

Uniform Policy

1. Purpose

To provide a policy document that details the College Uniform Requirements and provides the mechanism for consistency, alterations and additions to the uniform if required.

2. Underlying Values and Principles

(a) A uniform provides equal opportunity for all students to be part of the College community and removes the possibility of students being isolated because of not being “up with the fashion”; (b) The College Uniform correctly reflects the student’s sense of pride and self-esteem; (c) The College Uniform engenders self-respect, self-discipline and promotes school spirit; (d) All students, parents and staff will support the College Uniform Policy; (e) Uniform requirements and quality of garments supplied will be determined by the College Advisory Council and communicated to the supplier(s). Change of supplier, if and when necessary, will be the responsibility of the Advisory council.

3. Responsibility For Policy Implementation

The College Executive and teaching staff are responsible for implementation of this policy.

4. Protocols & Procedures

4.1 College Expectations

- (a) Students are expected to be in full and correct uniform in accordance with the College Uniform Code (see appendix one);
- (b) Students are expected to adhere to the College Uniform Code in relation to other aspects of their appearance (see appendix one);
- (c) Parents/Guardians of students who are “out of uniform” are required to communicate the reason for being out of uniform and timeline for rectifying the issue (via written note or email) to the Classroom Teacher(Primary)/House Mentor(Secondary);
- (d) Correct school uniform is to be worn on all school days unless otherwise informed by the College.

4.2 Procedures & Consequences

- (a) When a Classroom Teacher(Primary)/House Mentor(Secondary) observes or becomes aware that a student is not meeting College expectations in relation to the College Uniform Policy, the teacher is required to rectify it immediately, by asking for parental communication and then recording it in Simon;
- (b) Each time a student does not adhere to the above expectations a “uniform infringement” will be recorded against the students’ name in SIMON by the classroom teacher (Primary) /House Mentor (Secondary).
- (c) Classroom Teacher (Primary)/House Mentor (Secondary) will phone parents/guardian to discuss a resolution to remedy the uniform infringement;
- (d) If a student has a further uniform infringement recorded, the student and parent will receive notification to meet with the House Leader /Year level coordinator /Director Wellbeing to discuss an outcome;
- (e) Director-of-Wellbeing/Deputy Principal of Operations to contact parent/guardian to come into the college and rectify the uniform or collect the child. Child to be reentered when presented in correct uniform.

5. Communication

The policy and any changes to the policy will be communicated to: Parents; Students; All staff.

6. Wearing Summer and Winter Uniform

Summer Uniform: Term 1 and Term 4

Winter Uniform: Term 2 and Term 3

St Mary's College Uniform Code (Appendix One)

All students are expected to wear the full and correct College uniform each day as outlined below. The uniform is to be worn appropriately and should reflect the personal pride each student has in themselves and their College.

Headwear: College Broad brimmed or bucket Navy Blue Hat (with no slogans). All Primary students must wear a hat in Terms One and Four. Secondary students will be educated on Sun Safety and be recommended to wear the College bucket hat.

Accessories: No additions are permitted with the uniform e.g. Visible T-Shirts, bike shorts, jackets, vests, leggings, skins, headbands, scarves etc.

Shoes: Under Child Safety Regulations, Black Leather Lace School Shoes Only. BOOT STYLE and T-BAR STYLE are NOT permitted. Black runners are not permitted to be worn on Uniform days. (PE - sports runners - No skate or volleys or similar)

College Jacket: The Navy College Jacket with College Logo is a non - compulsory uniform item. The College jacket may be worn to and from school, and for comfort removed in the classroom. A College jumper must be worn under the jacket.

Winter Shirts: During recess and lunch, if participating in sporting activities it is accepted that the shirt may become untucked. However the shirt must be tucked into the trousers when the activity has concluded and before entering the classroom.

College Tie: The College tie is to be worn so that it covers the top button on the shirt.

Jewellery:

- A wristwatch,
- Up to two pairs of *plain* ear studs or sleepers in the ear lobe only (unobtrusive and small in size),
- A small religious medal on a fine chain will be permitted under clothing (no other necklace or pendant permitted),
- Jewellery other than that listed above is not to be worn at school, e.g. rings, bracelets, necklaces, wrist bands (medical bands allowed). Students will be asked to remove the item immediately and place it in their locker. (If this is a continuing issue, students will be referred to the Pastoral Leader for the item(s) to be removed and returned at the end of the day.

Body and Facial Piercings: are not permitted

Make up/Nails:

Makeup is not encouraged, but must be kept to a minimum and natural looking - the student will be asked to remove it at the commencement of the next lesson break *if too excessive*. Coloured nail polish is NOT permitted, only clear permitted. Students will be asked to remove coloured polish at the commencement of the next lesson break.

