



# Guideline/Procedure

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## College Uniform

### Purpose

At Good Counsel College, students are expected to maintain a high standard of dress and grooming which:

- presents an appropriate image of our school to the broader community and to each other.
- supports a positive atmosphere where study and learning can flourish.
- promotes school unity and pride.

The uniform must always be worn in full. Any unexpected deviation from the specified requirements must be accompanied with a note in the diary from a parent/carer.

### Application

Homeroom teachers are the first point of contact for parents regarding uniform. Homeroom teachers are also responsible for checking uniforms and following up non-compliance.

Leaders of Wellbeing and the Assistant Principal – Wellbeing will step in to offer further support to Homeroom teachers where appropriate.

### Procedure

#### Hats

- Hats are to be worn for sun safety purposes
- The hat must be maintained in good condition and in good shape, without writing or drawing on the outside or inside except for the student's name written on the inside.

#### Shoes

- Formal Shoes must be closed in, black leather, lace up formal school shoes (not jogger, skate, or flat soled)
- Sport shoes must be low cut, lace up sport or jogger style to offer support (no high tops, skate shoes, or flat soles).



*Formal school shoe  
(example)*

#### Hair

- Hair should be a natural colour
- Long hair must be tied back; adornments must be blue or white, limited in number and not conspicuous
- Student's hair-cuts should be neat and off the collar
- Extreme hairstyles are not permitted (this includes significant changes in length)
- Boys should be clean shaven.

#### Jewellery, Makeup & Nails

- Students are permitted a fine gold or silver chain with a small cross or religious medal
- Students may wear one pair of thin gold or silver sleepers, or small gold or silver studs (in ear lobes only)
- No other body piercings, clear fillers or covered piercings are permitted
- Fake / acrylic nails are not permitted
- Makeup should be kept to a minimum
- Visible tattoos are not permitted.

*If cultural traditions conflict with these regulations, see the relevant Leader of Wellbeing.*

### **Free Dress**

There are times when the College uniform is not required such as camps, retreats, free dress days, and other carnivals/events. On these days, clothing must comply with workplace health and safety. All shirts must have sleeves and shorts/skirts should be moderate in length. Hats must be worn when appropriate and shoes must be closed in. Offensive slogans or logos are not permitted.

## **Compliance & Consequences**

Repeated non-compliance of uniform after parental contact may result in consequences such as a uniform support card, afterschool detention, or an interview with the College Leadership Team. Such consequences are to be administered by Leaders of Wellbeing or members of the College Leadership Team.

## **Enquiries**

Enquiries about this policy must be made with the *Assistant Principal – Wellbeing*.

## **See Also**

Please see overleaf for full list of uniform requirements for students.

## Formal Uniform Requirements

YEAR 7 to 10 GIRLS		YEAR 7 to 10 BOYS	
<b>Skirt:</b>	Navy blue with inverted pleats	<b>Shorts:</b>	Navy adjustable waist belt loop shorts worn above knee
<b>Skort:</b>	Navy blue with inverted pleats		
<b>Blouse:</b>	Sky blue and white stripe with navy piping trim; embroidered College emblem on pocket	<b>Shirt:</b>	Sky blue and white stripe with navy piping trim; embroidered College emblem on pocket
<b>Tie:</b>	Navy blue buttoned tie		
<b>Jacket:</b>	Navy with College emblem		
<b>Socks:</b>	White College socks with sky blue stripes	<b>Socks:</b>	Long navy with two sky blue bars
<b>Shoes:</b>	Black leather lace up formal school shoes (no jogger/skate style or prominent logos) with minimum 2cm defined heel		
<b>Hat:</b>	College bucket or formal hat		
<b>Stockings:</b>	Optional; if worn they are to be black		
SENIOR GIRLS		SENIOR BOYS	
<b>Skirt:</b>	Navy blue with inverted pleats	<b>Shorts:</b>	Navy adjustable waist belt loop shorts worn above knee
<b>Skort:</b>	Navy blue with inverted pleats		
<b>Blouse:</b>	Fine blue and white pin stripe with navy piping trim; embroidered College emblem on pocket	<b>Shirt:</b>	Fine blue and white pin stripe with navy piping trim; embroidered College emblem on pocket
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<b>Hat:</b>	College bucket or formal hat		
<b>Stockings:</b>	Optional; if worn they are to be black		

## Sport Uniform Requirements – to be worn on Wednesday only

ALL STUDENTS	
<b>Shirt:</b>	Sport shirt with College logo
<b>Shorts:</b>	Navy sports shorts with College logo
<b>Socks:</b>	White College school sports socks with coloured bars
<b>Shoes:</b>	Low cut, lace up, supported sports shoe (no high tops or slip-ons)
<b>Hats:</b>	College bucket or formal hat

## Other Requirements

*College bag – purchased from the uniform shop*