



Two Wells Primary School Uniform Policy

In 1993 State Government gave Governing Councils the power to determine policy on School Dress within their schools.

Vision

- All students will wear the designated school uniform with pride.
- School morale will be maintained.
- Peer pressure on students to compete will be limited.

School Dress Code

The school colours are Maroon, Black and White – solid colours only.

- Tops (jumpers, T-shirts – long and short sleeved) - white or maroon. Long sleeved t-shirts worn under the school t-shirt must be plain black, white or maroon.
- Bottoms – (long and short pants, skirts, leggings) - black.
- Dress – maroon checked dress.
- Year 7 students may wear the grey Year 7 Graduation t-shirt and/or jumper.

Hats:

- A sun safe hat is required when outdoors as per Skin Protection Policy.

Footwear:

- Enclosed footwear including sandals will qualify as acceptable footwear. Students need to be able to safely participate in physical activity.

Jewellery:

- Body piercings, with the exception of ears, are not acceptable for safety reasons.
- Acceptable jewellery for school is a watch and small sleepers/studs in ears. No other jewellery is to be worn at school. Students are allowed to wear VIP bands.

Hair & Makeup:

- Except on special occasions e.g. sports day, brightly coloured hair (pink, blue, purple etc) is not acceptable for school.
- Make-up including nail varnish for students is not acceptable at school. Spray deodorants are also not acceptable at school (as per DECS OHSW regulations).

Other requirements:

- No specific brand of clothing is required however clothing bearing large logos/motifs is unacceptable.
- The school logo should be used whenever possible (available for purchase from the Uniform Shop).

- Items of clothing should ensure students safety and must not restrict movement or participation in all school activities.
- Black denim is acceptable. Shorts or skirts should not restrict movement or show a bare midriff and should be of reasonable length (mid-thigh to knee).
- Tank tops, crop tops and hooded tops are unacceptable.
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Exemption from Dress Code:

- Parents/caregivers may be able to make a written request for exemption from Dress Code and School Uniform Policy according to the following grounds specified by DECD:
 - Cultural or ethnic
 - New student (need time to purchase)
 - Itinerant students
 - Any other grounds governing council may determine.

Non Compliance with Dress Code:

- Parents/caregivers will be informed by the class teacher (via diary, phone or written note) of non-compliance.
- Leadership personnel and class teachers will regularly monitor Dress Code and School Uniform Policy compliance.
- Teachers and staff may send non-compliant students to the front office to arrange for a parent/caregiver to bring in compliant clothing.
- With discretion, the Principal will telephone parents/caregivers to discuss non-compliance issues with the Dress Code and where appropriate, provide support to the family.

School Uniform Shop:

- The Parents and Friends operate the Uniform Shop on a Monday and Friday from 8.45-9.15am and on a Wednesday afternoon from 2.45-3.15pm.

Review

- Staff, the Student Action Team and parents/caregivers will bring issues to the attention of the Leadership Team.
- Consultation will occur with students, staff and parents/caregivers.