Hair:

- Hair is to be clean, tidy and tied back away from eyes, including long fringes for both girls and boys.
- For Primary students, hair below collar length must be tied back off the shoulders for both girls and boys.

Hair continued:

- For Secondary students hair must be tied back for Practical subjects including, Science Pracs, Physical Education and The Arts and Technology subjects.
- Hair attire (ribbons, scrunchies, headband) must be in St. Mary's College colours (blue/yellow).
- Extreme haircuts or styles are not permitted. Hair styles such as dreadlocks, mohawks, shaven heads, unnatural hair colours such as pinks, purples, greens etc. Please note these are examples only and do not form an exhaustive list. No beads in hair.
- The College reserves the right to determine what is extreme hair fashion or an extreme hairstyle. For further guidance please speak with the Pastoral Leader/Director Wellbeing. Number 2 haircut is the minimum. No shaved or pattern cuts.
- Hair may be dyed in *one natural* hair shade. Natural highlights/tips permitted.

Facial Hair: Boys are to be clean shaven at all times.

Dress/Skirt Length: The length of the girls' summer dress and winter skirt is to be NO HIGHER than the top of the knee. The College reserves the right to determine whether the length needs to be altered.

Uniform Exemptions: If a student is not able to adhere to the Uniform Policy, due to short term Welfare Needs, the parents/guardians should contact Classroom Teacher(Primary)/House Mentor(Secondary) for a Uniform Pass to be issued.

Out of uniform days: On certain days and or certain occasions, students may be permitted to be out-of-uniform and dressed casually. In accordance with the College dress standards and guidelines, modesty in all respects is to be promoted. Expectations of what can be worn may differ according to the event, function, or activity. However, the following standards and guidelines must be adhered to on all occasions.

- Jewellery and makeup rules apply.
- All clothing must be in good condition (not frayed or torn).
- Baggy pants that reveal underpants or boxer shorts above the waistband are not permitted.
- Garments with offensive logos or motifs must not be worn.
- T-shirts must not be cropped.
- Singlet tops are not permitted.
- Shoes must be flat and enclosed.
- Dresses/skirts with hemlines more than 5cm above the knee are not permitted.
- Modestly cut bathers are to be worn for swimming events. If deemed inappropriate by a staff member a Tshirt must be worn.
- For evening functions, strappy dresses/tops must be modestly cut.

Review Timeline

This policy was reviewed August 24 2024 by the Wellbeing Team and College Executive.

UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS – Foundation to Year 10	
GIRLS	BOYS
Summer Uniform F-10	Summer Uniform F-10
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dress – College blue check OR Shorts – navy tailored (Midford) • Top (with shorts) – - College polo top (<i>Foundation to Year 4</i>) - Light blue short-sleeve shirt (Midford) (<i>Year 5 to Year 10</i>) • College windcheater • White socks (long or short) • Black leather lace school shoes • College Backpack • College Navy broad brimmed or bucket hat 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shorts – grey elastic waist (Scags) • Top – - College polo top (Foundation to Year 4) - Light blue short-sleeve shirt (Midford) (Year 5 to Year 10) • College windcheater • Grey socks • Black leather school shoes • College backpack • College Navy broad brimmed or bucket hat
Winter Uniform F-10	Winter Uniform F-10
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Skirt – - Pinafore (Foundation to Year 4) - Tartan skirt (Year 5 to Year 10) OR Pant - Navy tailored slacks (Midford) -navy tailored short (Midford) • Top (with pant) - Light blue long sleeve shirt (Midford) • College tie (Year 5 to Year 10) • College windcheater • Navy tights or navy long socks • Black leather lace school shoes • College winter navy coat • College Backpack 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pant - grey trousers - grey shorts • Top - Light blue long sleeve shirt (Midford) • College tie (Year 5 to Year 10) • College windcheater • Grey socks • Black leather lace school shoes • College winter navy coat • College Backpack
Physical Education (PE) Uniform F-10	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● College navy track pants (two options available) OR College sport shorts ● College sport polo top ● Navy long sleeve under sport polo ● College windcheater (Foundation to Year 4) ● College Rugby top (Year 5 to Year 10) ● Short white socks (no logos) ● Runners (no skate, volleys or similar) 	

