Modifications and Exemptions

Students who, for cultural, religious or health reasons, may wish to modify the school dress code are required to make an appointment with the school administration. Staff will be informed of any student granted a modification to the dress code.

Students may also be exempted from wearing full school uniform if an item a particular student needs is temporarily unavailable from the Uniform Shop. Staff will be advised of this limited exemption. However, once the item of clothing is available at the Uniform Shop the exemption will cease.

Non-Compliance

Students not following the dress code may receive :-

- Counselling on the benefits of the dress code;
- Assistance/support in obtaining suitable clothing, if necessary;
- Approval for an agreed length of time to comply with the dress code.

Students not following the dress code may be denied the opportunity to represent their school at official school activities, which may include excursions, incursions, choir, sporting and social events.

Review of the Dress Code

The School Council endorsed the Dress Code for Students Policy on 16 May 2012.



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FOR STUDENTS

Introduction

The School Council of Mundaring Primary School has established a dress code for all students attending the school.

The School Council believes the Dress Code for Students:-

- Fosters and enhances the public image of the school:
- Assists in building school and community spirit;
- Ensures students are safely dressed for specific school activities:
- Encourages equity among students;
- Is cost effective as uniform clothing is generally cheaper to purchase than fashion clothing;
- Quickly identifies visitors on the school grounds;
- Prepares students for work, as many work places have dress and safety codes.

Availability of Dress Code Items

Items of clothing in designated school colours of gold and bottle green may be purchased through the P&C Association at the Uniform Shop. These items are of good quality, fade resistant, look smart and are easy to clean and maintain. The shirts and jumpers display the school logo on the top, front left-hand side.

Parents may purchase any item of the uniform from other suppliers.

Uniforms do not necessarily need to have the school logo however, the item of clothing purchased must be an approved style and the identical colour e.g. bottle green pleated sport skirts.

Second hand uniforms, subject to availability, may be available at the Uniform Shop.

Students whose families may experience financial difficulties regarding the purchase of a school uniform should contact the school administration to discuss the situation.

Uniform

Clothing displaying brand names, commercial logos and advertising is not acceptable.

- Summer Dress green check material, with zip front
- Gold Polo Shirt with green insert
- Gold Long Sleeve Polo twin stripe collar
- Faction Shirt with logo
- Shorts Mesh or Cargo bottle green.
- Skorts bottle green.
- Sports Skirt pleated, bottle green
- Skirt with shorts microfibre
- Flared Pants bottle green
- Track pants fleecy or microfibre bottle green
- Leisure Pants bottle green
- Jazz Pants bottle green
- Cargo Pants gabardine, bottle green
- Trackpant microfibre, bottle green, yellow piping
- Jacket microfibre, yellow insert and piping
- Rugby Jumper– fleecy, bottle green, school crest.
- Zip jacket fleecy, bottle green, school crest.
- Dry and Cosy Jacket
- Slouch Hat bottle green.

Girls should wear bottle green sports pants under the pleated sports skirt.

Footwear

The School Council encourages the wearing of footwear that provides appropriate protection for the feet. This includes closed in shoes such as sport shoes, school shoes or boots, and sandals that include support around the back of the ankle.

Ugg boots, thongs, masseur type scuffs, slides, backless sandals and shoes with a heel greater than 3cm are not acceptable for safety and practicality reasons. Sports footwear should be worn for all sporting activities. Kindergarten and pre-primary students may be directed to remove shoes for climbing activities.

Personal Appearance

- Students are to be clean and appropriately dressed for school.
- Short, clean nails are encouraged.
- Jewellery is inappropriate due to safety concerns and risk of loss. Earring studs and sleepers may be worn however, students may be directed to remove them for sporting activities.
- Make-up and nail polish is not permitted.
- Long hair, on or below the shoulders, must be tied back for health and safety reasons.
- The way in which the student wears the uniform is important eg garments should not be draped or tied around the waist or shoulders (except on the school oval), hats should be worn in the correct manner and not worn in the classroom.

Headwear

- The school has a 'no hat, shade play' policy where students without an appropriate hat are expected to remain in full shade for recess, lunch, physical education, sport and excursions.
- Wide-brimmed hats provide the best level of sun protection and are approved.
- Baseball hats are not acceptable.

Variations

- The Graduation Shirt will be in school colours and accepted as part of the school uniform. It may be worn by Year 6 and 7 students throughout the school year.
- Coloured faction t-shirts may be worn for weekly sport sessions and the Faction Carnival.

Student Council

Student Councillors are expected to set a positive example to the students at all times by adhering to the dress code and failure to do so may result in their membership being withdrawn.