John Wollaston
ANGLICAN COMMUNITY SCHOOL

## 2024

# UNIFORM GUIDE 

## Introduction

The John Wollaston Anglican Community School Uniform has been designed to develop a school identity and to give students a sense of pride and belonging. The maintenance of dress standards is a shared responsibility of the students, their parents and staff.

School Uniform is compulsory. Summer Uniform is to be worn in Terms 1 and 4. Winter Uniform is to be worn in Terms 2 and 3. It is expected that students wear the uniform correctly when attending school and when travelling to and from school. All items of School Uniform must be kept clean and in good repair, free from stains, marks or damage. School shoes must be polished regularly, and sports shoes are to be kept clean.

There is a requirement that the dress and personal grooming of our students reflects the highest standards, particularly as students are frequently seen in uniform in the wider community.

Any student whose appearance is contrary to the dress and personal grooming requirements may be sent home until such time as their appearance meets the expectations of the School.

The Principal is the final arbiter on all matters pertaining to School Uniform and personal presentation. The Principal's decision is final.

Enquiries regarding the School Uniform should be directed to the classroom teacher in the Primary School or the Head of Senior School in the first instance.

## School Uniform Expectations

## General Guidelines

- The School hat or cap must be worn to and from school, and when moving around the School, during Terms 1 and 4. Wearing the School hat or cap is compulsory for outdoor activities all year.
- Uniform items for boys and girls must not be mixed (e.g. boys' shirt with girls' shorts will not be permitted).
- Hem lines on girls'summer dresses, shorts and winter skirts must sit on the knee.
- Boys'Formal Uniform shirts should be tucked in at all times.
- Girls' Formal Uniform shirts can be tucked into or left out of, shorts, skirts or trousers. Jumpers must fully cover shirts when worn.
- Girls' black tights must be a minimum denier of 60 .
- Tracksuit tops may not be worn in place of the School jumper.
- Belts are to be black fabric or leather.
- When the tie is worn, all buttons of the shirt should be done up and the tie tightened around the collar.
- The School blazer is a compulsory Winter Uniform item for students in Years 8 to 12. Secondary blazers must be worn when students are outside of the School, to and from school, for Chapel, assemblies and other formal occasions.
- The School jumper is a compulsory Winter Uniform item for students in Years 3 to 7. School jumpers must be worn when students are outside of the School, to and from school, for Chapel, assemblies and other formal occasions.
- Students are required to wear Formal Uniform for special occasions e.g. Easter Service, Founders' Day, Praise and Thanksgiving, Valedictory and when representing the School. Formal Summer or Winter Uniform will be advised for each event.
- Year 12 students may wear the School Leavers' Jacket on days determined by the Principal.
- Year 6 students may wear the Year 6 Leavers' Polo Shirt on days determined by the Principal/Head of Primary.
- Students in Years 10, 11 and 12 may wear long trousers in Terms 1 and 4.
- All items of clothing/personal equipment should be clearly marked with the full name of the student. Items that are found will be taken to Primary Reception or Student Services Reception.
- All uniform items, except black college shoes, sports shoes and gumboots, are available from the School Uniform Store. Substitutions from other retailers are not permitted.
- The School sells high quality second hand uniform items in the Uniform Store.

Hair

- Hair is expected to be clean, neat and out of the eyes.
- Hairstyles are expected to be conservative. Excessively'fashionable' hairstyles are not acceptable. The discreet use of styling aids and natural tints is acceptable.
- Hair should be no shorter than a number two (2) blade. The layering of hair should not be extreme.
- Flat tops, mohawks, undercuts, tracks or any other designs cut into the hair are not permitted.
- The fringe should not hang across the eyes or face, nor should it interfere when a student is in class or playing sport. The fringe should not extend past the top of the eyebrow.
- If hair is collar length or longer, it should be tied back using narrow elastic hair bands or scrunchies in one of the School colours being white, navy blue or red. Combs, clips and slides are used to keep hair tidy and should be in School colours. Hair ribbons, ties or clips in the House colours may be worn on House event days.
- Boys are expected to be clean-shaven. Stubble is not permitted. Sideburns are to be neatly trimmed and not extend below the earlobe.
- The acceptability of any hairstyle/colour is at the discretion of the Principal and students will be expected to adjust their hairstyle/colour without question if required.


