

## Holy Trinity School Uniform and Presentation Code

On accepting a place at our school families agree to adhering to:

- "4.1 The School has a clearly enunciated uniform, presentation and grooming code. All students are expected to wear the uniform as designated and keep to the presentation and grooming standards. Parents and Carers are expected to support the School by re-enforcing the uniform, presentation and grooming standards with the students.
- 4.2 Details of these requirements are provided at the time of enrolment and can be obtained from the School Office.
- 4.3 The School reserves the right to judge and legislate on any matter of uniform, grooming or presentation. Decisions of the School are final."

The school uniform identifies the school within the community and develops a sense of school spirit and belonging within the student body. Uniforms identify our students for their own safety on and off site and the health and safety of students when involved in school activities. Some specific uniform requirements, such as shoes, hair and jewellery, are directly related to student safety.

The wearing of correct school uniform is compulsory and students are expected to arrive wearing it daily. A note is required if a student is not in correct uniform. Parents/carers are asked to ensure that each item of clothing is clearly labelled.

Uniform is checked regularly by class teachers and the Leadership Team. Students who consistently do not comply with the school uniform requirements may be prevented from participating in the following activities:

- Attendance at school events
- Participation in representative sport and extra-curricular activities
- Other activities as determined by the School Executive

## **Uniform Requirements**

All items must be purchased from the School Uniform Shop, which is run by Alinta and is located next to the school canteen. Full details of the opening hours, requirements and prices are available on their website: <a href="www.alintaapparel.com.au">www.alintaapparel.com.au</a>. A paper copy of the uniform information may also be obtained from the School Office

All students are required to wear enclosed black leather or strong vinyl school shoes. Shoes should have substantial soles (ie: a thumb tack would not cause injury to the wearer). Shoes should have laces or a buckle or similar mechanism. Riding boot style black boots are acceptable in early years. High top shoes are not acceptable. Slip on shoes such as ballet

flats and canvas shoes are not acceptable. On sports days students are required to wear supportive sport shoes. They should have laces or a similar mechanism.

All students are required to wear the school hat (or cap for Secondary students).

Dress lengths must be appropriate for both summer and winter uniforms. Shorter dress lengths are not permitted.

Year 10 may wear their jerseys in lieu of their school jacket or jumper.

Swimming costumes must be modest and a one piece for girls.

Any articles of clothing worn under the uniform must not be visible. This includes hoodies.

For PE in Secondary, students may wear their sports uniform, Year 6 t-shirt, Diocesan clothing or clothing close to our school colours. No tights are allowed.

In addition to the school sports uniform, there may be specific requirements for participation in some sports such as shin pads, mouth guards and football socks. Details are given to parents by the team manager or teacher.

## **Presentation Requirements**

Hair, which is shoulder length or long enough should be tied back for safety reasons. Haircuts should be neat. Unacceptable styles include but not limited to: motifs cut into hair, dreadlocks, cuts under Number 2 blades, rats tails and unnatural colours. Students with unacceptable cuts/styles/colours which are not in keeping with the school image may be asked to work from home until the cut has grown, or cut or the colour removed. Hair accessories such as ribbons, scrunchies, headbands etc should be discreet and in the school colours of blue or white.

Acceptable jewellery includes plain studs or sleepers maximum two per ear for girls, one plain ring, simple chain worn inside the uniform, one bangle/bracelet and one watch. Unacceptable jewellery include earrings for boys and facial piercings.

Makeup should be limited and natural tones only. Nails should be short and natural polish only.