



WILLIAMSTOWN  
HIGH SCHOOL

Uniform **Policy**

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Williamstown High School Council has adopted the following policy for mandatory school uniform to be worn by students of the school. The policy was originally developed by WHS Council. The current uniform was introduced in consultation with parents, students and staff. The School Council regularly reviews its policy. When determining this policy, School Council carefully considers matters which relate to students' health, safety and comfort.

## Why do we have a school uniform?

The wearing of the school uniform by students:

- Promotes a sense of cohesion/inclusiveness, citizenship and school spirit.
- Raises the profile of the school and its students in the broader community.
- Supports the maintenance of a safe and secure environment .

## This Policy applies to all students.

- The wearing of the uniform is compulsory for all students.
- Students are expected to wear the full school uniform during the day and on the way to and from school.
- Only items of clothing with the school's anchor logo will be deemed the correct and acceptable school uniform. Variations will not be accepted.
- Students must wear the full school uniform on all excursions and school activities unless the nature of the activity renders other clothing more appropriate and the Campus or Assistant Principal has approved the wearing of other clothes.
- The uniform must be clean and tidy in appearance and in good repair.
- All students must have sufficient items of school uniform to allow for a change of clothing throughout the week.
- Black leather school shoes must be worn at all times (except during PE or sports classes). School shoes must fully cover the foot.
- Where students choose to wear ribbons or other ties or clasps in their hair, these must be simple in style and consistent with the school colours.
- If students wear a hat it must be an official school hat and it can only be worn outside.
- Jewellery — acceptable items of jewellery are as follows:
  - a wristwatch
  - simple studs or sleepers (maximum of two in each ear)

Other forms of visible body jewellery such as facial and body piercings, bracelets, bangles, neck chains and necklaces that are easily visible and pose a safety hazard need to be removed during school hours or replaced with clear, transparent, or unobtrusive materials.

- Students wearing unacceptable jewellery items will be asked to remove them. The items will be kept by the Student Management Leaders for the remainder of the day.
- Unnatural hair colours or extreme hair styles are not permitted.
- Make-up — only clear or natural nail polish may be worn; only natural looking makeup is acceptable.
- Tattoos, whether real or temporary, must remain covered while at school.

It is highly recommended that all items of uniform are carefully labeled with the student's name.



L/S Shirt, Tie



Pullover



S/S Shirt



S/S Polo Shirt



Blazer



Winter Trousers



Summer Shorts



Black Winter Socks



Summer White Socks



L/S Polo Shirt



Spray Jacket



Sports Polo Shirt



Black Tights



Blouse



Cap



Sports Shorts



Track Pants



School Bag



Summer Dress



Winter Skirt

## Where can the school uniform be purchased?

The supplier of the school uniform is Dobsons Uniform Shop, located at the Pasco Campus (Phone: 9399 8662)

[www.dobsons.com.au](http://www.dobsons.com.au)

## Summer Uniform

Girls	Boys
WHS Summer Dress	WHS Trousers
WHS Shorts	WHS Shorts
WHS Trousers	
WHS Polo Shirt (White)	WHS Polo Shirt (White)
WHS Pullover	WHS Pullover
White Socks	White Socks (Grey/Black Socks)
Black 't-Bar' Shoes or Black Leather Lace-up School Shoes	Black Leather Lace-up School Shoes
WHS Spray Jacket or Blazer (Year 7–12)	WHS Spray Jacket or Blazer (Year 7–12)
WHS Hat (Year 7,8 and 9 will be provided by the school)	WHS Hat (Year 7,8 and 9 will be provided by the school)

Year 12 students may wear the VCE school rugby top in place of the regular school pullover.

## Winter Uniform

Girls	Boys
WHS Tartan Winter Skirt	WHS Trousers
WHS Shirt	WHS Shirt
WHS Polo Shirt (White)	WHS Polo Shirt (White)
WHS Tie (to be worn only with WHS Shirt)	WHS Tie (to be worn only with WHS Shirt)
WHS Pullover	WHS Pullover
WHS Trousers	
WHS Shorts	WHS Shorts
Black Opaque Stockings or Long White Socks (with Skirt)	White Socks (Grey/Black Socks)
Black 't-Bar' Shoes or Black Leather Lace-up School Shoes	Black Leather Lace-up School Shoes
WHS Spray Jacket or Blazer (Year 7–12)	WHS Spray Jacket or Blazer (Year 7–12)
WHS Scarf	WHS Scarf
WHS Hat (Year 7,8 and 9 will be provided by the school)	WHS Hat (Year 7,8 and 9 will be provided by the school)

Year 12 students may wear the VCE school rugby top in place of the regular school pullover.

**Note:** The length of all dresses, skirts and shorts must be no higher than just above knee length. The length of all trousers must be above the sole of the shoes, properly hemmed with no frayed edges.

Please refer to the Williamstown High School Sun Smart Policy for detailed information about our school hats.

## Physical Education and Sport Uniform

Students representing the School in interschool sports competitions are required to wear the correct School sports uniform. This is the same as the uniform worn for Physical Education and Sport Education. Sports shoes (sneakers) with non marking/white soles are required for use on the gymnasium floor. Physical Education uniform is compulsory for all students.

## Sport / PE Uniform (all seasons)

Girls and Boys
WHS polo top (cherry)
WHS black track pants
WHS black sport shorts
WHS spray jacket
WHS hat

Please note that School Council has recently reviewed the Uniform Policy and endorse all aspects of this policy.

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