944	45,720,320	0	0

Proposal 2: Ratification of appointment of Ernst & Young LLP as the Company’s independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending August 26, 2017.

Common Stock				Class B Common Stock			
For	Against	Abstain	Broker	For	Against	Abstain	Broker
			Non-Votes				Non-Votes
14,760,913	36,296	557	0	45,720,320	0	0	0

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

**UNIFIRST CORPORATION**

Date: January 17, 2017 By: /s/ Ronald D. Croatti  
Ronald D. Croatti  
Chairman of the Board, Chief  
  
Executive Officer and President

By: /s/ Steven S. Sintros  
Steven S. Sintros  
Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer