

School Uniform Policy



Why do we have a school Uniform?

- To create a sense of collective and individual pride in our students and their identification with our school
- To maintain and enhance the positive image of the school in the community.
- To promote equality amongst all students.
- To assist in individual student safety and group security when travelling to and from school and on school excursions and activities.
- To promote active and safe participation in school life.
- To provide durable clothing that is cost effective and practical for our school environment and learning programs.

Exemptions

Students must bring a note if they are unable to wear full school uniform.

If medical reasons prevent the wearing of an item of the uniform, parents should provide their child's Home Group Teacher with a note specifying the time of requested exemption from the Uniform Policy. Appropriate clothes in school colours must still be worn.

Jewellery

Students are not to wear jewellery to school, except if it is of religious significance (eg: rosary beads, medal, scapular).

Footwear

- Black school shoes are to be worn every day, except on the designated sports day.
- Runners are not to be worn, except on the designated sports day.
- Open footwear is not permitted as it is not safe

Hair

- Hair that is longer than shoulder length is to be worn tied back with a headband or hair ties.

Headwear

- The only headwear that is acceptable is the school hat as it is consistent with our Sunsmart policy.
- The school hat must be worn outside during terms 1 and 4.
- The *No School Hat No Play* rule applies during these terms.

School Bag

While it is preferred that the Good Samaritan school bag is used, this is not a compulsory school uniform requirement. It is preferred for use because of its durability.

Boy's School Uniform

Term 1 and 4	Term 2 and 3
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good Samaritan polo shirt (short sleeve) • Good Samaritan school shorts or trousers • Good Samaritan bomber jacket • White socks • School wide brim hat • Black school shoes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good Samaritan polo shirt (long sleeve) • Good Samaritan shorts or trousers • Good Samaritan bomber jacket • White socks • Black school shoes • Good Samaritan wet weather jacket (optional) • Good Samaritan scarf (optional)** • Good Samaritan beanie (optional)** <p>**Non-school beanies and scarves are not permitted to be worn with the school uniform</p>
<h3>Sports Uniform</h3>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good Samaritan shorts or Good Samaritan track pants • Good Samaritan sports top • Sports shoes/runners • White socks 	

Girl's School Uniform

Term 1 and 4	Term 2 and 3
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good Samaritan summer dress^{###} or • Good Samaritan school shorts/trousers and short sleeve polo shirt • Good Samaritan bomber jacket • White socks • School wide brim hat • Black school shoes <p>^{###} When the weather is cool during these terms, girls are permitted to wear white tights with the summer dress.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good Samaritan winter pinafore or • Good Samaritan trousers and long sleeve polo shirt • Good Samaritan bomber jacket • Dark blue tights or white socks • Black school shoes • Good Samaritan wet weather jacket (optional) • Good Samaritan scarf (optional)** • Good Samaritan beanie (optional)** <p>**Non-school beanies and scarves are not permitted to be worn with the school uniform</p>
<h3>Sports Uniform</h3>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good Samaritan shorts or Good Samaritan track pants • Good Samaritan sports top • Sports shoes/runners • White socks 	

Uniform Shop

- All items of the Good Samaritan uniform are available for purchase from the School Uniform Shop.
- Every effort is made to ensure that the price of all uniform items is kept as low as possible.