



# Wilmington Primary School

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## *Wilmington Primary School Uniform Policy*

### Rationale

In accordance with the Regulation under the Education Act, Wilmington Primary School (WPS) Governing Council has endorsed the policy of school uniform for all students. A school uniform for students provides:

- A means of identification with the school
- A sense of pride in belonging to this school
- Assistance in the provision of a safe school environment
- Cost effective durable clothing
- An opportunity for students to feel respect for themselves and others because of their positive image.

### Relevance

This policy applies to all students attending Wilmington Primary School, including excursions & school photographs.

### School uniform

Wilmington Primary School is a sun-safe school with a dress code that promotes safety and inclusiveness.

Students may wear any combination of the following items:

**Pants** – Maroon, Navy Blue, Black or Grey pants, tracksuit pants or leggings with minimal stripes or logo

**Shirt** – Maroon polo shirt with embroidered school logo available from WPS

**Jumper** – Maroon with or without school motif available from WPS

**Long sleeved top** – White, Grey, Black or Navy skivvy or long sleeved shirt may be worn under the school shirt

**Dress** – Maroon & White

**Skorts, Shorts** – Maroon, Navy Blue, Black or Grey sports, cotton or linen

**Hat** – Maroon bucket (Sun Smart approved) or broad brimmed hat (no cords) available from WPS Front Office to be worn in Terms 1,3 & 4. Preschool students to wear hats when the UV reading is above 3.

**Shoes** - Enclosed shoes or supportive sandals suitable for participating in fitness and PE

**Preschool students** – Yellow polo shirt

**Year 7 students** – May wear the school approved graduation shirt and jumper

If a uniform jumper is worn, the undergarment top must be a uniform item so that if the jumper is taken off, the student will still have a uniform top.

It is essential for Parents/Caregivers to clearly tag all uniform clothing with student names.

### Exclusions

In addition it must be noted that the following **must not** be worn:

- Damaged, torn clothing and hats
- Thongs, Crocs, Beach Sandals, Ugg boots, Baseball Caps
- Clothing that is not sunsmart – ie does not provide adequate coverage of shoulders, legs
- Make up and jewellery except for a watch, small plain earrings in ears

The school will contact Parents/Caregivers of students not abiding by the school policy.

### Exemptions

Students will have the opportunity to participate in themed, non uniform days as approved by the Principal.

### References - School Dress Code DECD

Reviewed and ratified by Wilmington Primary School Governing Council on 25<sup>th</sup> September 2017

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