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UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS YEAR 11 - 12	
GIRLS	BOYS
Summer Uniform Y11 - Y12	Summer Uniform Y11 - Y12
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dress – College blue check OR • Shorts – navy tailored (Midford) • Top (with shorts) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - White short-sleeve shirt (Midford) • College Woolen Jumper • White socks (long or short) • Black leather lace school shoes • College Backpack • College Navy broad brimmed or bucket hat 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shorts – grey elastic waist (Scags) • Top – White short-sleeve shirt (Midford) • College Woolen Jumper • Grey socks • Black leather school shoes • College backpack • College Navy broad brimmed or bucket hat
Winter Uniform Y11 - Y12	Winter Uniform Y11 - Y12
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Skirt - Tartan skirt OR • Pants - Navy tailored slacks (Midford) • Top - White long sleeve shirt (Midford) • College tie • College Woolen Jumper • Navy tights or navy long socks • Black leather lace school shoes • College winter navy coat • College Backpack 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pant - grey trousers • Shorts – grey elastic waist (Scags) • Top - White long sleeve shirt (Midford) • College tie • College Woolen Jumper • Grey socks • Black leather lace school shoes • College winter navy coat • College Backpack
Physical Education (PE) Uniform Y11 - Y12	
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ST. MARY'S COLLEGE UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS

Girl's Summer Uniform

Item	Size	Price
SUMMER DRESS	6-14C	66.00
	2XS-M	68.00
	L-3XL	69.00
NAVY SHORTS ELASTIC BACK	4-16c	49.95
NAVY SHORTS TAILORED STRAIGHT LEG STRETCH	8A-24A	55.00
SKY BLUE POLO with logo Foundation-Year 4)	4-14C	29.95
MIDFORD SHORT SLEEVE SHIRT (Year 5-Year 10)	8-28	35.00
WINDCHEATER with College logo (Foundation – Year 10)	ALL SIZES	55.00
WHITE KNEE HIGH SOCKS 2 PK	ALL SIZES	15.95
WHITE ANKLE LENGTH SOCKS	3 PACK	15.95
NAVY HAT BUCKET OR BROAD BRIM with College Logo	ALL SIZES	15.00
COLLEGE BACKPACK	JNR	69.95
	SNR.	79.95

Girl's Winter Uniform

Item	Size	Price
PRIMARY PINAFORE (Foundations-Year 4)	6-10C	75.00
TARTAN SKIRT (Year 5- Year 10)	XXS-3XL	75.00
NAVY PANTS ELASTIC BACK	4-16	59.95
NAVY PANTS TAILORED STRAIGHT LEG STRETCH	8A-24A	65.00
MIDFORD LONG SLEEVE SHIRT (Foundation - Year10)	8-28	35.00
COLLEGE TIE (Year 5-Year 10)	One Size	25.00
WINDCHEATER with school logo (Foundation – Year 10)	ALL SIZES	55.00
NAVY TIGHTS	Jnr Lightweight	15.95
	Heavyweight	19.95
NAVY KNEE SOCKS 2 PK	ALL SIZES	15.95
WINTER JACKET	4-5XL	65.00

Boy's Summer Uniform

Item	Size	Price
GREY SHORTS (Foundation-Year 4)	6-14c	35.00
SENIOR SHORTS ZIP POCKET (Year 5-Year 10)	12-16C S-3XL	45.00
SKY BLUE POLO with College logo (Foundation-Year 4)	4-14C	29.95
MIDFORD SHORT SLEEVE SHIRT (Year 5- Year 10)	8-28	35.00
WINDCHEATER with College logo (Foundation – Year 10)	ALL SIZES	55.00
GREY ANKLE LENGTH SOCKS	3 PACK	15.95
NAVY HAT BUCKET OR BROAD BRIM with College Logo	ALL SIZES	15.00
COLLEGE BACKPACK	JNR.	69.95
	SNR	79.95

Boy's Winter Uniform

Item	Size	Price
GREY TROUSERS	Elastic Back	6-16c
	Junior & Senior	18A-32A
MIDFORD LONG SLEEVE SHIRT	8-28	35.00
COLLEGE TIE (Year 5- Year 10)	One Size	25.00
WINDCHEATER with College logo (Foundation – Year 10)	ALL SIZES	55.00
GREY ANKLE LENGTH SOCKS	3 PACK	15.95
WINTER JACKET	4-5XL	65.00

Unisex Sports Uniform

Item	Size	Price
NAVY SPORTS SHORTS M/FIBRE with SMC logo	6-3XL	29.95
NAVY TRACKPANTS CUFFED FLEECE with SMC logo (Foundation-Year4)	6-14C	35.00
	S-3XL	45.00
NAVY SPORTS TRACKPANTS CUFFED M/FIBRE with SMC Logo	6-14K	39.95
	S-3XL	45.00
NAVY/GOLD POLO TOP with College logo	4-3XL	35.00
WINDCHEATER with College logo (Foundation – Year 4)	ALL SIZES	55.00
SPORTS RUGBY TOP (Year 5 –Year 10)	ALL SIZES	90.00
SPORTS SOCKS WHITE	3 PACK	15.95

SHOP HOURS

Mon. -Fri. 9.00am – 5.30pm
Saturday 9.00am – 1.00pm

Prices applicable from February 1st 2022
Prices subject to change.