

Uniform Policy

Clairvaux MacKillop College has a uniform code and expects all students to wear their College uniform with pride. Our expectations are:

1. The full and correct uniform is to be worn between home and school at all times.
2. Uniforms are to be clean, pressed and in good condition.
3. All items of uniform should be clearly and permanently marked with the student's name.
4. School shoes should be clean and polished.
5. Students who would like to request adjustments for cultural or religious reasons, are welcome to do so with prior approval of the principal.

If there is a genuine reason for a student not wearing the full and correct school uniform this should be explained by a parent/guardian and contact made with the relevant Homeroom Teacher or Pastoral Leader.

Hats

The College formal hat must be worn to and from school, and during the day when moving around the College and during breaks.

The College sports hat or cap is to be worn when students are playing sport or during HPE lessons.

Hair

- Hair is to be of a conservative style
- Hair is to be clean, neatly styled and not on the student's face
- Hair beyond the collar should be tied back
- Hair is to be of a natural colour
- Extremes of hairstyle are not permitted
- Closely shaved hair (blade one or two) is not permitted
- Hair ribbons are to be in the College colours (maroon and white); other hair fasteners are to be unobtrusive.

Facial Hair

Students are to be cleanly shaven and not present to school or College events with facial hair.

T-Shirts:

Visible T-shirts are not to be worn under the College shirt, blouse or sports shirt.

Make-up

Sun safety is important in Australia. Students are encouraged to wear traditional sunscreen for sun safety. A fine and natural coverage of tinted moisturiser/sunscreen, or a mineral foundation with high SPF is permitted.

Students are not to wear any other type of makeup including eyelash extensions, mascara, eyeliner, eyeshadow, blush, lipstick or highlighter.

Jewellery

The following jewellery items are permitted:

- A Christian religious symbol on a chain - both symbol and chain are to be conservative.
- Students may wear one pair of earrings in the earlobe only. Plain sleepers or small studs less than 5 millimetres in diameter that are safety compliant and in gold or silver are permitted.

The following items are **NOT** permitted to be worn:

- All other jewellery or fashion accessories
- Nail polish, shellac and coloured acrylic nails
- Facial piercings
- Tattoos
- Clear earrings

College Bag

A College bag is to be used.

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Formal Uniform

GIRLS	BOYS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • College maroon skirt/long pants • College blouse with College tie and College badge • College socks or maroon stockings • Traditional black, lace-up leather shoes. Shoes are to be kept clean and polished • College formal hat 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grey shorts or long pants • College shirts with College tie and College badge • Black leather belt with a conservative buckle • College socks • Traditional black, lace-up leather shoes. Shoes are to be kept clean and polished • College formal hat

Winter Uniform

GIRLS	BOYS
<p>During cooler weather, when girls wear the formal uniform, the following expectations apply:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • College Blazer is compulsory for students in Year 7, 11 and 12. The Blazer is an optional item for students in Year 8, 9 and 10* • College jumper or College sports jacket is permitted for students in Year 8, 9 and 10 • Students have the option of wearing the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ College trousers ○ College maroon stockings ○ College scarf 	<p>During cooler weather, when boys wear the formal uniform, the following expectations apply:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • College Blazer is compulsory for students in Year 7, 11 and 12. The Blazer is an optional item for students in Year 8, 9 and 10* • College jumper or College sports jacket is permitted for students in Year 8, 9 and 10. • Students have the option of wearing the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ College trousers ○ College scarf

*The College is phasing in the Blazer for all students over the next three years.

Sports Uniform

GIRLS	BOYS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • College maroon shorts • College sports shirt • College sports socks • College sports hat or cap • Lace-up jogger style sports shoe <p>NB: The skort has been phased out but is optional for students in Year 8-12</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • College maroon sports shorts • College sports shirt • College sports socks • College sports hat or cap • Lace-up jogger style sports shoe

Wearing of the Sports Uniform

Students are permitted to wear their sports uniform each Thursday throughout the year.

If Health and Physical Education lessons are timetabled on a day other than Thursday, students are to wear the formal uniform to and from school. Students are to change in to their sport uniform prior to the lesson then at the end of the lesson, change in to their formal uniform.

Winter Sport Uniform Options

Tracksuit: The College tracksuit is optional wear as a sports uniform item. Tracksuit pants cannot be worn with the formal uniform.

College Sports Jackets: Students in Year 8, 9 and 10 can wear the College sports jacket with their formal uniform in cooler months. Only the College sports jacket is permitted, not jackets associated with extracurricular College teams.