

# State Schools' Relief Year 7 CSEF Uniform Package 2019



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## UPDATE FOR PARENTS

Applications for the State Schools' Relief Year 7 CSEF Uniform Package 2019 begin: Monday 8<sup>th</sup> October 2018

## *What you need to know*

### Who is SSR?

State Schools' Relief is a not-for-profit organisation that works closely with all government schools across Victoria. Each year State Schools' Relief provides assistance to families experiencing financial disadvantage with school uniforms and footwear.

### Introduction to Camps, Schools and Excursions Fund

Through government funding the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF) was established to provide payments for eligible students to attend camps, sports days and excursions. To find out more, or to apply for assistance, go to <http://www.education.vic.gov.au/csef> State Schools' Relief are providing packages to families eligible to receive this funding.

### 2019 Year 7 Uniform Package for CSEF recipients

Year 7 students for 2019 that are recipients of the Camps, Sports and Excursion Fund (CSEF) automatically qualify for the uniform package and/or voucher.

### What's in the package?

The 2019 package contains the following:

- 1 x Summer Dress OR Trousers OR Shorts  
PLUS
- 1 x Shirt\* OR Black Leather Shoes (Lace ups, T-bar or Skate)

\*Shirt can be either a short sleeve shirt, a long sleeve shirt or a short sleeve polo.

**Please note:** PE shirts, trousers and/or shorts are **not** included as part of this package. Shoes must be requested in UK sizes. Contact your school for our Shoe Sizing Chart.

### Cost to parents

Where State Schools' Relief cannot supply uniform items directly, you will receive a voucher that subsidises the cost of the uniform items. The voucher can be redeemed at your child's school uniform shop, or independent uniform retailer, which will be listed on the voucher. Parents receiving vouchers may need to make a co-contribution towards the cost of the uniform items. The amount a parent has to pay will depend on the retail purchase price and the State Schools' Relief subsidy.

The voucher provided by State Schools' Relief lists every approved item, and the maximum purchase value, that State Schools' Relief will cover. Please check your school's uniform price list to work out how much extra you may need to contribute towards the uniform item.

**Please note:** vouchers do have an expiry date and must be used before this date.

### How do I apply for the CSEF Uniform Package?

Applications are made through your child's school. Please do not contact State Schools' Relief directly as staff are unable to accept applications from parents. Should you have any questions, or wish to apply for assistance, please speak with your child's 2019 school.



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### How do I receive the uniform package?

- All items and/or vouchers provided by SSR will be delivered directly to your child's school. The school will then contact you to arrange handover of these items and/or vouchers.
- The voucher will advise whether you collect items from the school uniform shop or a retailer. If it's a retailer, please check with your school to find out the nearest store.
- If a uniform item costs more than the maximum subsidised amount, State Schools' Relief is unable to cover any further cost.
- If a uniform item costs less than the maximum subsidised amount, the difference cannot be redeemed or transferred to an alternate uniform item.

**Please note:** vouchers are not transferable and cannot be exchanged for cash; they cannot be used to purchase extra items and only the uniform item listed can be purchased with the voucher. State Schools' Relief does not make cash payments to schools or parents.

### Terms and Conditions

- Only Year 7 students for 2019 that qualify for CSEF are automatically entitled to a uniform pack.
- Each student is eligible for only one uniform pack.
- If a student is repeating Year 7, and received a pack in 2018, they are not eligible to receive another pack in 2019.
- All vouchers have an expiry date, which is included on the voucher. Vouchers **must** be used within the time frame specified.
- Expired vouchers cannot be redeemed.
- Vouchers will not be re-issued once expired.
- If uniform items cost less than the stated subsidised amount on the voucher, any unused subsidy cannot:
  - be transferred to a different uniform item
  - be used to purchase an extra item; or
  - provided as cash to the school or the parent.

## *What you need to do*

Your child's school will be in contact with you to order the 2019 uniform package.



