

Student Appearance Guidelines

Hairstyles

The general expectation regarding hairstyle for both girls and boys is that they will be neat, clean, and tidy, as determined by the College. Hairstyles should not be extreme or designed to draw attention to the student. The following guidelines have been determined to implement this general expectation while giving give students some agency about their preferred hairstyle. Any students considering changing their hairstyle or hair colour and are doubtful as to how it would be accepted at the College, should first seek approval from the appropriate teacher (Years R-6) or Year Level Coordinator (Years 7-12).

In the interests of occupational health and safety, and to facilitate good classroom practice the following apply.

- No student should have hair hanging over their eyes at any time. Hair should be secured off the face without requiring handling. For students R-6 with hair that is below shoulder length, they must have all hair tied back completely. Hair is shoulder length when it sits beneath the lowest part of the collar.
- For a short all-over cut the minimum acceptable length is that of a number two cut.
- Hair colour is not to be changed so that it is noticeably different from a natural hair colour.
- Students may be asked to tie long hair back (for example in Science, Physical Education and Technology).
- Only white, black, grey, or cardinal red ribbons, combs or College issued hair garments may be worn in the hair.

Make-up, Jewellery and Other

- Make-up is not to be worn at school in Years R-9. Only light, natural looking, make-up can be worn in the Years 10-12.
- Nail polish, false nails and false eyelashes are not to be worn (R-12).
- A plain light chain with a small cross may be worn around the neck.
- Visible tattoos are not permitted.
- One simple stud or sleeper may be worn in the lower part of each ear lobe. However, all other visible piercings must not be worn. Students in Years 7-12 who have additional piercings may wear an inconspicuous clear plastic spacer only. At times, for Workplace Health and Safety reasons all piercings will be asked to be removed.
- Students are to be clean-shaven.

Junior Years (R-6) Compulsory Items

Girls

- Short sleeved shirt with two-piece collar or dress
- Grey shorts, trousers, or skirt (dress length at the knee) or College dress (dress length at the knee)
- Black leather lace up shoes (heel may not be more than 2.5cm high, sports style shoes and leisure footwear e.g., Converse shoes are not acceptable)
- Grey or white College crew socks with cardinal red trim (to be worn above the ankle with trim showing)
- College grey bucket hat (Terms 1, 3 and 4)
- Soft-shell jacket

Boys

- Short sleeved shirt with two-piece collar
- Grey shorts or trousers
- Black leather lace up shoes (heel may not be more than 2.5cm high, sports style shoes and leisure footwear e.g., Converse shoes are not acceptable)
- Grey College crew socks with cardinal red trim (to be worn above the ankle with trim showing)
- College grey bucket hat (Terms 1, 3 and 4)
- Soft-shell jacket

Optional Items

- Boys long sleeved shirt
- Girls long sleeved shirt or blouse with roll collar
- Boys long sleeved shirt
- College black puffer vest
- College cardinal red cable knit jumper (Junior School)
- Girls grey skirt
- Unisex cardinal red polo shirt
- Girls' cardinal red polo dress (dress length at the knee)
- Reception and Year 1 students only: Black school shoes with Velcro or buckles (the heel may not be more than 2.5cm high). * Replacement shoes purchased in Year 1 must be black lace-up school shoes.
- Black stockings

Sport and House Uniform

Years R-12

Students will have more specialised and vigorous H&PE lessons. When the day for each practical class is known, students are to wear their Sport Uniform to school for those days only. This also applies to the Advanced Athlete Development Program.

Years 7-12

Students who are trying out or practising for interschool sports are allowed to wear their Sport uniform on that day. Try outs and training schedules can be accessed via Student Notices on SEQTA.

Middle and Senior Years (7-12) Guidelines

- The skirt or dress should be no shorter than the top of the kneecap when standing.
- College blazer is to be worn to and from school as well as Chapel and Assembly, during Term 2 and 3 and as required for other events such as College photo days, excursions and formal events.
- A tie must be worn in Terms 2 and 3 if wearing the short or long sleeve shirt.
- Black leather lace up shoes (shoes should not be sports style or leisure footwear e.g., Converse/Vans/Nike).
- Grey or white College crew socks with cardinal red trim (to be worn above the ankle with trim showing).
- College black bucket hat (Terms 1, 3 and 4).

Casual Clothes Dress Code

On occasions students are permitted to wear casual clothing for school events such as fundraising days and camps. On these days, students are expected to dress in casual attire that is sun-safe and appropriate for the school environment, including enclosed footwear.