

Uniform Policy

The College uniform is a symbol of school pride and a reflection of the high standards upheld by our community. Students are required to wear the complete and correct College uniform neatly and with care at all times—during school hours, at official College functions, and while travelling to and from the College.

Wearing the uniform appropriately demonstrates respect for oneself, fellow students, and the traditions of both current and past members of the College community.

In the event that a student is unable to wear the correct uniform, a written explanation from a parent or caregiver must be provided. This note should outline the reason for the non-compliance and indicate the expected timeframe for resolving the matter.

All items of the College uniform are to be clean, pressed, and properly fitted to ensure a neat and professional appearance at all times.

All uniform items (except shoes) are available from the College Uniform Shop, located near the Samaritan court at the Prospect Road carpark.

Uniform Infringement Consequences

All students are expected to wear the College uniform correctly and with respect for the standards set by the College. Failure to do so will result in appropriate disciplinary action, as outlined below.

Procedures and Consequences

- Minor Uniform Infringements
 - Students who commit minor uniform infringements will receive an appropriate consequence,
 as determined by the supervising staff member.
- Repeated Minor Infringements
 - Students who accrue several minor uniform infringements within a short period may be issued with an after-school detention.
- Make-Up, Nail Polish, and Hair Products
 - Students wearing excessive make-up, coloured nail polish, or non-approved hair products will be required to remove them while at the College.
- Consistent Non-Compliance
 - Students who repeatedly wear incorrect uniform items, despite previous warnings or consequences, may be sent home or suspended until they demonstrate a willingness to comply with uniform expectations.
- Extreme Appearance or Ornamentation
 - Students presenting with extreme hairstyles or colours, body piercings, visible tattoos, or other non-approved ornamentation will be required to leave the College immediately. The student may return only once they comply with the College's appearance standards.

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Formal Uniform

- · Formal blouse which must have the formal maroon and navy tie attached
- · Ladies shorts, trouser or skirt, black belt is optional
- Formal shirt, 2 styles- old style shirt to be tucked in and new style shirt to be left untucked
- Formal navy tie is to be worn with formal shirt in Term 2 and 3 and during formal occasions
- Formal shorts. If wearing old style shirt, black belt is to be worn
- Formal trouser, compulsory in Term 2 and 3 for Year 11 and 12. Can be worn by other year levels but not compulsory. If wearing old style shirt, black belt is to be worn
- · Formal socks
- Unisex poly-braid formal hat
- Plain black leather, polished, low heeled, below the ankle, lace up shoes. Mary Janes are not allowed
- College blazer, compulsory for Year 11 and 12 students during Term 2 and 3





College Hat

It is an expectation that the students are to wear their College formal hat or College sun hat to and from school and during lunch breaks each day.

College Bags

Students can only use the official College bags. All College bags are to be kept in lockers and not taken to classes.

- College backpack for everyday use
- Sport duffle bag, can only be used for sporting events



Sport Uniform

- · Sport polo shirt
- College navy sport shorts, old style ladies shorts no longer able to be worn as of January 2025
- · College sport socks
- · Lace-up runners, any colour. Avoid bright colours
- · College navy sun hat



Winter Uniform

- Maroon College jumper to be warn in cooler months, can be warn with formal or sport uniform
- · Black stockings may be worn instead of socks with the College formal skirt
- College blazer must be worn to and from school by students in Year 11 and 12 in Terms 2 and 3
- · College wool scarf, optional
- College tracksuit can only be worn with the sport uniform







Jewellery

Earrings:

- Students may wear one pair of earrings, consisting of either:
 - Plain metallic small studs (no larger than 4mm in diameter), or
 - Small metallic sleepers (no larger than 10mm in diameter).

Diamante earrings larger than 4mm, pearls, or any other decorative styles are not permitted. Only one earring may be worn in the lower lobe of each ear.

· Additional Piercings:

Students who have multiple ear piercings or any facial piercings (including nose, tongue, eyebrow, or helix piercings) must wear a small, clear stud as a covering for these piercings while at school.

Necklaces and Religious Symbols:

A small crucifix or other religious symbol may be worn on a fine chain around the neck. No other necklaces or chains are permitted.

Other Jewellery:

Rings, bangles, bracelets, wrist chains, and similar items are not permitted. Students may wear a plain wristwatch.

· Tattoos and Ornamentation:

Visible tattoos are not permitted. No other visible ornamentation is allowed.

Make Up Standards

Make-Up:

Students may wear clear lip gloss or tinted sunscreen only. No other forms of make-up are permitted. This includes, but is not limited to, lipstick, coloured lip gloss, foundation, blusher, powder, eyeliner, false eyelashes, eye shadow, or mascara.

Nail Polish and Nail Appearance:

Fingernails may be coated with clear nail polish only. French tips, coloured polish, or decorative nail art are not permitted.

· False Nails:

The wearing of false nails or any form of nail extensions is not permitted. Nails must be kept short at all times to comply with Workplace Health and Safety (WH&S) requirements, particularly for participation in practical subjects.



Hair and Grooming Standards

• General Appearance:

All students are expected to maintain hair that is clean, brushed or combed, and of a neat and tidy appearance at all times.

Hairstyles:

Extreme hairstyles or cuts that draw undue attention to the student are not permitted. Examples include, but are not limited to, mohawks, rat tails, mullets, undercuts, tails, or tracks.

• Hair Length and Tying Back:

Hair that is collar length or longer must be tied back and kept off the face. Hair ties must be of a single colour—navy, maroon, black, or white.

Hair Colour:

Unnatural or extreme hair colourings that detract from a student's natural appearance are not permitted.

· Accessories:

Decorative hair accessories, including clip-on bows, flowers, or diamante clips, are not permitted.

Male Grooming:

Male students are required to be clean-shaven. Sideburns must be neatly trimmed and must not extend below the earlobe. The shortest acceptable length for an "all-over" haircut is a Blade 3.

Clarification:

Any clarification or approval regarding hair and grooming matters should be sought from the College Leadership Team.

Casual Dress Days

• General Expectations:

The same standards of cleanliness, modesty, and appropriateness that apply to the regular College uniform also apply on casual dress days. Students are expected to dress in a manner that reflects the values and expectations of the College.

- Clothing Requirements:
- All clothing must be school-appropriate, with shoulders and midriffs fully covered. Sleeveless tops, singlets, and tank tops are not permitted.
 - Clothing must not display inappropriate, offensive, or suggestive language, graphics, or imagery.
- Skirts, dresses, and shorts must be of modest and appropriate length. Miniskirts, minidresses, and short shorts are not permitted.
 - Headwear:

Caps and hats may be worn outdoors but must be removed when inside classrooms or other indoor learning areas.

Hair and Jewellery:

Hair and jewellery requirements remain consistent with normal College rules. Female students must ensure that long hair is neatly tied back.

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