## Appearance and Cosmetics

- Students may not alter or enhance their appearance by artificial means. This includes the following (but is not an exhaustive list) hair extensions, eyelash extensions/false eyelashes, fake tans or false nails.
- Nail polish is not permitted. Fingernails should be kept clean and trimmed short.
- A discreet application of foundation/tinted sunscreen is permitted for Secondary students.
- Tinted sunscreen and foundation are not permitted in the Primary School.
- Eye liner, eye shadow, blush, mascara, lipstick and the like are not permitted.
- The School is sensitive to cultural traditions. However, examples of what are not permitted include tattoos, real or fake and other forms of body decoration or branding.


## Jewellery

- Students are permitted to wear a plain wrist watch, a simple gold or silver chain with/without a crucifix or cross, and a Medic Alert bracelet or necklace if applicable.
- Students with pierced ears are permitted to wear one matching pair of plain, gold or silver studs (no precious stones or jewels) or sleepers (one in each earlobe). Clear plastic spacers are not permitted in pierced holes.
- Fundraising jewellery such as wrist bands and badges may be worn at the discretion of the Principal.
- The School is sensitive to cultural traditions. However, examples of what is not permitted include decorative earrings, necklaces, rings, bracelets, ankle chains and other body piercing (eg: nose, eyebrow, tongue and tragus).


## Early Childhood Uniform

## Pre-Kindergarten

Students in Pre-Kindergarten (Little Wollies) are to wear the Sports Uniform polo shirt and school hat each day. Shoes are to be predominantly white sneakers.


## Kindergarten

Students in Kindergarten are to wear the Sports Uniform and school hat each day.
Summer (Unisex)

- ELC polo shirt
- Navy blue shorts with John Wollaston monogram
- Navy school socks
- Predominantly white sneakers
- Navy bucket hat with reversible House colour



## Winter (Unisex)

- ELC polo shirt
- School tracksuit with John Wollaston monogram
- Navy school socks
- Predominantly white sneakers
- Navy bucket hat with reversible House colour
- Wet weather pants and jacket (compulsory for Kindy)



## Pre-Primary to Year 2

## Summer (Unisex)

- ELC polo shirt
- Navy blue shorts with John Wollaston monogram
- Navy school socks
- Predominantly white sneakers
- Navy bucket hat with reversible House colour


Winter (Unisex)

- ELC polo shirt
- School tracksuit with John Wollaston monogram
- Navy school socks
- Predominantly white sneakers
- Navy bucket hat with reversible House colour
- Wet weather pants and jacket (compulsory for Pre-Primary to Year 1)



## NOTE:

Pre-Kindergarten, Kindergarten, Pre-Primary and Year 1 students are encouraged to wear gumboots, supplied by families, for outdoor play in wet weather.

## Sports (Unisex)

- House shirt
- Navy bucket hat with reversible House colour

- Bathers (compulsory)



## Girls' Uniform

Years 3 to 6 Uniform

## Summer

- Tartan dress
- Girls' navy dress shorts with white shirt
- White crew socks with navy and red stripe
- Red jumper (optional)
- Navy bucket hat wth reversible House colour
- Black lace up school shoes



## Winter

- White blouse
- Tartan skirt or Girls' black trousers
- Black knee-high socks or 60 denier tights (skirt)
- Black crew socks (trousers)
- Red jumper
- Tartan tie
- School scarf (optional)
- Navy bucket hat wth reversible House colour
- Black lace up school shoes


Years 3 to 6 Sports Uniform

- Red polo shirt
- Navy sport shorts with John Wollaston monogram
- Navy sport socks with red and white stripe
- House shirt
- Navy tracksuit jacket
- Navy tracksuit pants
- Bathers
- Navy bucket hat with reversible House colour
- Predominantly white lace up sport shoes


Students in Years 7 to 12 must wear the Formal Uniform to and from school everyday (except special days). When Sports Uniform is required, students must use the School sports bag to carry their Sports Uniform and must change at School. Students are not permitted to mix the Formal Uniform and Sports Uniform.

Summer

- Tartan dress
- Girls' navy dress shorts with white shirt
- White crew socks with navy and red stripe
- Red jumper (optional)
- Navy cap or navy bucket hat with reversible House colour
- Black lace up school shoes


Winter


- White blouse
- Tartan skirt or Girls' black trousers
- Stockings 60 denier (skirt)
- Black crew socks (trousers)
- Red jumper
- Blazer (Years 8-12)
- Tartan tie (Years 8-10)
- Red tie (Years 11-12)
- School scarf (optional)
- Navy cap or navy bucket hat with reversible House colour

- Black lace up school shoes

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- Red polo shirt
- Navy microfibre sport shorts with John Wollaston monogram
- Navy sport socks with red and white stripe
- House shirt
- Navy microfibre tracksuit jacket
- Navy tracksuit pants with John Wollaston monogram
- Bathers
- Navy cap or navy bucket hat with reversible House colour
- Students in Years 7 to 12 may wear lace up running shoes or cross-training shoes of any colour. A conservative style and colour are encouraged.



