UNIFORM POLICY

Background
All students attending Good Shepherd Catholic School are required to abide by this policy as a condition of attendance at Good Shepherd Catholic Primary School.

The school uniform provides the child with a sense of identity and unity within our community and it is an integral part of the school’s identity.

Guidelines
1. All children should wear the school uniform every day.
2. The School Uniform Policy has been developed through consultation with the school community and at the direction of the School Board.
3. The Principal is responsible for the implementation and maintenance of the Uniform Policy through the teaching staff.
4. Children wearing shirts will be encouraged to tuck the shirt into their pants.
5. Where a child is unable to wear the uniform of the day:
   a. The parent shall send a letter to the class teacher stipulating:
      i. The reason.
      ii. The period for which the child will be unable to wear the correct uniform.
         1. This period will not exceed three days without the approval of the Principal.
6. All children with hair longer than shoulder length are required to tie it up (e.g. in a ponytail). Extreme hair styles are not permitted. The hair is to be restrained by elastic band, only royal blue or white ribbons / scrunchy to be worn with the summer and winter uniform.
7. Jewellery
   a. No jewellery except:
      i. A watch.
      ii. One single chain with crucifix or medal.
      iii. Finger rings i.e. Baptismal or culturally significant finger ring.
         1. Must be smooth, free of protrusions and pose no danger of injury to the individual or others if they are to be worn at school.
         2. Are subject to approval by the Principal.
      iv. Earrings: only sleepers and studs are allowed for pierced ears.
   b. Rings in places other than the ears and on fingers subject to the above are not to be worn at school.
8. The following are not to be worn at school:
   a. Lip stick.
   b. Nail polish.
   c. Make Up.
School Uniform

Kindergarten students are not required to wear the School Uniform. Parents should be mindful of the learning environment when dressing the child, the School Uniform is not recommended. Parents should dress the children in clothing appropriate to their learning environment.

Pre Primary students are required to wear the following School Uniform
Girls and Boys
- Royal Blue rugby shorts with logo
- Sky blue Polo T Shirt with logo
- Faction T shirt with house logo (sports faction colour)
- School Jumper with Logo
- School Zip Jackets with Logo (sports days)
- Sports School socks
- Royal Blue track suit pants (for winter)
- Royal Blue school hat with logo
- Joggers predominately white

Year 1 - 6 Uniform:
The correct Uniform is to be worn each day or a satisfactory letter of explanation shall be provided to the Principal via the class teacher.

SUMMER: to be worn during Terms 1 & 4
Girls
- Good Shepherd Catholic School blue checked uniform (dress) with school logo.
- Brown sandals, or lace up low heel black school shoes. Black sneakers, boots or shoes with a high heel are not appropriate.
- White school socks.
- School jumper with logo
- Royal blue school hat with logo.

Boys
- Mycron grey shorts.
- Sky blue short sleeve shirt with school logo on pocket.
- Brown sandals or lace up black school shoes. Black sneakers, boots or shoes with a high heel are not appropriate.
- Grey school socks.
- School jumper with logo
- Royal blue school hat with logo.

WINTER: to be worn during terms 2 & 3
Girls
- Good Shepherd Catholic School blue checked uniform (dress).
- Lace up black school shoes. Black sneakers, boots or shoes with a high heel are not appropriate.
- White school socks.
- School jumper with logo
- Optional:
  - Tights – navy blue.
  - Navy blue trousers with sky blue short sleeve shirt with school logo on pocket.
Boys
- Micron grey shorts or regulation dark grey long trousers.
- Sky blue short sleeve shirt with school logo on pocket.
- Grey school socks.
- Lace up black school shoes. Black sneakers or shoes with a high heel are not appropriate.
- School jumper with logo

SPORTS UNIFORM:

On Designated Days

Girls
- Royal blue rugby shorts.
- School’s sky blue polo t-shirt with logo
- Faction t-shirt (Sports faction colour with house logo).
- Joggers predominately white.
- Sport school socks.
- Royal blue track suit pant (for winter).
- School zip jacket with logo (sports days)

Boys
- Royal blue rugby shorts.
- School’s sky blue polo t-shirt with logo
- Faction t-shirt (Sports faction colour with house logo).
- Joggers predominately white.
- Sport school socks.
- Royal blue track suit pant (for winter)
- School zip jacket with logo (sports days)

School’s sky blue polo t-shirt with logo will be worn for interschool athletics training/carnival and swimming carnival

Optional Year 6 Leavers T Shirt is an option available for Year 6 students.

COMPULSORY FOR PRE PRIMARY TO YEAR 6

- Royal blue school bag with logo
- Library bag with school logo
- Desk mats from year 1 - 6