

DRESS CODE POLICY

CONTEXT

The Governing Council has the right to determine a school's Dress Code Policy. The purpose of this is to develop a sense of school pride and unity amongst the members of the school community. *Westport school colours are black, white and teal.*

SCHOOL PRACTICE - Dress Code

- Besides the official uniform items, any other clothing must be plain black (no logo)
- Footwear – sneakers are preferred however school appropriate sandals are acceptable in Terms 1 and 4 and school appropriate boots are acceptable in Terms 2 and 3 (this is on the condition that sneakers are brought to school for PE and Fitness)

UNIFORM ITEMS - available from Lowes, uniform supplier

- School Dress
- School polo shirt
- Plain black - shorts, skorts and track pants
- School Rugby top
- School jacket
- Westport sunhats (also available through the front office at the payment window)
- School Bag

DRESS CODE EXCLUSIONS

- Baseball caps
- Hoods
- Jeans
- Midriff tops and tank tops
- Ripped or torn clothing (patches are acceptable)
- Mini skirts and brief shorts – nothing shorter than mid thigh
- Make up, nail polish, tattoos, skin or clothing graffiti, body piercing, false nails
- Jewellery, other than watches and standard sleepers or studs for ears. Jewellery attached to other body parts is not permitted

NON COMPLIANCE WITH SCHOOL CODE

Students not wearing school dress code will be restricted to courtyard play during break times. Students will be advised when they are not appropriately dressed via our Student Voice uniform monitors.

Persistent non-compliance by a student will result in parents being advised with the students facing exclusion from activities. If you require support in accessing acceptable clothing for your child please speak with a member of the leadership team.

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