

## Uniform Code

### RATIONALE

School Uniforms have been compulsory at Templestowe Park Primary School (TPPS) since 1991. A uniform code reinforces in students a sense of pride in their own appearance, instills recognition of themselves as an integral part of the school community, and assists in developing a sense of pride in representing their school. Issues of equality, health and safety as well as expense are also factors that contribute to the establishment of the dress code.

Appropriate fitting clothes (comfortable and non-revealing) must be worn that are appropriate to the age of primary school students.

### Summer

- School summer dress
- School short sleeve pale blue polo shirt
- Navy skorts (not netball skirts) or culottes
- Navy shorts
- Plain white, light blue or navy socks

### Winter

- School tunic/pinafore
- School long sleeve pale blue polo shirt
- Pale blue skivvy (to be worn under the winter tunic ONLY)
- Navy track pants
- School navy windcheater/bomber jacket
- Plain white, light blue, navy socks
- Navy tights or navy full length leggings (to be worn under the winter tunic ONLY)

### Sport Shirt (optional)

- Interschool Sport for Grades 5-6.
- Grades 1-6 - can be worn during PE, sports days and special sports days.

### Shoes

- Black shoes.
- Black sports shoes (runners).
- Please note that slip on shoes are not acceptable.
- Coloured runners can only be worn on sport days.

### Headwear

- During term 1 and 4, the school's SunSmart Policy requires students to wear TPPS hats whenever outdoors - orange for preps, navy for other grade levels.
- TPPS slouch hat - navy blue (Grades 1-6 only).
- TPPS legionnaire hat- navy blue (Grades 1-6) and orange (Prep).
- Optional winter beanie, orange for preps, navy (plain) for all other students.

### General Presentation

- Stud earrings and sleepers worn in the ears, plus watches are the only acceptable jewellery.
- Cosmetics are not be worn at school.
- Hairbands / hair ties in school colours (light blue, dark blue, orange or white)
- Long hair to be preferably tied up / back.

This policy was last updated in July 2019 and is scheduled for review in July 2024.