

St Luke's College Uniform Guidelines and Procedures

Rational

Please refer to the photos for rationale of uniform expectations.

The uniform at St Luke's College is a symbol of the College community and it assists students to develop a sense of unity and belonging. Wearing the uniform encourages a sense of pride in appearance.

The College uniform is the outward sign of membership of St Luke's College. All our students have the right to wear this uniform and to benefit from the good reputation which the College maintains in the local community. Each of our students also has the corresponding responsibility to wear the uniform correctly and neatly, and to behave in such a way that the community respect for the College is enhanced. As well as at school, the uniform must be worn coming to and going home from the College or when representing the College.

COLLEGE UNIFORM

(Girls)

- College skirt in plain green
- College green blouse
- College white socks (with stripe)
- Black tights 70 denier (for Winter)
- College jacket (for Winter)
- Black, polished leather lace-up dress shoes
- College school bag

(Boys)

- Grey school shorts
- College green shirt
- College grey socks (with stripe)
- College jacket (for Winter)
- Black, polished leather lace-up dress shoes
- College school bag



COLLEGE PE UNIFORM

Girls and Boys

- House polo shirt
- Black College PE shorts
- Sports shoes (skate shoes are not permitted)
- College hat (must be worn for all outdoor activities)
- White or black sport socks
- Racing bathers. College bathers are optional, but required if swimming in Interschool Carnival
- College PE bag



Please see photos for further clarification of uniform expectations

EXPECTATIONS OF APPEARANCE

- Skirt hem is to be at a modest mid-thigh length. This can be determined
- individually at the principal's discretion
- All buttons on shirts & blouses must be fastened
- During the winter only, College jackets can be worn to and from school
- School shoes must be a black leather lace up school dress shoe, not a jogger or boot style, no platforms/high heels/buckles/steel plates/leather Vans/pumps or skate shoes
- School shoes must be similar to the type shown above
- School shoes must not have a brand logo visible
- Students will not be permitted to participate in Manual Arts, Home Economics or Science classes if they are wearing inappropriate footwear
- Only the College hat can be worn when a student is wearing the school uniform
- No other garment shall be visible beneath the uniform
- The PE uniform is not to be worn to school, but can be worn on designated Carnival and House Days
- The College school and PE bags must be used, no other bag is permitted



STUDENT WORKPLACE UNIFORM EXPECTATIONS

Students on the School Based Traineeship programs are to wear the nominated work uniform at all times in a neat and tidy manner. Shirts are to be tucked into pants and shirt sleeves are not to be rolled up. Safety boots must be worn where required.

YEAR 12 LEAVERS UNIFORM

On the designated day determined by the College, Year 12 students are permitted to wear their Leavers' shirt, College sports shorts and sports shoes and socks (skate shoes/Vans are not permitted).

COLLEGE STANDARDS FOR GROOMING

Students are expected to be well-groomed and to have a sense of pride in their appearance. College uniform expectations apply to all students when travelling to and from school, during school hours and for designated school functions.

- **Hair**
- Must be one natural colour only. Extremes in hair colour and styles are not permitted. Students with extremes of hair colour and/or style will be sent home to remedy the situation.
- Dreadlocks, clip-on hair extensions, hair wraps, coloured beading, "Bali-style" braiding/corn rows (unless culturally appropriate), under-cut hairstyles, mullets, mohawks, 'rats tails' and 'patterns', 'cut outs' or lines cut into the hair are examples of some prohibited (not accepted) hairstyles.
- Layering of different hair length must be neatly blended/faded
- Excessively short hair is not permitted – a cut shorter than a number two is unacceptable
- Hair must be tied back or trimmed if hair is longer than the top of the collar. Hair must not be below the eye-line
- Hair accessories should be plain or College colours and not of excessive size
- Bandanas are not permitted
- Facial hair – students shall be clean-shaven
- The appropriateness of any hair style/colour will be determined by the College.



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Make-up

- ◇ Make-up and nail polish should not be worn to school
- ◇ False eyelashes and nails are only be permitted for two weeks after the St Luke's College ball, for Year 11 and 12 students only. After two weeks, these need to be removed.