## WANGARATTA HIGH SCHOOL

### WHS Minimum System Requirements

Device Type	WINDOWS		APPLE	
	Netbook	Tablet	Macbook	
Operating System	Windows 8.1 or higher	Windows 8.1 or higher	OS 10 or higher	
Wireless	802.11	802.11	802.11	
RAM	4GB	4GB	4GB	
Hard drive	256GB	256GB	256GB	

### Wangaratta High School provides:

- Microsoft Office Suite
- Select Adobe Applications
- Antivirus – System centre endpoint
- Secure student lockers
- Support for connection to WHS wireless network

### Unfortunately we can't:

- Permit recharging of devices at school
- Accept any liability for stolen or damages devices
- Support for fixing software and hardware issues

### For more information

Go to the Wangaratta High School website

[www.whs.vic.edu.au](http://www.whs.vic.edu.au) enrolments – ICT BYOD

Call the school directly on 03 5723 0500 or email [wangaratta.hs@edumail.vic.gov.au](mailto:wangaratta.hs@edumail.vic.gov.au)



# Wangaratta High School Student Computers

Wangaratta High School supports a 'student owned device' program to enable all students to have 1:1 computer learning.

To ensure that students have flexible access to digital technology to support their learning, a student owned device is the best option.

A student owned device computer must comply with the WHS Technical specifications and be used in accordance with the WHS Acceptable Use Agreement.

## What type of computer should I buy?

### New Device

A new device is the best option when starting your secondary schooling. This will ensure that the computer will be adequate for all learning from Years 7 to 12. Wangaratta High School has a partnership with Harvey Norman Wangaratta who have a full list of school requirements and provide optional insurance and technical support for families at the High School. Alternatively, a new device can be sourced from any supplier.

## Other Options

- You may already have a device that meets the minimum system requirements.
- You may have someone who is able to help you source a computer.
- You can also purchase 'refurbished' or 'second-hand' machines that meet the minimum system requirements.

## Choosing the Right Device

When purchasing a device, it is important to note:

1. Only 1 device can be connected to the school's network per student.
2. Your device should be robust to be able to withstand a school environment.
3. It is better if your device is light weight for transport.
4. The battery life of your device needs to last a full school day.
5. Warranty and insurance is recommended to assist with any issues in the future.
6. Check WHS Minimum System Requirements (turn over).



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Date: 4<sup>th</sup> September 2018

**Dear Parents/Guardians/Carers,**

Welcome to Wangaratta High School!

This package contains very important information about the Year 7 Camp to Howman's Gap, Falls Creek that is scheduled for **Monday 18<sup>th</sup> February to Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> February 2019.**

We hope that the students have a great time, meet lots of new friends and get to know their teachers, Mentor Group Teachers and Year Level Coordinators during the camp.

It is vital that the students are well prepared for the camp so please read all the information carefully. There will be further information next year in 2019, as we get closer to the time. We will travel by bus to the YMCA at Falls Creek and participate in a variety of activities. The students will be divided into groups and each group will have a qualified guide for particular activities and a WHS teacher.

The cost of the camp is yet to be finalised as it is dependent on the number of students attending however we encourage all students to attend and if there is any difficulty with parents/guardians meeting the fee please speak with **the staff in the general office** to discuss a payment plan. If you have a **Health Care Card you are eligible for the Camps, Sport and Excursion Fund (CSEF)** that will assist with payment.

You're invited to speak with the Year Level Coordinators if you have any other concerns or issues with regards to your child attending the camp.

The permission forms and the medical forms for the camp will be available via COMPASS, the school's communication portal where you will be able to fill out the required details and forward payment early next year after your child is enrolled.

**Remember**, we are here to make the camp an exciting, challenging and rewarding experience for your child.

Best regards,

**Ms Liz Crawford (Year Level Coordinator) and John Paola (Year Level Coordinator)**

**\* Please note: Digital devices including radios, electronic games, iPods, phones are not allowed at the venue. Mobile reception is not available and all communication must go through Wangaratta High School. The school will then contact management at Howman's Gap should it be required.**



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## **Activities on the Year 7 Camp 2019 will include some of the following:**

### **Activity Descriptions (YMCA Instructed)**

#### **On Site**

##### ***Archery***

In a carefully structured session students will be taken through some of the more technical aspects of archery aimed at developing a higher level of skill.

##### ***Bike Ed***

The students are broken down into small groups to work on bike riding skills such as turning, braking, gear selection and balance in a fun, structured and relaxed environment with a hint of competition to keep it exciting.

##### ***Bush Art***

Working in groups, or individually, students will find a quiet natural space that contains bits and pieces of nature that are used to create a work of art which is meaningful to them/the group.

##### ***Bush Cooking***

A session which takes groups back to the basics by collecting wood, starting a camp fire, cooking damper and general camp fire safety; fire restrictions, total fire ban days and contributing factors are also explained.

