

# Uniform Regulations



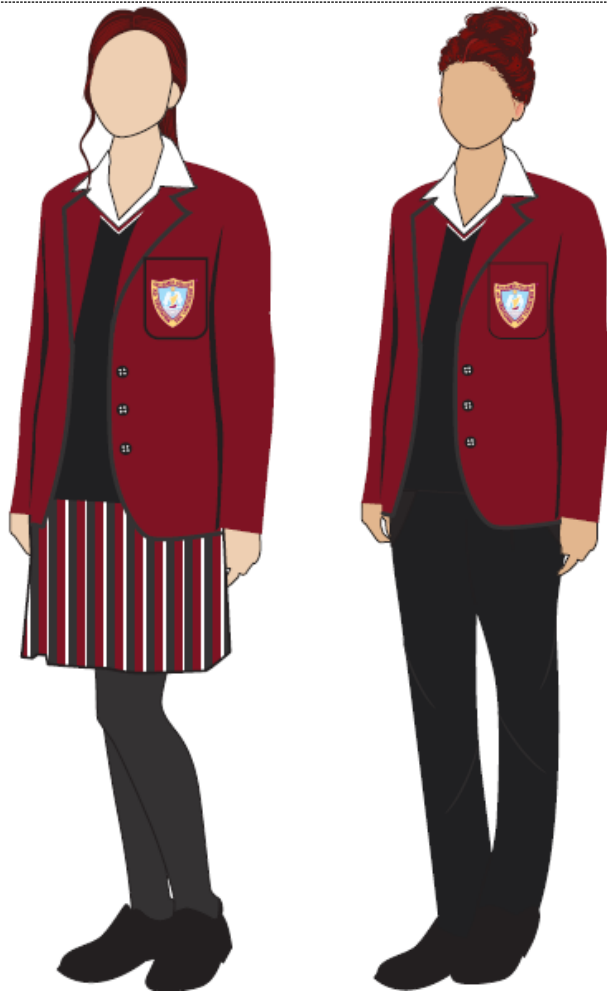
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## GUIDING PHILOSOPHY

A school uniform provides a sense of identity and belonging. The College uniform should be worn with pride. Each student is expected to maintain a high standard of personal appearance. It is the responsibility of parents /carers and students to check that the uniform is worn in accordance with the regulations of the College.

If the incorrect/incomplete uniform is worn, it is expected that a written note of explanation to the Mentor Teacher is provided. Any breach of the uniform regulations will result in the issuing of an incident. Repeated breaches will result in a meeting with the Sub-School Leader and / or the Deputy Principal.

### Winter Uniform *Worn in Terms 2 and 3*



Long sleeved white shirt  
Striped winter skirt, knee length  
Burgundy blazer  
College jumper  

- Charcoal grey (Years 7-10)
- Marle grey (Years 11-12)

Black stockings / Tights  

- minimum 40 denier
- socks must not be worn with the winter skirt

College scarf (*optional*)  
College grey pants (*optional – must be worn with black socks*)

#### FOOTWEAR

Plain black lace-up shoes, to provide best foot support and protection

No Buckle or T-bar shoes  
black socks are to be worn (only) with the grey trousers  
socks must not be worn with the Winter Skirt

### Summer Uniform *Worn in Terms 1 and 4*



Striped dress, knee length  
Burgundy blazer  
White socks, long  
Plain black or white hair accessories  
College jumper  

- Charcoal grey (Years 7-10)
- Marle grey (Years 11-12)

#### FOOTWEAR

Plain black lace-up shoes, to provide best foot support and protection

No Buckle or T-bar shoes

### Health & Physical Education (HPE) Uniform



Burgundy, grey and white tracksuit pants and jacket  
Grey sports shorts  
White polo top, with burgundy and grey collar  
Striped rugby top  
White sports socks  
Grey bucket hat OR grey baseball cap, as supplied, to be worn outdoors

#### FOOTWEAR

Lace up runners which provide orthopedic support.

- Street shoes, Converse, canvas runners, high tops or similar fashion shoes are not permitted.

*HPE uniform can only be worn on designated days of Health and Physical Education (HPE) practical classes for students in Years 7-12. Student timetables can be checked on the Parent Access Module (PAM) to determine what days specific classes are held.*

*It is a College expectation that the HPE uniform is worn neatly, i.e. hems on pants need to be properly maintained. Pants are not allowed to be rolled up.*

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## PERSONAL GROOMING AND ACCESSORIES – *Applies to ALL students in Years 7-12*

### Hair

- Neat and well groomed. The College reserves the right to suspend any student who has an extreme hairstyle and/or unnatural color, until she rectifies the situation.
- Hair that is shoulder length or longer must be neatly and securely tied back at all times.
- Plain accessories must always be black or white in colour (i.e. ribbons, clips, headbands, hair ties and hair slides).

### Nails

- Nails should be trimmed and short.
- Nail polish is not permitted.

### Make-up

- Make-up is not permitted.
- False eyelashes are not permitted

### Jewellery

Students are permitted to wear:

- A watch.
- A holy medal or cross, worn under clothing.
- School badges, as approved and issued by the College.
- One matching pair of stud earrings, worn anywhere in the ear. Studs may be:
  - any colour and any shape, provided that the diameter or length is not greater than 5mm.
  - sleepers/hoop earrings are not permitted.
  - Nose or lip piercings are only to be worn with small, clear spacers without a stud. Band-Aids are not permitted to be used to cover a piercing.

### Not permitted:

- × Chewing gum.
- × Additional clothing items worn under or over the summer, winter or HPE uniform (e.g. long sleeve or short sleeve t-shirts).
- × Black socks with the summer, winter or HPE uniform.
- × Headphones / ear buds should not be visible during school hours unless teacher permission has been given.

### PLEASE NOTE:

#### Blazer and Jumper (applies to all students Years 7-12)

1. Students are required to wear the blazer to and from school during Terms 2 and 3.
2. The blazer is required to be worn on official occasions
3. The jumper is not permitted to be worn as the outer garment outside of the school grounds at any time.

#### School Bags

1. Black College backpack - worn in accordance with its specifications. If a second bag is required, the College haversack should be used.
2. Art folios are not to be used as a school bag.

Students who do not adhere to the College uniform regulations will receive an incident for each breach. Uniform items which do not comply with these regulations, or which are in a state of disrepair, may not be worn. Such items must be promptly repaired or replaced.

The College reserves the right to send home / suspend any student who is in breach of the College uniform regulations and who cannot or does not rectify the situation when asked. This can occur, but is not limited to, such things as: piercings, make-up, nails, incorrect uniform or inappropriate uniform length.