



# MARANGAROO PRIMARY SCHOOL

## Uniform Policy

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### Rationale

All students in Western Australia attending government schools are required to wear a school uniform.

There is an agreed expectation from the school community and staff that all children (Kindergarten to Year 6) will wear the school uniform. Students are expected to comply with this Students Uniform Policy during school hours and when attending school activities.

Marangaroo Primary School values the wearing of a school uniform as a tool to promote a sense of identity and belongingness in our school community.

Wearing our uniform reflects pride in our school and ensures students are appropriately dressed in sun-smart, functional clothing to allow them to participate in educational activities.

The Student Uniform Policy aims to assist with the following:

- Develop a strong sense of school spirit and pride.
- Gives students a sense of belonging
- Ensure the personal safety of students by allowing easier recognition of students in the community.
- Encourage equality amongst students.
- Is cost effective for parents and care givers.

### Purpose

Marangaroo Primary School's dress code has been developed to achieve the following outcomes:

- To provide families of MPS with a uniform policy that is safe and appropriate for school activities, provides some choice, is affordable for caregivers, and considers sun safety.

- To outline appropriate processes for exemption or modification in relation to student health, cultural factors, or any other matter that the principal deems as warranted to exempt a student from the dress code requirements.

## **Standards**

The full list of Marangaroo Primary School's school uniform items is available in Appendix A to this Policy. Our uniform supplier is Wanneroo Uniforms, Unit 1/16 Prindiville Drive, Wangara.

## **Hair and Sun Safety**

- Hair *shoulder-length and longer* must be tied back for health and safety reasons.
- Coloured hairspray is allowed for carnivals only and must be applied at home.
- Broad-brimmed/bucket hats must be worn outside unless under a permanent shelter structure. Marangaroo Primary has a "NO HAT, NO PLAY" Policy.
- Hats are not to be worn inside.
- Caps are not suitable sun safety for school.

## **Jewellery and Cosmetics**

- Jewellery should be discreet and minimal to comply with Occupational Health and Safety regulations. Sleepers/studs in the ear are preferred.
- Smart watches are to be switched to 'airplane mode' or silent. Calls and messages are not to be answered.
- Regular watches are allowed with any alarms silenced.
- Medical bracelets are permitted
- No makeup.

## **Footwear**

- Shoes, sneakers or plain low sandals, strapped to the foot.
- Flat, closed in shoes are appropriate.
- Safety is important. Thongs or slip on footwear are inappropriate for school.

## **General**

- Items displaying the school logo are preferred. Items with other logos are not part of the Uniform Policy. Plain blue uniform pieces are acceptable.
- Board shorts, sports shorts, skate pants, hoodies and similarly styled garments are not suitable.
- School uniforms should be clearly marked with your child's name. Students are responsible for their own items of clothing. A lost property basket is located in the undercover area.

**Excursions:**

- Unless otherwise stated, students will be expected to wear full school uniform on excursions for safety and identification.

**Process for not wearing correct uniform (Non-compliance)**

- Teacher to discuss with student
- Contact parents to seek an explanation re: not wearing correct uniform (email)
- Parents contacted by Administration for continued non-compliance



## Appendix A

Item	Expected	Not Expected
<b>Shirt</b>	MPS School polo shirt with logo White/Black/Blue undershirt	Only the Marangaroo PS shirt is acceptable
<b>Pants</b>	Royal blue shorts or track pants	Bike pants or activewear
<b>Skort/Skirt</b>	Royal blue skort/skirt	Skort/skirt that is not royal blue
<b>Tights</b>	Blue/Black under dress or skirt	Leggings
<b>Jackets/Jumpers</b>	MPS royal blue zip jacket with logo Royal blue jumper	Jackets or jumpers NOT in royal blue. Hoods not to be worn during school time
<b>Footwear</b>	Shoes, sneakers or sandals that are strapped to the foot	Thongs/slides/heels
<b>Hats</b>	MPS hat Royal Blue broad brimmed hat	Caps
<b>Hair</b>	Hair shoulder length (Male and Female) to be tied back	
<b>Jewellery/Make Up</b>	Discreet jewellery Studs or sleepers.	Make-up Long Earrings
<b>Hair</b>	Hair shoulder length or longer needs to be tied back (Male and Female)	
<b>PE</b>	MPS faction shirts	
All items should be marked clearly so that they can be returned if lost and found		

