

# WEST MELTON SCHOOL

## SCHOOL UNIFORM GUIDELINES



### Rationale:

- The Board of Trustees strongly support the wearing of the school uniform.
- The school uniform will give the children a sense of belonging and provide a unifying and equitable standard of dress so students can learn comfortably.

### Purpose:

1. To give pupils a sense of belonging.
2. To eliminate competition.
3. To ensure that clothing is safe and appropriate for the usual range of school activities.
4. To give families reasonably priced school wear.

### Guidelines:

On enrolment parents are asked to give an undertaking that they will abide by the school policies. Parents will be given a brochure noting uniform requirements.

On the part of the school we will ensure that:

1. The cost of uniforms to be kept reasonable.
  2. The dress code, which can be revised at any time, will set out specific uniform codes for boys and girls and is attached to this policy.
  3. Second hand uniforms are available.
- Articles of Clothing unacceptable for school wear: Jandals, jeans, tight skirts, all jewellery, except studs and watches, and other clothing deemed unsafe or offensive.
  - Long Hair to be tied up due to Health & Safety reasons

### Conclusion:

This policy will help achieve our aim to improve self-esteem of our students. It is expected that all students in our school will wear this uniform.

# SCHOOL UNIFORM CODE

Our School uniform is as follows:

## **GIRLS - Girls uniform will consist of:**

- Navy poly viscose culottes (pleated)
- Navy with gold trim short sleeved polo top with school logo
- Navy poly cotton tunic style sweatshirt with school logo
- Navy poly cotton track pants or taslon navy pants.
- Polar Fleece jacket (gold collar)
- Navy Slouch Sun Hat (Terms 1 & 4)
- Navy polypropylene under polo top T 2/3 only
- Navy / Black / white socks
- Navy Beanies (available from the Friends of West Melton School)
- Footwear can be blue, brown or black school shoes, sports shoes or sandals

## **BOYS - Boys uniform will consist of:**

- Navy poly cotton track pants or taslon pants.
- Navy drill shorts (long leg style)
- Navy with gold trim short sleeved polo top with school logo
- Navy tunic style poly cotton sweatshirt with school logo
- Polar Fleece jacket (gold collar)
- Navy Slouch Sun Hat (Terms 1 & 4)
- Navy polypropylene under polo top 2/3 only
- Navy /black / white socks
- Navy Beanies (available from the Friends of West Melton School)
- Footwear can be blue, brown or black school shoes, sports shoes or Sandals

## **Year 7 / 8 – Alternative Uniform**

- Navy hooded sweatshirt
- Navy/gold dri-gear polo top
- Taslon Shorts (no logos)
- Navy Bucket Sun Hat ( Terms 1 & 4)

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