Other

- ◇ Visible tattoos are not permitted
- ◇ Students riding bikes or scooters to school are required to wear a helmet in an appropriate manner

*The Principal is the final arbitrator on issues of uniform and grooming

ACCESSORIES

Permitted

- One watch
- One fine neck chain (only a single religious symbol, no greater than 3 cm in size may be added to the chain – optional)
Medical alert bracelets are the only permitted bracelets
- A maximum of two silver or gold small studs or sleepers per lobe. Any colour stone studs
- Studs no bigger than 5mm in diameter
- Clear earrings/spacers in the ears only
- A plain black belt
- PE sports bags for PE lessons
- Laptop shoulder bags only containing a laptop (not tablets) can be carried to classes
- St Luke's hat only for outdoors

Not Permitted

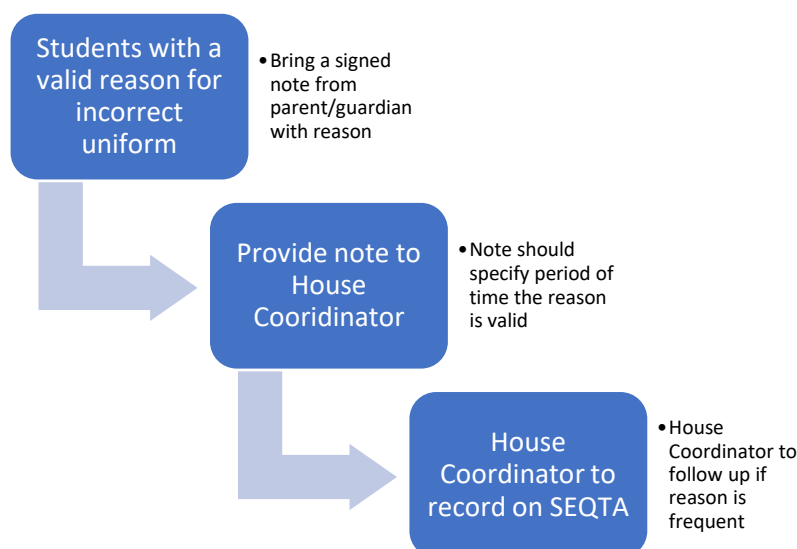
- In the interests of safety, rings, bracelets and fundraising bands should not be worn
- No visible top or inner earrings
- College bags are not to be taken to classes
- No other piercings are permitted (e.g. facial)
- Laptop bags should not be permitted to be used as school bags
- Headphones should not be worn when walking around the College



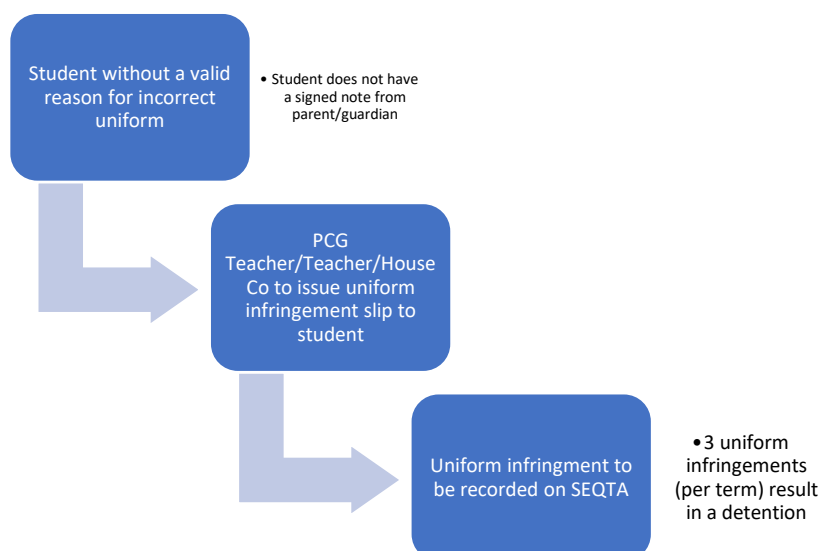
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UNIFORM MANAGEMENT PROCEDURE

1. When a student is in the incorrect uniform with a parent/guardian written note:



2. When a student is in the incorrect uniform without a parent/guardian written note:



Additional Information

- Graffiti is not permitted on College uniform items or on student property
- Uniform items are available at the College Uniform Shop. Please refer to the College website for opening days and times.
- All uniform items should be clearly labelled
- Students may be asked to change into a spare uniform from the front office where required to remedy any breach of uniform and appearance expectations

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