



Standard Operating Procedure

STUDENT DRESS CODE

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Audience

Redcliffe State High School Staff

Purpose

This procedure sets out the uniform requirements for students and outlines the requirements of staff when students are not in the correct uniform.

Overview

Students attending Redcliffe State High School are required to wear the correct school uniform at all times. The wearing of uniforms at Redcliffe State High School is based on extensive research to provide students with an identity and to make sure students are dressed according to Health and Safety guidelines. A shared uniform removes socio-economic barriers, provides increased safety for students and provides students with the important workplace skill of following clothing guidelines.

Responsibilities

Management Responsibilities

- Support staff to ensure students are in the correct uniform
- Support families with personal or financial hardships

Teacher Responsibilities

- Check uniforms in form class and every lesson
- Follow processes for students in incorrect uniform

Student responsibilities

- Wear the correct uniform
- Follow processes when not in correct uniform

Parent responsibilities

- Ensure their child is in the correct uniform
- Contact the school if support is required

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Process



1. Check uniforms in every class (uniforms are outlined below).
2. Issue a litter duty to students with incorrect socks.
3. Send students to the Blue Room for incorrect shoes or clothing items including the sport uniform on Tuesday and Friday.
4. Ask students to remove any excess jewellery.
5. If students refuse to follow instructions about uniform, send them to the Blue Room

Formal Uniform

The formal uniform is worn by students on every Tuesday and Friday of the school week. Formal uniform is voluntary on all other days of the week unless specifically stated. Our juniors (7, 8 & 9) and seniors (10, 11 & 12) have a different shirt worn with their formal uniform.

Winter Uniform

Students are permitted to wear the school jumper, school jacket, royal blue or black slacks with the appropriate formal uniform and school tracksuit pants with the sports uniform during colder weather.

Formal Uniform	
All students are encouraged to wear a tie but it is expected to be worn on formal occasions and when representing the school. Tracksuit pants must not be worn with formal uniform.	
Option 1	Option 2
<p>Junior Blouse (Years 7, 8, 9) Sky blue over-blouse with school badge embroidered on pocket</p> <p>Senior Blouse (Years 10, 11, 12) White pin striped over-blouse with school badge embroidered on pocket</p> <p>Skirt Royal Blue pleated skirt (length must be no less than 3cm BELOW the knee)</p> <p>Slacks (Option to Skirt) Royal blue</p> <p>Shorts (Option to Skirt) Royal Blue (Length not to be altered)</p> <p>Shoes Black vinyl or leather shoes or black athletic shoes (nothing above the ankle or canvas) with black laces Examples:</p>  <p>Socks Plain white ankle, calf or knee-high socks or tan stockings (no knee-high stockings or sockettes)</p> <p>Hat – School Bucket Hat</p> <p>Tie – Royal blue with tan stripe</p> <p>Undershirt (optional) Can be worn but not seen at arm, neck, or waist. Not visible through shirt.</p>	<p>Junior Shirt (Years 7, 8, 9) Sky blue short-sleeved shirt with collar and school badge embroidered on pocket.</p> <p>Senior Shirt (Years 10, 11, 12) White pin striped short-sleeved shirt with collar and school badge embroidered on pocket.</p> <p>Shorts Grey sidetab gaberdine</p> <p>Trousers (Option to Shorts) Black with black belt Grey with black belt (transition out by 2025)</p> <p>Shoes Completely black vinyl or black leather or black athletic shoes (nothing above the ankle or canvas) with black laces Examples:</p>  <p>Socks Grey knee length work socks</p> <p>Hat – School Bucket Hat</p> <p>Tie – Royal blue with tan stripe</p> <p>Undershirt (optional) Can be worn but not seen at arm, neck, or waist. Not visible through shirt.</p>

Sports Uniform

Polo Shirt – Blue sports shirt with emblem

Shorts – Royal blue 'Redcliffe' sports shorts

Shoes – Joggers (Completely black vinyl or black leather or black athletic shoes) nothing above the ankle or canvas/must have a visible arch, with black laces.

Socks – Plain white ankle, calf or knee-high socks (No logos. No sockettes).

Winter Uniform

Winter Uniform School Jumper – Royal blue with logo; Worn with either uniform

Tracksuit Jacket – Worn with either uniform

Tracksuit Pants – Worn with Sports uniform only

Blazer – Royal blue with logo; Worn with Formal uniform only

Hats:

It is a requirement for all students to wear the school hat. No beanies, bandanas or sweatbands may be worn. Programs of Excellence students may wear the PoE Cap.

Jewellery:

Jewellery must be kept to a minimum. Only the following items are acceptable:

- Two plain small studs/sleepers in each ear.
- One small nose stud is permitted, however, sleepers/rings in any other part of the body must be covered with tape under Workplace Health and Safety regulations.
- Watch
- Single, flat ring
- A chain link necklace may be worn if it cannot be seen
- Insignia on any jewellery worn must be appropriate
- Leather or string rope necklaces are NOT allowed as a WHS requirement.
- In some subject areas and for some activities, Workplace Health and Safety Regulations may require the removal of all jewellery.
- Common sense will be used governing the wearing and safety of other jewellery.
- No anklets are allowed

Other:

- Hair ornaments must be minimal
- Fluoro/vibrant or unnatural hair colours are not permitted as part of our school dress code (spray on colours for sporting carnivals/school activities will be the only exception)
- Make-up must be minimal: foundation only – eye shadow or lip colour is not acceptable
- If nail polish is worn, it must be clear polish only. Students will be required to remove any coloured nail polish.
- We would appreciate tattoos be covered at school events where possible

Contact

Principal