



Policy Title	School Uniform Policy
Date Policy Approved	November 2010 (Revised 2015/2017/2019)
Policy Owner & Position	Principals, Ulverstone and Burnie
Team Responsible for Policy	Senior Staff
Authorised by	Principals
Who is the Policy for?	Students and staff
Version Control	Version 5
Statutory / Legislative Requirement	
Relevant cross references	
Include during Induction	Yes
Review Date	2021

Purpose of the Policy	<p>Uniforms are compulsory for all Leighland Christian School students. The reasons for school uniform are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It creates an atmosphere of unity where students do not feel they have to compete with the latest fashion items. • Students are easily identified as being Leighland Christian School students when students are in the community. It exhibits a feeling of pride and belonging. <p>It is meant to be an inexpensive alternative.</p>
Responsibility for management of the Policy	Senior Staff
The Policy	<p>The wearing of full school uniform is compulsory for all students.</p> <p>Whenever the school uniform is worn—it is to be worn fully and correctly.</p> <p><i>If a student is unable to wear any item of the correct uniform on a particular day, an explanatory note should be sent by a parent. This situation should not normally persist for more than a day or two. Primary students should present this note to their Class teacher and Secondary students to a Secondary Coordinator before classes commence.</i></p> <p>Uniform items, apart from shoes, stockings, socks, black trackpants (High School only) and Year 11/12 boys trousers and shorts, <i>must</i></p>

	<p>be purchased from the school's uniform shop to ensure consistency. These Year 11/12 items are to be purchased from Maveric Clothing, Reibey Street, Ulverstone.</p> <p>Students are expected to wear full summer uniform in Term 1, full winter uniform in Terms 2 & 3 and <i>either</i> full summer or full winter uniform in Term 4.</p> <p>Discretion lies with the Principals to grant an exemption to the Uniform Policy where there are extraordinary circumstances.</p>
The Procedure	<p>Casual Clothes/Free Dress Days: (unless different guidelines are advertised for the activity):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students are to wear smart, casual clothes suitable for attending school without inappropriate wording on the clothes. • Shoes must be fully enclosed shoes to cover the whole foot (no thongs or sandals). • Shoulders are to be fully covered with no bare mid-riffs or revealing neckline. • Normal hair, jewellery and make-up guidelines still apply. <p>Students dressed inappropriately will be given items to wear from pre-loved clothing. If the correct items cannot be found, then parents will be contacted and students will be sent home.</p> <p>Hair and Accessories:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hair which is shoulder length or longer poses a safety and health risk and must be tied back. All ribbons, bobbles and head bands should be plain in design in either yellow gold, bottle green or black. • Sunglasses are encouraged to be worn at the risk and responsibility of the student. • Hair colouring in unnatural colours is not acceptable. (<u>discretion lies with the Principal</u>) • Scarves are acceptable during Terms 2 and 3 – bottle green or black only. <p>Formal Uniform: Full winter uniform is our formal uniform to be worn to all official School organised events and for the annual School photos.</p> <p>Hats: Hats are compulsory during Terms 1 and 4.</p> <p>Jewellery: Jewellery poses a safety risk in such areas as Technology, PE, Science, Art etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A single pair of earrings (small plain stud or plain sleeper), no other visible body piercing, no other jewellery.

- Medical alert bracelets may be worn.
- Year 11/12 students may wear the following discreet items of jewellery:
2 pairs of earrings, signet ring, light weight bracelet, light weight necklace.

Labelling:

All clothing should be labelled (including shoes). Please use a name rather than initials & re-name clothes which have been handed on.

Lost Property:

The school takes no responsibility for lost clothing. At the end of each term, all lost property will be either sold as pre-loved in the Uniform shop or donated to an appropriate charity.

Maintenance:

All uniform items are to be well maintained and in good order. Torn, faded or graffittied items are to be replaced.

Makeup:

No make-up and only clear nail polish allowed.

Pre-Loved Clothing:

Please help others - please do not throw out uniform items which are still fit to be worn - send them to the second hand uniform shop for resale.

Skirts and Dresses:

Please note the required length for dresses/skirts:

- Primary: No shorter than 7cm from the floor when in a kneeling position.
- High School/Senior: No shorter than 10cm from the floor when in a kneeling position.

