



St Mary MacKillop School

Uniform Policy

RATIONALE

- We believe that it is important to develop in our students a feeling of pride in themselves and their school, and a sense of personal tidiness and cleanliness.
- Our school uniform presents an identity and a public image to the wider community.
- A school uniform enables each student to have equal status with regard to dress and eliminates competition and class distinction.

When parents/caregivers enrol their child/ren at St Mary MacKillop School they sign an agreement stating

"I/we accept the standards St Mary MacKillop School sets with regard to grooming, uniform and personal presentation."
(Parent/Guardian declaration)

RESPONSIBILITIES:

Parents/caregivers shall:

- ensure that the correct school uniform is purchased
- ensure that students wear the correct uniform each day.
- ensure that the uniform is clean and well maintained.
- name each item of clothing clearly and permanently.
- check that your child has brought home their own piece of clothing and return items not belonging to your child to school.
- inform the school with a note in the diary/Take Home book with the reason if it is not possible *for your child to be wearing the correct school uniform on a particular day.*

Students shall:

- wear the appropriate uniform and wear it correctly with pride each day.
- look after their own clothing and put in their school bags when not being worn.
- respect the clothing of other students.

UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS:

Hair

- All shoulder length and longer hair must be tied up. (This supports our policy for the control of head lice).
- Acceptable accessories are blue or light blue fabric scrunchies and ribbons, and blue or natural coloured clips.
- Coloured hair, coloured streaking, coloured highlights and coloured hair spray are not permitted.

Jewellery

- Watches and medic alerts are permitted.
- One plain gold or silver stud / and or sleeper earrings may be worn. No more than one earring per ear.
- Neck chains with a small crucifix or cross may be worn.
- Rings and bracelets and other items of jewellery are not permitted.

Personal Presentation

- Nail polish and make up are not permitted.

Ratified by School Board March 2014

Next Review in March 2017

Responsibility for update: School Board

Regular Uniform – every day school wear

- Gabardine trousers
- Gabardine shorts
- Windcheater
- Winter Jacket – navy (only to be worn to and from school)
- Striped Polo Top – short sleeve or long sleeve (no skivvies are to be worn under the short sleeve polo)
- Hat – Navy bucket style with school logo
- Shoes – plain black regulation lace up or buckle school shoes
- School sandals are permitted in Terms 1 and 4
- Socks – plain navy (no anklet styles). St Mary MacKillop School socks are optional
- Hair ties –navy or light blue scrunchies, ribbons, headbands and clips
- Scarf (Optional – red or blue St Mary MacKillop School only)

Sports Uniform –

To be worn on Dance days and P.E. days only

- Sports P.E. top
- Sports P.E. shorts
- Track'n'Field sport pants
- Rugby top (Optional – students may wear their windcheater with the sports uniform)
- Hat – Navy bucket style with school logo (as for regular uniform)
- Sports shoes – predominantly white or predominantly blue
- Socks – white (no anklet styles and no sports logos) or St Mary MacKillop School sport socks
- Hair ties - navy or light blue school scrunchies, ribbons, headbands and clips,

Compulsory items (All available from the uniform shop)

- School Bag (St Mary MacKillop School logo) all students
- Library bag (St Mary MacKillop School logo) Foundation – Yr3
- Art smock Foundation – Yr3

The Uniform Shop is open from 8.15am-3.00pm daily

Parents/caregivers and students (3-7) are asked to sign the following declaration that they have read and accepted the uniform policy.

I have read the Uniform Policy and will ensure my child will abide with all aspects of the policy.

Student Name: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Student Signature (Years 3-7)_____