



MARY IMMACULATE PRIMARY SCHOOL

*A dynamic and caring community committed to enacting our faith; challenging and engaging lifelong learners
(excellence, integrity, inclusiveness, respect)*

Uniform Policy

Rationale

In line with our School Vision Statement and Student Wellbeing Policy, the wearing of the correct school uniform promotes in our students a sense of identity and belonging, self-respect, and respect for our school. Wearing the correct school uniform neatly and with pride, also presents a positive image of our school to the wider community. This Policy specifies the approved school uniform that all students at Mary Immaculate Primary School are expected to wear on a daily basis.

Purpose

The Mary Immaculate Primary School 'Uniform Policy' provides clear guidelines to all members of the school community about the approved school uniform:

- to provide safe, comfortable and durable clothing that is cost effective and practical for our school environment and activities
- to ensure an acceptable standard of neatness and comfort is maintained by students
- to promote equality amongst all students
- to further develop a sense of belonging and pride in our school
- to maintain and enhance the positive image of the school in the wider community.

Scope

The uniform guidelines contained in this Policy apply to all students in all year levels.

Implementation

- Students are to wear their full and approved school uniform to school each day, unless otherwise notified
- It is expected that all parents will support the Mary Immaculate School 'Uniform Policy'
- Parents will be advised when it is time to change from the summer to winter uniform (and vice versa)
- The sports uniform is only to be worn on the Physical Education specialist day (Thursdays), the individual class' sport days, interschool sport days (Years 5 & 6) and for special sports events/clinics
- White or white/forest sport socks only, are to be worn as part of the sports uniform (not black or those with branding/logos)
- The new navy and green panelled polo shirts, track pants and bomber jacket become compulsory wearing as part of our sports uniform, for all students in Years P-6, from the beginning of the 2020 school year
- The bomber jacket may be worn with the winter or summer uniform over the school jumper for extra warmth on cold days, but it must not replace the school jumper
- Students must wear black leather school shoes (Velcro, lace up or T-bar) with the summer and winter uniform; runners (black or otherwise) are not to be



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worn with the summer or winter uniform – students may bring their runners and change into them for any special sport training sessions

- Year 6 students may wear their rugby jumper over their winter, summer and sport uniforms
- Girls may choose to wear the bottle green boyleg briefs or bike shorts under their dress or tunic
- Parents are to contact their child's classroom teacher at the start of the day if there is a genuine reason for their child to be out of uniform, informing the teacher of the reason and when the student will return to wearing the correct uniform
- Class teachers will contact a student's parents if they have any concerns about the wearing of the approved school uniform
- Being a SunSmart School, MIPS has a 'no hat, no play' policy and all students are to wear their school sunhat when outside from September to May
- All uniform items are to be clearly labelled with child's name
- Uniform items are purchased online from RHSports (www.rhsports.com.au) – see attached flyer
- The MIPS second-hand uniform shop is located in the tuckshop and is run by parent volunteers for a session each week (parents are notified through the school newsletter of the opening times)
- Jewellery items – only small, plain stud earrings or sleepers can be worn in pierced ears; watches may be worn (not Apple watches); special religious necklaces or pendants may be worn; bracelets and anklets are not permitted
- Hair longer than the top of the collar must be tied back in a plain band/school colours
- Nail polish and other cosmetic/makeup are not to be worn.

SUMMER UNIFORM ITEMS

BOYS	GIRLS
White short sleeved shirt - school logo	Summer dress
Grey shorts	Bottle green knitted jumper - school logo
Bottle green knitted jumper - school logo	White socks
Grey socks	Black leather school shoes
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WINTER UNIFORM ITEMS

BOYS	GIRLS
White long sleeve shirt- school logo	White long sleeve shirt- school logo
Grey pants	Winter tunic or grey pants
Bottle green knitted jumper - school logo	Bottle green knitted jumper - school logo
Grey socks	White socks or bottle green tights
Black leather school shoes	Black leather school shoes

SPORT UNIFORM ITEMS

BOYS & GIRLS
Short or long sleeve panelled polo shirt – school logo
Bizcool forest shorts
Bottle green track pants with cuff & zips
Bottle green bomber jacket – school logo
White or white/forest socks
Runners



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ACCESSORIES

Bottle bucket hat – school logo
Bottle green library folio - school logo
Bottle green school bag - school logo
Art smock
<u>Optional items:</u>
Bottle green beanie - school logo
Bottle waterproof jacket – school logo
Bottle green boyleg briefs or bike shorts

Policy Review

The Uniform Policy will be reviewed as required.

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