##### ***Challenge Trail***

Interactive problem solving challenges. No two problems are the same; no two solutions are the same. Groups are presented with parameters to work within and employ cooperation and some physical effort to gain a solution. Whole team participation and communication are a priority in the learning of this activity.

##### ***Frisbee Golf***

Just like golf but with Frisbees, everyone scores! Individuals are able to set themselves a goal and work hard to achieve it.

##### ***Giant Swing***

A harnessed person is hauled by their team up to 17 meters and then they release themselves by a special trigger mechanism. Why am I doing this? This is too high! These are the thoughts going through a person's head before the flight. Once released, adrenalin, excitement and achievement will take over.

## ***High Ropes 1 & 2***

Will provide individuals with personal and team development, within a supportive group environment. The three sections; Vertical Challenge, Catwalk & Multi Vines are at different heights. The Vertical Challenge is 12 meters high; and the harnessed climber negotiates a cargo net, swinging poles and artificial rock face before reaching the top. Belaying in teams ensures group participation. Reaching great heights and confronting fears with the support of an encouraging team and safe environment.

***Initiatives*** - Stimulating problem-solving tasks designed to help group members develop their capacity to work effectively together. Many team building and initiative tasks are like kids games, others are novel, complex tasks and designed for specific needs. Initiative activities can be adapted for virtually any setting, young or old, large or small groups, and across cultures.

## ***Orienteering / GeoCaching***

This activity aims for the participants to have fun out in the natural environment while at the same time learning about the unique area that surrounds them. They will learn about navigation and how important it is to work together in their small team. We have a basic mapped course.

## ***Outdoor Climbing Wall***

6 metre artificial climbing wall, with three different faces providing differing challenges to suit your needs. Learning new skills and looking after each other mentally and physically.

## ***Survival Skills***

This is a combination of 4-5 different short activities based around the premise of a group needing to survive in various difficult situations. These activities can help students with skills such as decision making, and prioritising, as well as practical skills like simple knots, shelter building, and the basic human needs of food, water, shelter and air.

## ***Mini Olympics***

This is a great activity for wet weather days held inside, or as an extra outdoor activity. Participants' work together utilizing coordination, team building and having fun to complete numerous quick games that are both logical and physical in their solving.

## ***Ultimate Frisbee***

A non-contact competitive team game played with a Frisbee. The object of the game is to score points by passing the disc to a player in the opposing end-zone. Players may not run while holding the disc. Ultimate is distinguished by the principles of fair play, sportsmanship, and the joy of play.



## **Off Site**

### ***Bush Walks***

Take advantage of the local knowledge of our staff and enjoy a walk around the high plains visiting historic cattleman's huts. Walks can be specifically designed to cater for each groups' individual learning outcomes. Walks can be half or full day.

### ***Canoeing***

Learn skills in a sheltered and beautiful environment on Lake Guy at Bogong Village. Develop canoeing skills as well as focusing on cooperation and communication skills. Create an awareness and understanding of the local environment.

## **ON-SITE TEACHER LED ACTIVITIES**

### **Day Activities**

- Bush Art*
- Frisbee Golf*
- Orienteering*
- Ultimate Frisbee*
- Initiatives*
- Survival Skills*

### **Night Activity Descriptions**

#### ***Concert***

Always a fun activity for the last night of camp. Can be held in the Dining Room.

#### ***Karaoke***

Using our big screen and PA system sing the night away using our Wii Computer. Can be held in the conference room, or dining hall.

#### ***Night Navigation***

In groups with only one torch, they follow a mildly cryptic reflective marker course.

#### ***Trivia Night***

Working in teams, groups must answer questions correctly to gain points. Special novelty activities can earn your team additional points. We have brainteasers and riddles available for primary students up through to secondary students and adults.



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# VOUCHERS ARE TO BE REDEEMED AT WORKLOCKER ONLY

## 2019 Year 7 CSEF Uniform Pack Order Form

### Wangaratta High School

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Name and Contact Number \_\_\_\_\_

In 2019 every Year 7 Government School student who is in receipt of the CSEF payment automatically qualifies to receive a uniform pack through State Schools' Relief (SSR).

#### How to use this order form

This form has been developed to assist schools record individual student uniform requirements. Please record the required sizes for your child and return it to the school.

