

Acceptable Uniform Items

Samples of school uniform items are displayed on a noticeboard in the school foyer. Price lists are available from the Front Office and included in enrolment packs.

School uniform items include:

Summer:

Girls

- A-line shift style uniform (available from the school) or Marnatha uniform with zipper in blue check, royal blue netball skirt or navy box pleat skirt.
- Royal blue/gold school polo shirt (long or short sleeved) and royal blue/ navy shorts or royal blue skirt
- Navy blue / white / grey socks are recommended
- Flat shoes, standard runners or strapped sandals.

Boys

- Royal blue / navy blue / grey shorts (school wear cargo pants) or pants
- Royal blue / gold school polo shirt (long or short sleeved).
- Navy blue / white / grey socks are recommended
- Strapped sandals, shoes or standard runners.

Winter:

Girls

- Navy blue bootleg pants or royal blue jogger pants.
- Royal blue school bomber jacket, windcheater or polar fleece vest / jacket.
- Royal blue / gold school polo shirt (long or short sleeved)
- Blue checked pinafore or blue checked skirt
- Royal blue polar fleece vest
- Navy blue / white / grey socks or navy tights are recommended
- Flat shoes or standard runners.

Boys

- Royal blue / navy blue / grey pants or royal blue jogger pants
- Royal blue school bomber jacket, windcheater or polar fleece vest / jacket.
- Blue shirt or royal blue/gold school polo shirt (long or short sleeved)
- Blue/white/grey socks are recommended
- Shoes or standard runners.

Senior Students Uniform

These items are available to year 7 students through special orders:

- Senior students round necked gold T-shirt
- Senior students windcheater

Headwear

In accordance with the School's Sunsmart Policy, Royal Blue legionnaire, broad brimmed or 10cm brim bucket hats must be worn outdoors throughout the year. Long hair should be tied back. It is recommended that headbands, ties, clips and ribbons are royal blue, yellow, navy or black, to complement the school uniform.

Unacceptable Items

- Baseball hats
- Jeans or denim
- Shorts / pants of an inappropriate design (eg. baggy pants or shorts, low hiped jeans or board shorts).
- Thongs, fashion shoes, skate shoes
- Tank tops, midriff tops or singlets
- Clothing with logos or obvious stripes that are not in school colours
- Make up
- Jewellery (excluding watches, medi-alerts plain ear studs and small sleepers)
- Leggings

Other Uniform Shop Items

These items are available but not a requirement:

- Arts smocks
- Rain jackets
- Polar fleece beanies and scarfs
- Library bags, school bags, communication bags

Warradale Primary School

Uniform Policy



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Warradale Primary School expects that all students wear the recognised Warradale Primary School uniform, which is itemised in this pamphlet. The Warradale Primary School Governing Council supports and recommends this policy.

The wearing of school uniform contributes to a sense of identity and belonging to the school on the part of your child. Wearing of school uniform minimises costs and overcomes the dilemma of what your child should wear to school. It removes the sense of pressure and cost faced by parents when students seek to wear 'culture' or fashion clothing.

In developing this policy we considered the following issues:

1. The wearing of uniform is an important factor in ensuring student safety. It is important we and other community members can clearly recognise a student's association with Warradale Primary School.
2. Students have a right to wear clothing that allows for freedom of movement and a level of comfort.
3. Our uniform offers affordable clothing for all students. We make available a range of items to allow for individual choice.
4. The values of students and parents / caregivers of other cultural backgrounds are acknowledged.
5. Special consideration is given to itinerant students and students who are financially disadvantaged.

Parents

Parents are expected to support the Uniform Policy by ensuring that their children are suitably dressed. If school uniform is not able to be worn for a particular reason, parents should notify the school.

Parents will be provided with a copy of the Uniform Policy when enrolling their child.

Uniform Shop

A uniform shop, run by Front Office staff, stocks a wide range of new and some second-hand items.

Clothing may be purchased in the front office before and after school.

Financial Hardship

Families who are experiencing financial hardship and have difficulty complying with the Uniform Policy will be provided with some components of uniform from recycled or new stock.



Exemption

The Principal may exempt students from following the uniform policy upon written request from the parents. Grounds upon which parents may seek exemption are:

- Culture / religion
- New students (time to purchase)
- Itinerant students (short term visits)

Procedures for exempted students

- All students are required to wear clothing consistent with the uniform policy at all times. Exemptions can only be made in writing to the Principal who will keep a record of those students exempted.
- The Principal will inform class teachers of any student exemption.

Procedures for non-exempted students

(in line with DECD guidelines)

1. Class teachers remind and encourage students to wear clothing outlined in the uniform policy.
2. A member of the Principal or Deputy will contact the parents.
3. The Principal or Deputy will speak to the student (preferably in private) to encourage him/her to observe the uniform policy.