

SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICY

AIM

The aim of our Dress Code is to:

- Build and maintain strong school pride and a sense of belonging
- Promote R-7 cohesion
- Help identify Karrendi Primary School students

SCHOOL UNIFORM

Students are expected to wear the uniform each day. If the uniform is unable to be worn (due to washing etc.) a written note should be provided. At these times students should be dressed in school colours.

EXEMPTION

All students will wear approved school clothing unless an exemption has been sought in writing and approved by the Principal. The only grounds on which the parents/caregiver may seek exemption from school uniform are Religion, Culture or genuine medical grounds.

SUPPORTING THE SCHOOL UNIFORM

The uniform is to be worn on all school excursions and for school photos etc. The school will notify parents in advance on days uniform is not mandatory, such as casual clothes days.

Students not wearing school uniform may be asked to change. The school will provide laundered uniform items for them to change into. These uniform items will be returned at end of day.

The school reserves the right to restrict accessibility to yard and/or other activities for students not wearing uniform, not supplying written explanation and/or refusing to change.

In each case, students will be given a uniform note to take home and need to return it signed the next day. At times the school may contact home and arrange for a uniform to be brought to school. If students are regularly not wearing uniform the school will contact parent/caregivers to discuss options.

LABELLING CLOTHING

All clothing should be clearly labelled to avoid lost property.

WEARING UNIFORM OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL

The wearing of uniform on camps and excursions will be decided on an individual basis.

Students are expected to wear uniform to and from school.

When wearing the uniform, students are representing our school and are expected to behave appropriately.

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Permitted	Not Permitted
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • short sleeve school polo top (Red with blue pin striping on collar and sleeve and school logo)* • zip front jacket with red arms, blue body and pin striping* • navy blue skirt, skort or basketball shorts* • plain navy pants or track pants* • red or navy checked school dress • navy bucket hat with red ribbing (Terms 1 & 4)* • navy blue or red T-shirt or long sleeve t-shirt can be worn under polo top • navy leggings can be worn under skirts or skorts • knee length navy bike shorts • wet weather clothing not in school colours may be worn to and from school but will not be permitted to be worn during school hours • plain navy or red beanies and scarves during play time in Terms 2 and 3 • Year 7 students are permitted to wear the upper primary commemorative top. This will consist of a red school polo top with a design on the back. <p>*These items are available from the front office.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • bandannas (only on Bandanna Day) • caps • mid-thigh or shorter bike shorts • singlets, tank and crop tops • revealing clothing • clothing printed with offensive and suggestive comments or non-school logos (This is at the discretion of the Principal or their nominee) • denim clothing • black pants or leggings

JEWELLERY/HAIR ACCESSORIES/MAKE UP

Generally jewellery is not appropriate for school due to safety reasons

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • wrist watch, sleeper or stud earrings and a light necklace are acceptable • necklaces should be worn inside school top • hair accessories in school colours are acceptable 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • makeup, unless for health reasons • nail polish, fake nails, acrylic nails • dangling earrings, chains and other fashion accessories

SHOES

Permitted	Not permitted
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • black leather style shoes • plain sports-shoes as these help support physical activity • It is essential that students wear supportive footwear on PE lesson days, Sports Day and SAPSASA events. • students are to wear plain white or navy blue socks • school sandals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • thongs/crocs • football boots • fashion boots • ballet flats • shoes with heels • fashion sandals • slippers/ugg boots