Uniform Policy

Rationale:

This school and its community firmly believe that our students need to wear a uniform to:

- Instil pride and self esteem
- Promote the school in a positive, unified manner as students are our frontline representatives
- Develop a sense of unity and belonging
- Assist in self organizational skill development
- Prepare for stricter compliance as workplace conditions become more complex
- Promotes an effective teaching and learning environment by eliminating the distraction of competition in dress and fashion at school
- Begin to consolidate a sense and maintenance of standards
- Promote a safe working environment for learning by enabling ready identification of students and non – students of the school
- Provide parents with sensible options with sensible cost effective pricing of this major item of schooling expenditure
- Fosters mutual respect among individuals at school by minimising visible evidence of economic, class and social differences

Our Uniform

Our uniform consists of:

- hats
- poly cotton polo shirts
- black shorts / skirts
- Dress (optional for Girls)
- shoes

The hat is compulsory for outside play. Legionnaires or broad brimmed floppy hats are specifically targeted for utility and compliance with the Queensland Cancer Council’s Sun Smart guidelines. Any other style of hat / cap not within the Sun Smart guidelines is not permissible and students will be restricted during playtimes.

All uniforms can be purchased at the office.

Our uniform designed was developed some years ago and represents our traditional school colours in a modern design with comfort in our tropical climate closely considered amongst a range of factors.

Shoes are an integral part of the uniform for any “away from school” activity. Shoes need to be fully enclosed, comfortable, worn with socks and have a neat and tidy appearance. Parents are at liberty to decide on the wearing of shoes in our everyday context.