

DIFILLIPPO DAVID A  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
DIFILLIPPO DAVID A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
UNIFIRST CORP [UNF]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
C/O UNIFIRST CORPORATION, 68 JONSPIN ROAD

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
01/12/2012

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Senior VP of Operations

(Street)  
WILMINGTON, MA 01887

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount Price			
Common Stock	01/12/2012		M	1,100 A \$ 19.93	4,457	D	
Common Stock	01/12/2012		S	1,100 D \$ 61.23	3,357	D	
Common Stock	01/12/2012		S	40 D \$ 61.23	140	I (1)	By Daughter
Common Stock	01/12/2012		S	40 D \$ 61.23	140	I (1)	By Daughter
Common Stock					75	I (1)	By Son

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Common stock option (right to buy)	\$ 19.93	01/12/2012		M	1,100	<u>(2)</u> 01/14/2013	Common stock (\$0.10 par value)	1,100

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DIFILLIPPO DAVID A C/O UNIFIRST CORPORATION 68 JONSPIN ROAD WILMINGTON, MA 01887			Senior VP of Operations	

## Signatures

/s/ David Whitman,  
Attorney-in-Fact  
01/13/2012  
Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
  - \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- Represents shares owned by David DiFillippo's children. David DiFillippo disclaims beneficial ownership of these reported securities, (1) except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that he is the beneficial owner of these securities for purposes of Section 16 or any other purpose.

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(2) This stock option became vested and exercisable 100% on the fifth anniversary of the grant date (1/14/2003).

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