

Uniform and Appearance Mitcham Campus

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1 Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to outline the uniform and appearance standards for students on the Torrens Park Campus (Years 7 - 12).

2 Scope

This document is applicable to all staff, parents' students at the college in year 7-12.

3 Principles

- The Scotch College Adelaide uniform is distinctive; in wearing the uniform, students are ambassadors for the College.
- The College believes that it is important for students to develop personal responsibility for the wearing of correct uniform and meeting appearance standards while at school; there will be circumstances post-school where these skills are required.

4 Uniform

Students and/or families are encouraged to discuss uniform needs with Uniform Shop staff, who can assist in selecting a uniform that is suitable and appropriate.

Students are to wear one of the following uniforms collections

4.1 Summer Uniform Terms 1 and 4

4.1.1 Prep - Year 2

- Blue College shorts or skort with Scotch polo shirt, College white sports socks (2 lengths available) and predominantly white, blue or black sneakers/sandshoes (no fluorescents).
 Blue leather sandals may also be worn.
- In line with our sun protection policy, all students must wear a College bucket hat when outdoors whenever the UV is 3 or above.

4.1.2 Years 3 - 6

- College summer dress OR the summer blouse and navy shorts, with short white socks and black laceup shoes (or brown/navy leather Roman or T-bar sandals). Ribbons - blue, gold, tartan, fire-engine red, or white only.
- College grey shorts and short sleeve banded shirt, long or mid-length grey socks and black lace-up shoes (or brown/navy leather Roman or T-bar sandals).



4.2 Winter Uniform Terms 2 and 3

4.2.1 Prep - Year 2

- students wear College navy trousers, a long sleeve polo, a woollen jumper and a jacket. Students may only wear predominantly white, black or blue sneakers/sandshoes (no fluorescent)
- must wear the navy-blue Scotch raincoat and Hotham Jacket, optional items that protect outer garments in inclement weather.

Note: Jacket to and from the College – this must be the outer garment over the winter uniform (jumpers to be worn under).

4.2.2 Years 3-6

- Kilt OR navy long pants, with the white college long-sleeved shirt and necktie tab. They may wear navy blue socks or tights. Students may only wear black lace-up shoes
- Wear college grey shorts or grey trousers, a blue college stripe shirt, and a tie. Students may only wear black lace-up shoes

Note: Students must wear their blazer and a jumper underneath

4.3 P.E. and Sports Uniform

The PE uniform consists of the College navy sports shorts, navy/gold stripe polo shirt, sports socks (2 lengths available), predominantly white, blue, or black sneakers/sandshoes (no fluorescent), and sports jacket OR rugby top.

- The uniform should be worn during any PE lesson or timetabled sports program.
- Students may wear the College rugby top OR sports jacket in cooler weather as the outer garment over their PE uniform.
- Students who participate in competitive sports (Year 4 to 6) representing the College will be advised by the Sports Coordinator as to which uniform items are required for competition. (see appendix A).
- Students attending an overseas sporting exchange (such as the Year 6 Kristin Sporting and Cultural Exchange to New Zealand) may be required to wear either the Sport Jacket OR Rugby top, as stated, as part of the team uniform.

4.3.1 Year 6 Rugby Top

The Year 6 students are invited to purchase a Year 6 rugby (available for order through Junior School Administration in Term 4 of Year 5).

Note: The Year 6 rugby top can only be worn as the outer garment with the PE uniform.



- This piece of uniform must not be worn in place of a blazer (to and from school or for formal occasions)
- The Year 6 top cannot be worn for competition sports, where students represent the school.

Note: This uniform would be considered a breach of uniform if worn at Middle School the following year.

5 Appearance

5.1 Hair

Must be worn in a conventional style and be a natural colour. Hair must be neat, tidy, combed, off the collar, or tied up. Ribbons may be navy, tartan, white, fire engine red or gold.

5.2 Jewellery

One analogue watch* or bracelet, one fine gold or silver neck chain tucked inside the shirt and one plain ring are permitted (however, discouraged). One pair of plain gold or silver stud earrings may be worn in the lobe, and not higher in the ear.

Note: Smartwatches and mobile devices may not be worn during school hours (they must be handed to Home Group teachers at the beginning of the day)

5.3 Kilts

Kilts may be worn slightly longer, not shorter.

5.4 Summer Dress

Summer dresses should be worn at the knee

5.5 Socks

All students must wear school-issue socks that cover the ankle.

5.6 Scarves

The uniform rules allow students to wear a scarf in either plain navy blue or the Campbell of Argyll-modern tartan. Scarves are optional and not to be worn indoors.

5.7 Hats

Students must wear hats outdoors whenever the UV is 3 or above. Tennis caps and football beanies are only to be worn in the context of their given sports. The College bucket hat or broad-brimmed hat (designed for Prep to Year 2) must be worn at all other times.



5.8 Body Art

Temporary (such as henna and stick-on tattoos) body art is not to be visible with any school uniform or during College activities and events. Nail polish and makeup should not be worn.

6 Labelling

6.1 Naming

All articles of clothing belonging to students, including shoes, must be clearly marked with at least one initial and surname in full, using either woven name tapes or proper marking ink. Second-hand items must have the original owner's name removed.

6.2 Ragtagd

A tracking chip can be purchased from the Scotch Shop and sewn into clothing. Clothing items are returned to Junior School as lost property is detected, and a message is sent to the owner's parent.

7 Casual Clothes Day Requirements

When the College permits casual clothes days, students must wear appropriate clothing and footwear for that day. Shoulders must be covered, a school Hat must be worn (UV 3 or above), and closed/appropriate footwear must be worn (thongs/flip-flops, slides, and Crocs are not considered suitable footwear).

8 Differentiation

As an inclusive school, we are keen to discuss with your family ways in which we can accommodate your child and their sense of belonging. Please don't hesitate to ask the manager of the Scotch Shop for options to cater to sensory needs, wool allergies, non-binary or transgender identity, or other physical needs.

Note: Further special uniform and jewellery considerations may be directed to Mitcham Campus Leadership on a case-by-case basis.



9 Appendix









AFL

Soccer/ Hockey

Netball

Basketball



Cricket / Tennis / Volleyball