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# Star of the Sea School **Uniform Policy**

The Star of the Sea Uniform Policy has been written in consultation with the Students, Staff and Parent community. Students are required to wear the correct school uniform at all times.

#### Rationale

# The Star of the Sea School uniform is designed to:

- Identify our school as Catholic
- Exclude competition
- Provide equality of clothing
- Instil a sense of pride in our school
- Ensure cost effectiveness
- Ensure practicality for various activities
- Maintain a neat and attractive appearance
- Social justice measure

#### **General Information**

- Sport clothing is to be worn on nominated sports days only and must not be worn as a regular school uniform in years 3-6.
- The sport rugby top or tracksuit top must not be worn in place of the woollen embroidered jumper.
- The uniform is administered by Devon Clothing, which is located at Shop 5, 516-520 Henley Beach Road Fulham. All uniform enquiries can be made to Devon on (08) 8350 7940.
- Pre-Loved uniforms are also available for sale at various prices. Pre-loved uniform sales are managed by the Star Outreach Committee and all money raised is directed to charitable works as determined by the committee in consultation with the school. Please check our school website for opening times as they are subject to change each term.
  - You can email the pre-loved uniforms at preloved uniformshop@gmail.com

## **Jewellery**

The only jewellery permitted is:

- Wristwatch/fit band/Smart Watch Any smart watch must have all location and notification alerts off and always switched into school mode during the school day.
- Earrings which are small sleepers or studs one only.
- One chain with religious symbol, to be worn under clothing.
- NO OTHER JEWELLERY ALLOWED

Any variation to jewellery is to be discussed with the Leadership team.

#### Sun Hat

The school hat is to be worn at recess, lunch and for all outdoor activities during **Terms 1, 3, 4 and in Term 2** when the **UV** is above **3** as recommended by the Cancer Council South Australia. This includes matches and training for School Sporting teams. This requires hats to be at school for all 4 school terms.

# **Uniform Change Over**

There shall be a two-week period at the commencement of Term 2 and 4 to facilitate the change over from summer to winter uniform and vice versa.

# **School Bags**

The school backpack is the official school bag, and all students will be expected to use the school backpack and no other brand-named bags.

## Grooming

Students are expected to show pride in themselves and their school by paying attention to their personal appearance. Clothing is to be clean and in a good state of repair. Make-up and nail polish are not permitted.

#### Hair

Hairstyle is also a part of the school uniform. Shoulder length hair or longer is to be tied back.

- Hair is to be tidy and away from the face.
- Any change to hair colour should be in natural toning only. Highlights are permitted but should not be excessive.
- Hairstyles are to be moderate and not extreme. (Number 1 haircuts or chiselled pattern hair styles are considered extreme).
- No hair wraps and or bead braiding. From time-to-time students return from holidays with hair braids, they should be removed in a timely period after returning to school. (No more than 2 weeks).
- Hair Accessories Navy blue, blue colour, or Star of the Sea accessories.

If parents require any variation to school uniform, they should discuss their requests with the School Leadership team.

## Star of the Sea Uniform

Star of the Sea School is committed to ensuring that our children at the start of their schooling can access active play and be comfortable for learning. To enhance fitness and encourage total engagement of students in all areas of study, the Sports Uniform has been adopted for our Reception to Year 2 students.

## **Reception to Year 2 Students**

PE Uniform as the everyday uniform.

- Polo Shirt Short or Long Sleeve Star of the Sea.
- Shorts Star of the Sea.
- Navy Skort Star of the Sea.
- Track Pant Navy Star of the Sea.
- Track Jacket Star of the Sea (only to be worn with Sport Uniform).
- Socks Plain white socks (ankle) or anklet (socks must be visible).
- Shoes Sports shoes, can be of any colour, except for fluro colours which are not allowed or Sandalsregulation brown school sandals with standard heel (No socks with sandals). Please note that sandals are not to be worn on days where the child is attending PE.

All other Year Levels: Formal Uniform compulsory as everyday items.

## Student Uniform Suite Year 3 – Year 6

Students may choose from the uniform suite below. The uniform suite aims to promote the gender equity of all students and encourages movement and participation.

#### Families may choose from uniform items listed:

# Summer – to be worn in Terms 1 and 4 (Option 1)

- Dress Star of the Sea.
- Socks white, ankle with dress. Grey ankle with shorts.
- Shoes Black regulation school shoe with standard heel. No basketball or sneaker types allowed Sandals regulation brown school sandals with standard heel (No socks with sandals).

# Summer – to be worn in Terms 1 and 4 (Option 2)

- Shirt Star of the Sea.
- Shorts Grey (No cargo style shorts permitted).
- Shoes Black regulation school shoe with standard heel. No basketball or sneaker types allowed Sandals-regulation brown school sandals with standard heel (No socks with sandals).

# Winter (to be worn in Terms 2 and 3) Option 1

- Year 3 6 Pleated Star of the Sea Skirt.
- Navy Slacks Years 3– 6.
- Grey Pants –Years 3- 6.
- Shirt Long sleeve mid blue.
- School tie.
- Socks Grey, long socks.
- Jumper Star of the Sea
- Shoes Black regulation school shoe, lace up with standard heel.

## Sport

- Polo Shirt Short or Long Sleeve Star of the Sea.
- Shorts Star of the Sea.
- Navy Skort Star of the Sea.
- Track Pant Navy Star of the Sea.
- Track Jacket Star of the Sea (only to be worn with Sport Uniform).
- Socks Plain white socks (ankle) or anklet (socks must be visible).
- Shoes Sports shoes, can be of any colour, except for fluro colours which are not allowed or Sandalsregulation brown school sandals with standard heel (No socks with sandals).

# Accessories

- Hat bucket style or legionnaires hat with Star of the Sea.
- Scarf Navy Star of the Sea.
- Art Smock Navy.
- Parker Star of the Sea.

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