



Uniform Policy

UNIFORM RATIONALE:

- St Patrick's Catholic School's compulsory school uniform is to be worn by pupils attending the school to promote a positive school image.

PURPOSES:

- To help develop pride in oneself and in the school.
- To assist the development of a corporate spirit.
- To assist with ease of identification when out of the school.

GUIDELINES:

- All children are expected to wear the correct school uniform.
- Sun Hats - The students will wear blue school hats when outside during terms 1 and 4. Children not wearing the regulation school hat will have to stay in the shade when outside.
- Children may wear the old school uniform until December 2016.
- The uniform will be available through the school office.
- If a child is not wearing a regulation school uniform, a note should be sent to the class teacher giving the reasons.
- If no note is provided, the class teacher will issue a uniform notice to inform parents/caregivers that their child is out of uniform.
- If, in the opinion of the principal, insufficient reasons are given for the lack of uniform, then parents/caregivers will be notified and requested to comply with the school policy.
- In a case of financial hardship, the Board of Trustees will be called upon to consider giving assistance.
- Variations to the uniform are at the discretion of the principal/Board.

Appendix 1

Our children will leave our school continuing to be faithful, responsible and lifelong learners.

New Uniform	Old Winter Uniform	
<p>Boys: Grey school shorts or trousers Navy polo shirt Navy jumper</p> <p>Girls: Tartan skirt Navy polo shirt or white blouse Navy jumper</p> <p>Shoes: Black shoes / Black Sandals</p> <p>Jacket: Black school jacket</p> <p>Socks/stockings: Navy for girls, grey for boys.</p>	<p>Boys: Grey shorts or blue track pants Grey school shirt</p> <p>Girls: Tartan pinafore or blue track pants Navy or white skivvy</p> <p>Jacket: Navy polar fleece</p> <p>Shoes: Black shoes</p> <p>Socks/stockings: Navy for girls, grey for boys.</p> <tr> <th data-bbox="777 642 1471 710">Old Summer Uniform</th> </tr> <p>Boys: Grey shorts Grey school shirt</p> <p>Girls: School checked blue dress</p> <p>Jacket: Navy polar fleece</p> <p>Shoes: Black or brown roman sandals</p>	Old Summer Uniform
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<p>Sports uniform</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pale blue sports polo shirt • Plain black sports shorts • Trainers 		
<p>Hair Shoulder length or longer hair should be tied back at all times, with black or navy hair ties/hair bands.</p> <p>Jewellery, makeup and undergarments Students are not to wear nail polish or make-up. Permitted items of jewellery are: crosses, pounamu, watches, plain stud earrings or small sleepers. Undergarments are not to be visible. Girls may wear black or navy bike pants under their skirt. In winter, black or navy thermals may be worn under school uniform.</p>		

Review schedule: Triennially

