

Uniform Policy



Help for non-English speakers

If you need help to understand the information in this policy, please contact the school on 9802 0663 for support

Purpose

The purpose of a school uniform is to promote within the students a sense of pride and school identity. It also ensures school clothing is practical, presentable and affordable.

Guideline

- The School Council has determined that students at Weeden Heights Primary School wear the approved school uniform
- School uniform shall be worn at all events where the students are representing the school, eg. excursions, sports meetings, choir etc.
- Parents are strongly encouraged to fix name tags to all items of uniform
- School uniforms are available for purchase through an external supplier
- All students are to wear an approved hat when outdoors from mid-August to the end of April, in line with the school's UV (SunSmart) policy.

Implementation

The approved school uniform is described in Appendix A and in the school's information booklet, which is available at the School Office.

Students not wearing an approved school hat are to remain undercover during playtimes and supervised in shaded areas during sport. In effect, NO HAT – NO PLAY.

Shoes are to be appropriate for daily activity at school, including sports. No opened toed sandals are permitted for safety reasons. Sports shoes may be required on sports days or for special activities.

Socks should complement the uniform, i.e. white socks.

Sports briefs/bike shorts (black or maroon) may be worn under dresses, however the leg length should not extend below the length of the dress.

Jewellery: for safety reasons, the wearing of jewellery is discouraged, except for cultural or religious reasons.

Hair: for hygiene reasons, it is advisable to wear long hair tied up or back.

Items of “lost property”, including school uniform, will be stored in a central location for individuals to collect. Unnamed, unclaimed items will be donated to a charity

For interschool sporting events, a specialised uniform may be provided by the school. This uniform must be cared for and returned to the sports co-ordinator as instructed.

Policy Review and Approval

Policy last reviewed	2022
Consultation	Principal Staff Education Sub Committee and School Council Newsletter item to the school community Website
Approved by	Principal
Next scheduled review date	2026 <i>Mandatory review cycle for this policy is 3-4 years.</i>

Appendix A

Uniform	Boys	Girls
Shoes	Enclosed Black shoes or White runners.	
Rugby Jumper	Maroon poly/cotton with school logo & striped trim <i>or grade 6 approved jumper.</i>	
Bomber Jacket	Maroon poly/cotton with school logo & striped trim <i>or grade 6 approved jacket.</i>	
Rain Jacket	Maroon fleece lined waterproof jacket with school logo.	
Sleeveless Vest	Navy blue sleeveless fleece vest with embroidered school logo.	
Summer	Sky blue polo shirt with school logo & striped trim <i>or grade 6 approved polo.</i> Navy blue shorts or pants (worn with white socks).	Check poly/cotton dress in school colours (worn with white socks). or Sky blue polo shirt with school logo & striped trim <i>or grade 6 approved polo.</i> Navy blue shorts, pants or skirt. (worn with white socks).
Winter	Sky blue polo shirt with school logo & striped trim <i>or grade 6 approved polo.</i> Navy blue pants. (worn with white socks).	Sky blue polo shirt with school logo & striped trim <i>or grade 6 approved polo.</i> Navy blue pants. (worn with white socks). or Navy blue/red striped tunic with sky blue polo shirt with school logo & striped trim (worn with navy blue tights). The tunic may be converted and worn as a skirt.
Hats	Maroon bucket or wide brimmed style with school logo. Maroon and sky blue knitted beanie with school logo (winter).	
House T-shirt	Yellow, Blue, Green or Red t-shirt with school logo (as per allocated house).	
School Bag	Dark Blue with school logo.	