

ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



School Uniform Guidelines

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INTRODUCTION:

School-based guidelines are not variations to CEWA Executive Directives. They enact contextual decisions and have the legal obligations of the CEWA policy for people acting under the authority of the principal. Guidelines are used when there are multiple ways of correctly delivering on a task and there is a need to take environment, situational and discretion into account in deciding the appropriate course of action.

Please note the document is to be read in conjunction with the CECWA Policy Community and the Executive Directive – Student Safety, Wellbeing and Behaviour

PURPOSE

Assumption's uniform is tangible evidence of the standards expected of students and plays an important role in promoting a positive image of the school. The uniform supports all students to participate fully in school life and helps create a sense of identity and school culture.

Wearing the school uniform is compulsory. Parents indicate their support of the school uniform on their child's enrolment form.

GUIDELINES

The school uniform must be worn appropriately and with pride by students during school hours, travelling to and from school, out in the community such as shopping centres and as directed for school functions.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

Girls and Boys Summer Sport Uniform

Blue school polo shirt and faction shirt for House events with school crest.

Blue school shorts with ACPS embroidered on short leg

White school socks with coloured bands

Sport shoes, predominantly white (White laces only)

Girls and Boys Winter Sport Uniform

School track pant and zip up jacket with school crest
Blue school sport shirt and faction shirt for House events with school crest
White school socks with coloured bands
Sport shoes predominantly white (White laces only)

Girls Summer Uniform

School dress (knee length) OR
Assumption school shirt with crest and navy Assumption shorts
White school socks with bands
Black leather polished shoes

Boys Summer Uniform

Grey Assumption shorts, worn on waist
Assumption school shirt with crest
Grey school socks
Black leather polished shoes

Girls Winter Uniform

Assumption school shirt with crest and tie
Check winter dress (knee length) OR navy Assumption pants
School jumper with crest
School rain jacket (Can be worn to and from school and not as a substitute for the jumper)
White school socks or grey school tights
Black leather polished shoes

Boys Winter Uniform

Grey long trousers worn at the waist
Grey school socks
Assumption school shirt with school crest and school tie
School rain jacket (Can be worn to and from school and not as a substitute for the jumper)
School jumper with crest
Black leather polished shoes

GENERAL

- School hats are compulsory except in the months starting with J (June and July) in accordance with the Cancer Council guidelines
- School backpacks are compulsory for Pre Primary to Year Six
- Pre Kindy and Kindy students can wear a school t – shirt worn with school shorts if they wish
- Pre Primary children wear the sports uniform all year around
- Year Six students may wear Graduation jackets; if ordered
- On 'Free Dress Days', clothes and footwear need to be appropriate to the occasion and hair must be tied up and off the face
- Black sneakers are not acceptable footwear
- The fleece vest with school logo and navy blue scarf is optional
- School navy blue bathers with blue inset (optional)

GROOMING

Students are expected to show pride in themselves and their school by paying attention to their personal appearance.

- Clothing should be clean and in a good state of repair
- Nail polish and makeup is not permitted
- Clear lip balm/gloss may be worn

Hair

- Shoulder length or longer hair is to be tied back
- Hair is to be tidy and away from the face
- Hair accessories must be in school colours
- When wearing the faction coloured shirt, hair accessories can match the colour of the faction shirt. (Block colours only)
- Any change in hair colour should be a natural toning
- Hairstyles are to be moderate and not extreme. Only haircuts in number 2 or above are permitted. (Number one haircuts or chiselled pattern hair styles are considered extreme. Unacceptable hairstyles include undercuts, dreadlocks, cut outs, mohawks, rats tails, mullet)
- No hair wraps and or bead/coloured braiding. (Unless culturally appropriate)

Jewellery

The only jewellery permitted is

- Wristwatch (Smartwatches are not to be used as per iPad code of conduct.)
- Earrings: Small sleepers or plain studs – one only in the lobe of each ear
- One chain with a religious symbol, to be worn under clothing
- Rings, bracelets, wristbands, loombands and the like are not permitted

The Leadership Team reserves the right to determine the suitability of an individual's grooming.

All uniforms, except shoes, are to be purchased through Perm A Pleat at 2/76 Reserve Drive, Mandurah.

Second hand purchases must have the school crest and adhere to the same guidelines as stipulated in the policy above.

Please note: Permission to vary from the uniform stipulation must be sought from the Principal. If these guidelines are not followed, parents will be sent an email or Seesaw message from the classroom teacher through SEQTA. If a student receives three messages within a term, parents will be called in for a meeting. The Principal reserves the right to send a student home to rectify their uniform.