



Kedron State School P & C Association

Kedron State School P&C School Uniform Policy 2021 Proposed for approval at AGM

Our school P&C strongly endorses the Uniform Policy for a number of reasons including:

- *Encouragement and pride in our school and pride in self.*
- *To lessen the effects of peer group pressure on students with regard to clothing. eg wearing of expensive brand names can cause jealousy and lead to theft of property.*
- *The overall appearance of the school is much improved when ALL students are in uniform.*

Where religious beliefs dictate variance from the schools' dress code, Parents / Caregivers are asked to discuss this (and options) with the Principal.

New children to the school are required to meet this code within one month of enrolment. Children inappropriately dressed, will, in the first instance, be informed of this. Children in continual breach of this code will have a letter sent home to Parent / Caregivers reminding them of the school's requirements. If the practice continues, resolution will be attempted through negotiations.

Children incorrectly or unacceptably dressed when going on a **planned trip or excursion will not be permitted** to attend. **Continued breaches of school's code of dress may result in the child being subject to the course of actions outlined within the Code of Student Behaviour.**

If we are to attract and retain new families to our school, we should be conscious of the appearance and behaviour of our students within the school and when travelling to and from school, sport and excursions.

Students are expected to arrive at school in a clean, tidy uniform as listed below. If there is a reason for students not being able to come in uniform please do not hesitate to contact the Principal. We believe suitable dress standards enhance the tone of the school as well as its reputation in the general community. It forms an aspect of our Code of Student Behaviour and enhances children's self-esteem and their sense of belonging to the school community.

Students who participate in any aspect of the schools' music, strings or instrumental music program must wear their formal uniform for performances.

THE FORMAL UNIFORM	THE INFORMAL UNIFORM
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ MAY be worn any day of the week EXCEPT the day of physical education lessons. ➤ MUST be worn when representing the school 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ MAY be worn on any day of the week. ➤ MUST be worn on the day of physical education lessons.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • KSS Checked dress OR • KSS Checked shirt with • Royal Blue Gaberdine shorts or skorts • Royal Blue light weight cardigan • White ankle socks • Black shoes – <i>leather school shoe or sport shoe – black shoe, black sole and black shoelaces only</i> • KSS Royal blue school hat • Hair Assessories – yellow or royal blue <p>PREP UNIFORM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • KSS Blue Polo Shirt (2023 KSS Yellow Prep Shirt) • Royal Blue shorts/skorts • Sport Shoes – <i>Black shoe, black sole and black shoelaces</i> (Summer) – Navy sandal (with strap around heel) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • KSS Yellow polo shirt • Royal Blue sports shorts or • Royal Blue Gaberdine shorts or skorts • White Ankle Socks • Sport Shoes – <i>Black shoe, black sole and black shoelaces only</i> • KSS Royal blue school hat • Hair Assessories – yellow or royal blue • KSS Year 6 shirt (<i>for Year 6 only</i>)- <i>must not be worn for school music performances</i>
<p>WINTER UNIFORM</p> <p>Royal blue jackets, jumper or light weight royal blue cardigan. Royal blue track pants, in combination with checked shirts or yellow polos/prep polos, navy tights may be worn with the checked dress or skort.</p> <p>MUSIC UNIFORM</p> <p>The Music Program Performance Uniform (Concert Band, Strings, Choirs and Recorder Ensembles) – Formal Kedron State School Uniform</p> <p>SPORTS HOUSE POLO</p> <p>The KSS Sports House polo is to be worn at the swimming carnival, cross country, athletics carnivals and other dates throughout the school term determined appropriate by the school Administration</p> <p>The sports house polo is not to be worn on the day the physical education teacher works with the student’s class.</p>	

YEAR 6 SHIRT

In Year 6 we introduce a KSS Year 6 shirt. This collared polo shirt can only be worn as part of the informal uniform and cannot be worn on days where the formal uniform is required.

The Year 6 shirt cannot be signed until after the formal school graduation day has occurred.

SCHOOL CAPTAINS

School captains, Vice Captains and Cultural Captains must wear the formal school uniform when representing the school at events such as:-ANZAC Day, Leaders Day, Special Assemblies etc.

ACCESSORIES

- Hair bands/clips must be in school colours
- Shoes – (Sport Shoes) Black shoe, black soles, black shoelaces

HAIR

- Shoulder length hair or longer must be tied up/back neatly.
- Hair colour should be of natural colour in appearance

GENERAL RULES

- Shoes and a hat must be worn or outside play will be restricted.
- Jewellery is restricted to studs or sleepers, a watch and religious/medical medallions
- No makeup or nail polish and hair to match natural colours