

# Uniform and Grooming Standards

Each family enrolling in the school receives a detailed copy of the uniform requirements. The enrolment form, which is signed by both parents, includes a condition which states that parents undertake to provide the child with the correct uniform approved by the school, and to ensure that the child is always sent to school neatly and modestly dressed in the required uniform. (Clause 4 of the conditions of enrolment).

Uniform requirements that are not met may result in school discipline until the issue can be resolved. Issues that cannot be resolved immediately, including if explained by a parent in writing, will need to be resolved by the next school day or as soon as possible.

Should parents have any difficulties in meeting these requirements, the matter needs to be discussed with the Form Teacher or Principal. Communications will be treated with utmost confidentiality.

## SUMMER AND WINTER UNIFORM

- Students wear summer uniform in Terms 1 and 4.
- Winter uniform is worn in Terms 2 and 3.
- This includes the physical Education (PE) uniform and Cadets uniform.
- Please note students who have PE in period 1 or who end the day with PE, can come to school or leave school in their PE uniform.
- Full school uniform must be worn properly by students as they travel to and from school.



GIRLS
<p><b>SUMMER</b>                      White school shirt with ECCS logo                      Navy school skirt                      White ankle height socks</p> <p><b>WINTER</b>                      School tartan skirt                      White school shirt with ECCS logo                      School tie                      Navy jumper with ECCS logo                      Navy tights or plain white school socks                      Plain navy scarf - optional</p> <p><b>SHOES</b>                      Black leather school shoes</p> <p><b>SPORT</b>                      School tracksuit (Winter)                      Blue school sport shorts                      School polo shirt                      Blue school sport socks                      Faction polo (Term 2 and 3)                      Cadet uniform (training days only)</p> <p><b>SPORTS SHOES</b>                      Athletic joggers/cross trainers</p>

BOYS
<p><b>SUMMER</b>                      Grey school shorts with belt                      White school shirt with ECCS logo                      Grey school socks</p> <p><b>WINTER</b>                      Grey trousers with belt                      White school shirt with ECCS logo                      School tie                      Navy jumper with ECCS logo                      Grey school socks                      Plain navy scarf - optional</p> <p><b>SHOES</b>                      Black leather school shoes</p> <p><b>SPORT</b>                      School tracksuit (winter)                      Blue school sport shorts                      School polo shirt                      Blue school sport socks                      Faction polo (Term 2 and 3)                      Cadet uniform (training days only)</p> <p><b>SPORTS SHOES</b>                      Athletic joggers/cross trainers</p>

## UNIFORM GUIDELINES

- Skirts should be no shorter than the width of four fingers above the knee when kneeling.
- Girls may not roll up their skirts.
- If skirt length is too short parents may be asked to purchase a new skirt.
- The school hat is part of the school uniform and it must be worn every school day.
- Other hats are not acceptable.
- Students' undergarments should not be visible at any time including tank tops, singlets, shorts, long sleeves, coloured underwear.
- Sports jacket is not allowed to be worn without the school jumper underneath on a cold day.
- In cold weather, students may layer thin warm shirts underneath their school uniform, but these must not be visible.
- Sports shoes need to have adequate arch support. Casual/skate shoes, canvas or basketball shoes of any nature are therefore not permitted.

## FACTION POLO FOR TERM 2 AND 3



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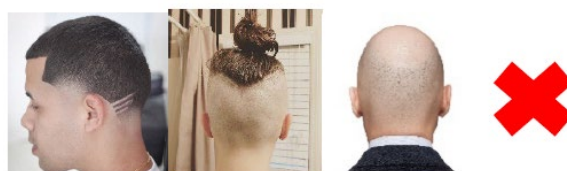
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## 'FREE DRESS DAY' CONDITIONS

- Students are not to wear clothing displaying any distasteful emblems or sexual references and swearing.
- Cigarette, alcohol, or drug advertisements on clothing is not permitted.
- No revealing clothing, short skirts, strapless shirts, or mini shorts are allowed.
- Students wearing inappropriate attire are required to be collected by their parents from the School Reception.

## HAIR

- Hairstyles should be neat and conservative with natural hair colour.
- Artificial reds, purples, blues etc. are not allowed.
- Students with longer than the shirt collar hair length must have it tied back using plain dark navy-blue hair ties such as headbands, elastics, clasps, or ribbons.
- Hair should not hang in or cover your eyes, hair should always be off the face.
- Undercuts and shaved patterns in the hair are not acceptable.
- Hair cut to a length of a number '1' is not acceptable.
- Facial hair must be shaved clean.
- The acceptability of any hairstyle is at the discretion of the Principal, and students will be expected to adjust their hairstyle without question if requested.



## JEWELERY

- Students are permitted to wear a plain wristwatch which is complimentary to the school uniform.
- Smart Watches are not permitted.
- Earrings: small, simple studs or sleepers that are gold or silver.
- Only one piercing is allowed in the lower ear lobe.
- All other visible ear or body piercings are unacceptable.
- Studs should be no larger than 5mm in diameter.
- No leniency will be shown to students who have extra visible piercing done during the school year.
- Use of band-aid, plug or other covers for piercings and tattoos is not acceptable. If in doubt, please check with your Form Teacher or Year Coordinator beforehand.



**Examples of acceptable earrings**

## OTHER

- Nail polish and artificial nails are not permitted.
- Tattoos are not permitted.

## PERSONAL HYGEINE

- All students are expected to come to school with clean hair and clean uniforms.
- The use of deodorant is highly recommended daily.
- The deodorant should not have an overpowering scent, rather it should be subtle and fresh.

## ABUSIVE SUBSTANCES AND GRAFFITI

Students may not bring alcohol, cigarettes, vapes, e-cigarettes, or other drugs onto the school site, nor have possession of them while in school uniform, at any school function or while representing the school.

Graffiti will not be tolerated. Violation will be treated seriously and may lead to expulsion, even for a first offence.

## PROHIBITED ITEMS

The following items may not be brought to school at any time:

- Alcohol, drugs, or cigarettes
- Any form of knife or weapon
- Chewing gum
- Laser pointers
- Any picture or written comment which may be offensive to others
- Sexually explicit magazines or videos
- Lighters, matches, firecrackers