Shoes:

Both sports shoes and school shoes must offer suitable support and protection. School shoes must be polishable and not have a heel higher than 4cm. Sports shoes cannot be canvas style and laces must be tied firmly. Ballet style, converse, skate and fashion shoes are not acceptable.

Socks:

Girls are to wear white cotton foldover anklets. Boys are to wear plain white ankle sports socks. Knee high, sockettes and name brand sport socks are not permitted.

Soft Shell Jackets:

Are a non-compulsory part of the school uniform. However, they are the only jacket that can be worn by High school students. **Soft shell jackets are not to replace the school woollen jumper.** Any pre-existing Spray jackets can be worn for sport only.

Swimming:

All bathers to be modest and decent.

Trousers/Shorts Boys:

Cargo style are not permitted.

UNIFORM KINDER TO YEAR 4

Please note that **Kinder** children may wear either the full sports uniform (recommended) for the 3-day program or sports uniform on sports day and the summer/winter uniform for the other two days.

Prep to Year 4 children should wear their sports uniform on the days they have sport and the summer/winter uniform for the other days.

GIRLS

Winter Uniform

Tartan box pleat skirt with bib

White Midford short sleeve school shirt or white skivvy

Green woollen school jumper with logo

Black stockings or white anklet socks

Black polished shoes

Soft Shell Jacket (*optional extra*)

Summer Uniform

Summer Dress

White school socks

Green woollen school jumper with logo

Black polished shoes

BOYS

Winter Uniform

Grey trousers or grey shorts

White Midford short sleeve school shirt or white skivvy

Green woollen school jumper with logo

Plain white school socks

Black polished shoes

Soft Shell Jacket (*extra optional*)

Summer Uniform

Grey shorts

Green woollen school jumper with logo

White Midford short sleeve school shirt

Plain white school socks

Black polished shoes

PE UNIFORM

Green & gold polo top

Black trackpants

Rugby jumper

Sports shoes

White socks

Black PE shorts/basketball shorts

HATS

Green slouch

Green bucket

Beanies are permitted in winter only and must be plain coloured in either bottle green or black

UNIFORM YEARS 5 TO 10

Years 5-6 may wear their sports uniform on the days they have PE and their school uniform on the other days. Years 7-10 must begin and end the day in their school uniform and change for PE.

GIRLS

Winter Uniform

Tartan box pleat skirt (with optional bib)

White Midford short sleeve school shirt

Green woollen school jumper with logo

Black Stockings or white ankle socks

Black polished shoes

Soft Shell Jacket (*optional extra*)

Summer Uniform

Summer dress

Green woollen school jumper with logo

White foldover school socks

Black polished shoes

BOYS

Winter Uniform

Grey trousers or grey shorts

White Midford short sleeve school shirt

Green woollen school jumper with logo

Plain white school socks

Black leather polished shoes

Soft Shell Jacket (*optional extra*)

Summer Uniform

Grey shorts

White Midford short sleeve school shirt

Green woollen school jumper with logo

Plain white school socks

Black leather polished shoes

PE UNIFORM

Green & gold polo top

Black plain trackpants

Rugby jumper

Sports shoes

White socks

Black PE shorts/basketball shorts

School pray Jacket (*extra optional - no longer available for purchase*)

	<p><u>HATS</u> Green Slouch Green Bucket Beanies are not permitted</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>UNIFORM YEARS 11 - 12</u></p> <p><u>GIRLS</u> Black box pleat skirt White short sleeved embroidered shirt Plain white socks or black stockings Black polished shoes Green woollen school jumper with logo Black trousers (<i>optional extra</i>) Senior Rugby Jumper (<i>Optional extra</i>) Soft Shell Jacket (<i>Optional extra</i>)</p> <p><u>BOYS</u> Black tailored trousers Black tailored shorts White Midford short sleeve school shirt Green school jumper with logo Plain black socks must be worn with trousers Plain white socks must be worn with shorts Black polished shoes Senior Rugby Jumper (<i>Optional extra</i>) Soft Shell Jacket (<i>Optional extra</i>)</p> <p><u>HATS</u> Green slouch Green bucket Beanies are not permitted</p> <p>Formal Uniform: The formal uniform for Year 11 - 12 consists of black skirt and black stockings for girls and black trousers and black socks for boys with the green woollen school jumper. <u>This must be worn to all official school organised events.</u></p>
Effectiveness of Policy	Measured by student compliance with the Policy and staff monitoring of compliance.
Associated Policy and Procedure Documents	