

UNIFIRST CORP  
Form 8-K  
March 08, 2006

**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)  
March 8, 2006

**UNIFIRST CORPORATION**  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**Massachusetts**

**1-8504**

**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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act  
(17 CFR 230.425)

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(17 CFR 240.14a-12)

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(17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act  
(17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement**

On March 8, 2006, UniFirst Corporation (the Company ) restated the UniFirst Corporation Unfunded Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan (the SERP ) pursuant to authorization of the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors. The restatement was meant to bring the SERP into compliance with Internal Revenue Code Section 409A, to provide an increased retirement benefit, and to make other changes. The normal retirement date is the first day of the month in which a participant may retire and receive unreduced social security benefits. A retiree with at least thirty years of service will receive a lifetime pension, with twelve years guaranteed in the event of early death, equal to forty percent of final three year average base compensation, reduced by one hundred percent of primary social security benefits. Benefits are also paid in the event of permanent disability, death, or a change in control as defined in the SERP.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

Exhibits The following exhibit is furnished herewith:

The UniFirst Corporation Unfunded Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan

| <b>EXHIBIT NO.</b> | <b>DESCRIPTION</b>   |
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| 99.2Q              | The UniFirst Corporation Unfunded Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan |

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**SIGNATURES**

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

**UNIFIRST CORPORATION**

Date: March 8, 2006

By: /s/ Ronald D. Croatti  
Name: Ronald D. Croatti  
Title: Chairman of the Board, Chief  
Executive Officer and President

By: /s/ John B. Bartlett  
Name: John B. Bartlett  
Title: Senior Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer

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