



The following policy on Dress Code has been developed to promote the safety and welfare of all students and to uphold the integrity and values of the Jimboomba State School.

Uniforms

The wearing of school uniforms is to be encouraged for everyday wear for the following reasons:

- Uniforms are serviceable garments that are long wearing and represent value for money.
- They promote a sense of belonging, identity and pride in the school.
- They are readily available from the Parents' Support Group Uniform Shop.

Styles of garments have been carefully chosen and are continually reviewed to ensure that they:

- Provide protection from the sun;
- Are equitable for both boys and girls.

Hats

Hats are available in school colours from the Uniform Shop. A wide brimmed hat is now compulsory. Please make sure that it is named clearly marked with your child's name.

- Hats must be worn for all outdoor play and activities.

Shoes and Socks

Shoes and socks must be worn at all times at school as well as coming to and from school. Closed-in shoes are most suitable. Thongs are not considered acceptable footwear.

Formal Wear

Uniform items considered suitable for formal wear include all garments offered as part of the school uniform excluding Sports House colours. Formal wear must be worn on the following occasions:

- School excursions;
- Class photographs;
- When students take part in formal ceremonies, and;
- When students represent the school.

Free Dress Days

Students are expected to wear clothing that is tasteful and that offers adequate protection from the sun. In particular:

- T-shirts must not display rude or suggestive messages;
- Students are to wear garments that cover the shoulders and the midriff.

Non-Essential Items

The wearing of jewellery items is to be kept to an absolute minimum due to possible loss or damage or the risk of personal injury. Valuable watches should not be worn to school due to possible loss or damage.

Permitted Items

- Colourless fingernail polish only, is permitted;
- Sleepers and studs (in ears only) are permitted (maximum of two per ear). One cygnet ring is permitted.

Unacceptable Items

- No un-natural hair colour e.g pink, green, blue;
- No facial piercing;
- Make-up;
- Other jewellery items including long dangly earrings, bracelets and chains;
- Written requests from parents are required should exemptions be sought on religious or medical grounds.