

ARDEER PRIMARY SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICY

POLICY

The aim of the uniform dress code is to:-

- Further develop a sense of pride in, and identification with Ardeer Primary School
- Provide durable clothing that is cost effective and practical for our school environment.
- Maintain and enhance the positive image of the school in the local and wider community.

UNIFORM ITEMS

General Accessories

Short Sleeve Polo Shirt Bucket Hat- Navy Blue

Long sleeve Polo Shirt

Unisex Shorts- Navy Blue

Trackpants – Reinforced Knee Track Pants- Navy Blue

Bootleg Pants- Navy Blue

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Bomber Jacket

Rugby Top

Female

Skort

Summer Dress - Blue/White/Navy Check

All clothing should be clearly labelled.

IMPLEMENTATION

- 1. The wearing of school uniforms is compulsory for all students except where an exemption is given by the Principal.
- 2. Any student that attends school wearing incorrect school uniform due to unforeseen circumstances must have a note written by a parent/guardian or a Seesaw message explaining the reason for this.
- 3. If ongoing instances occur regarding the breach of the School Uniform Policy, parents will be contacted by the Assistant Principal or Principal.



- 4. All students will be asked to remove that incorrect article of clothing if it is a jacket or jumper and or may be provided with a replacement article of uniform to change into.
- 5. The acceptable school uniform should consist of a combination of items from the designated uniform list.
- 6. Students participating in inter-school sport and excursions will wear the appropriate uniform.
- 7. Uniforms are available from the onsite uniform shop at the school.
- 8. Arrangements can be made to supply uniforms via State Schools Relief for families experiencing economic hardship.
- 9. A special t-shirt for Grade 6 students will be available for purchase each year.
- 10. Guidelines relating to out of uniform days will be published in the newsletter or Compass prior to the event.
- 11. Wearing a hat (as prescribed in the uniforms list) is compulsory for all outdoor activities in Term 1 and 4.
- 12. Hair should be neat and well-groomed at all times. Hair should remain a natural colour. It is recommended that hair which is longer than shoulder length must be tied back at all times in line with our head lice management procedures.
- 13. Fashion jewellery is a health hazard during any physical activity and should not be worn to school. Stud earrings in pierced ears are an exception.
- 14. Make up and coloured nail polish are not to be worn except for approved school activities.
- 15. Closed shoes such as runners and black leather school shoes must be worn to school. Thongs and open toed sandals are not to be worn. Socks must be worn at all times.
- 16. Teachers will use their discretion to speak with students when incorrect school uniform is worn.
- 17. The monitoring of the school uniform policy should be the responsibility of school council with the day to day decisions to be at the discretion of the Principal.
- 18. On prescribed casual clothes days, students must wear clothing that is sunsmart. No singlet tops or shoulder less tops should be worn.

Enforcement of the Uniform policy is the responsibility of the Principal and supported by the staff.

REVIEW CYCLE

This policy was last updated in May 2022 and is scheduled for review in May 2024.