## NOTE:

The School tracksuit will be required if your child represents the School in any inter-school sporting team.


## Boys' Uniform

## Years 3 to 6 Uniform

## Summer

- White shirt
- Navy shorts
- Navy knee high socks
- Red jumper (optional)
- Navy bucket hat with reversible House colour
- Black lace up school shoes


Winter

- White shirt
- Grey shorts or grey trousers
- Black knee-high socks (shorts)
- Black crew socks (trousers)
- Red jumper
- Tartan tie
- Navy bucket hat wth reversible House colour
- Black lace up school shoes

- Red polo shirt
- Navy sport shorts with John Wollaston monogram
- Navy sport socks with red and white stripe
- House shirt
- Navy tracksuit jacket
- Navy tracksuit pants
- Swim jammers and rash top
- Navy bucket hat with reversible House colour


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## Summer

- White shirt
- Navy shorts
- Navy knee high socks
- Red jumper (optional)
- Navy cap or navy bucket hat with reversible House colour
- Black lace up school shoes


Winter

- White shirt
- Grey trousers
- Black crew socks (trousers)
- Red jumper
- Blazer (Years 8-12)
- Tartan tie (Years 8-10)
- Red tie (Years 11-12)
- Navy cap or bucket hat wth reversible House colour
- Black lace up school shoes


- Red polo shirt
- Navy microfibre sport shorts with John Wollaston monogram
- Navy sport socks with red and white stripe
- House shirt
- Navy microfibre tracksuit jacket
- Navy tracksuit pants
- Swim jammers and rash top
- Navy cap or navy bucket hat with reversible House colour

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## Shoes

School Shoes


- Shoes for both boys and girls are black college style leather lace-up shoes of conservative heel height. Shoes with buckles or Velcro are not permitted.
- Students are not permitted to wear shoes that are inappropriate for the uniform eg: flat soles, dress shoes, suede or patent shoes, Mary Jane style shoes, black leather sneakers or skate shoes. Shoelaces must be tied.
- Pre-Kindergarten, Kindergarten, Pre-Primary and Year 1 students are encouraged to wear gumboots, supplied by families, for outdoor play in wet weather.


## Sport Shoes

- Students in Pre-Kindergarten to Year 6 will be expected to wear sports shoes that are predominantly white.
- Students in Years 7 to 12 may wear lace up running shoes or cross-training shoes of any colour. A conservative style and colour are encouraged.
- Dunlop Volley sports shoes are not considered appropriate for Physical Education at school.
- Only sports shoes with white soles, or non-marking soles will be permitted.
- Sports socks for all students are John Wollaston School sports socks.


## School Bags

It is compulsory for all students in Pre-Primary to Year 12 to use a John Wollaston School backpack to carry books and other personal property to and from school. These are Chiropractic designed and will be sized on request at the Uniform Store.


Sports Bags (Compulsory Years 7-12)
All students participating in Physical Education activities are required to use one of the following bags to carry their Sports Uniform and equipment.



Library Bag/ Homework Folder


## Uniform Store

The Uniform Store is located at the front of the School to the right of the Administration building, near the Chapel. It has wheelchair and pram friendly access.

Parking is available for visitors behind the Berry Durston Indoor Sports Centre.

Opening Hours

| Monday | 8:00am-11:ooam |
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| Wednesday | 12:30pm-4:00pm |

*Please note that the Uniform Store opening times only apply during term time.

The distribution of our official School Uniform is managed by Tara Uniforms. If you require an appointment please contact the Uniform Store, at customer.service@tarauniforms.com.au or during shop hours on 0432578311.

## Ordering Uniforms

Online ordering is available at www.tarauniforms.com.au with options to collect from the Store, or delivered either to Primary Reception or to Secondary students. Orders placed by Sundays will be delivered by Tuesday and orders placed from Monday - Wednesday, delivered on Thursdays.
You are welcome to place small orders via email, with payment by credit card. These will be delivered to Primary Reception or delivered to Secondary students. To place an order contact:

## Tara Uniforms

Email: customer.service@tarauniforms.com.au
Credit card and EFTPOS facilities are available. Cash payments are not accepted.


