



School Uniform Policy

FROM THE GOVERNING COUNCIL

At GPS we believe wearing a school uniform:

- ✓ promotes pride in our school
- ✓ reduces peer pressure
- ✓ encourages appropriate clothing for school activities
- ✓ makes students easily identifiable in the yard/on excursions
- ✓ promotes a sense of equity and inclusiveness

School Uniform colours are navy blue and gold and consist of the following items:

- ✓ School windcheater or jacket in plain navy blue Fleecey bootleg/track pants, cargo pants, dance pants or shorts in plain navy blue
- ✓ School polo shirt, short/long sleeve, or plain polo shirt in navy blue or gold
- ✓ Pinafore in school tartan with navy blue or gold
- ✓ Summer dress
- ✓ Skort (skirt and shorts combo)
- ✓ School coloured hair accessories

***Branded items of clothing are not considered school uniform even if they are school colours**

PLEASE LABEL ALL ITEMS OF CLOTHING

Hats

Bucket or slouch hats must be worn at all times when outside during Terms 1 & 4
Navy, unbranded, beanies can be worn in Terms 2 & 3

Footwear

Sensible footwear suitable for all school activities.

NO thongs, slippers, Crocs, ballet flats or platform/heeled shoes

Sports Day

Blue, red, yellow or green T-shirts or clothing

AS PART OF THE SCHOOL POLICY TO ENHANCE SAFETY, EQUITY AND INCLUSIVITY, THE FOLLOWING MUST NOT BE WORN TO SCHOOL:

- Brightly coloured hair (that draws attention unnecessarily)
- Midriff tops and tank tops – shoulders must always be covered to adhere to sun-safe guidelines
- Ripped clothing (patches acceptable)
- Mini skirts and brief shorts
- Denim clothing
- Thongs, slippers, ugg boots, and party shoes
- Makeup and nail polish
- Dangling earrings
- Necklaces
- Caps
- Beanies other than navy and unbranded

Non-compliance with the school's dress code will result in the following action:

- A warning will be passed on to the student by the teacher with an expectation that they be appropriately dressed the following day.
- Non-compliance the following day will be followed up with a note home and/or telephone conversation with parent by a senior staff member.
- Subsequent non-compliance will result in the child being asked to change into temporarily borrowed clothing from the uniform shop.

Parents in financial hardship need to meet with a senior staff member if they are unable to support the Dress Code Policy so that alternatives can be arranged.

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