#### 1. Shoes – using the attached A3 Shoe Sizing Chart please circle 1 only

Boys Lace Up	1	2	3	4	5	5.5	6	6.5	7	7.5	8	8.5	9	10	11	12
Girls Lace Up	1	2	3	4	5		6		7		8		9	10		12
Girls T-bar	1	2	3	4	5		6		7		8		9	10		12
Suede Skate Shoe	1	2	3	4	5		6		7		8		9	10		12

Note: Half sizes are only available in Boys Lace Up

#### 2. Uniform – please circle only 1 item from each box for BOYS or GIRLS

BOYS Items	Size
Shorts <u>OR</u> Trousers	
Choose one of the below:	
Long Sleeve Polo Shirt <u>OR</u> Short Sleeve Polo Shirt <u>OR</u>	
Boys Lace Up <u>OR</u> Skate Shoe	

GIRLS Items	Size
Summer Dress <u>OR</u> Trousers <u>OR</u> Shorts	
Choose one of the below:	
Long Sleeve Polo Shirt <u>OR</u> Short Sleeve Polo Shirt <u>OR</u>	
Girls Lace Up <u>OR</u> Girls T-Bar	

\*\*\*Please note that there may be a small amount outstanding that families may need to pay\*\*\*

#### 3. Size guide – using the following Size Guide write the correct size for each item selected above

	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24	26	28	30	32
Height (cms)	108	120	130	140	150	160	170	180	183	186	190	190	190	190	190
Chest (cms)	59	63	68	73	78	83	88	93	98	103	108	113	118	123	128
Waist (cms)	56	58	60	64	67	72	77	82	87	92	97	102	107	112	117
Hip (cms)	61	65	70	75	79	84	89	94	99	104	109	114	119	124	129

**CAMPS, SPORTS AND EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF) APPLICATION FORM**

Wangaratta High School

School Name

8425

School REF ID

**Parent/legal guardian details**

Surname \_\_\_\_\_

First name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Town/suburb \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

Contact number \_\_\_\_\_

Centrelink pensioner concession **OR** Health care card number (CRN)

-    -    -  **OR**

Foster parent\* **OR**  Veterans affairs pensioner

\*Foster Parents must provide a copy of the temporary care order letter from the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS).

**Student details**

Child's surname	Child's first name	Student ID	Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy)	Year level

I authorise the Department of Education and Training (DET) to use Centrelink Confirmation eServices to perform an enquiry of my Centrelink customer details and concession card status in order to enable the business to determine if I qualify for a concession, rebate or service. I also authorise the Australian Government Department of Human Services (DHS) to provide the results of that enquiry to DET.

I understand that:

- DHS will use information I have provided to DET to confirm my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund and will disclose to DET personal information including my name, address, payment and concession card type and status.
- this consent, once signed, remains valid while my child is enrolled at a registered Victorian school unless I withdraw it by contacting the school.
- I can obtain proof of my circumstances/details from DHS and provide it to DET so that my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund can be determined.
- if I withdraw my consent or do not alternatively provide proof of my circumstances/details, I may not be eligible for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund provided by DET.
- information regarding my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund may be disclosed to the Victorian Department of Health and Human Services and /or State Schools Relief for the purpose of evaluating concession card services or confirming eligibility for assistance.

You are able to request access to the personal information that we hold about you, and to request that any errors be corrected, by contacting your child's school.

Signature of applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

## CSEF ELIGIBILITY

Below is the criteria used to determine a student's eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF).

### Criteria 1 – Eligibility

To be eligible\* for the fund, a parent or legal guardian of a student attending a registered Government or non-government Victorian primary or secondary school must:

- on the first day of Term one, or;
- on the first day of Term two;
  - a) Be an eligible beneficiary within the meaning of the *State Concessions Act 2004*, that is, be a holder of Veterans Affairs Gold Card or be an eligible Centrelink Health Care Card (HCC) or Pensioner Concession Card (PCC) holder, OR
  - b) Be a temporary foster parent, and;
  - c) Submit an application to the school by the due date.

\* A special consideration eligibility category also exists. For more information, see: [www.education.vic.gov.au/csef](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/csef)

Parents who receive a Carer Allowance on behalf of a child, or any other benefit or allowance not income tested by Centrelink, are not eligible for the CSEF unless they also comply with one of (a) or (b) above.

### Criteria 2 - Be of school age and attend school in Victoria

School is compulsory for all Victorian children aged between six and 17 years of age inclusive.

For the purposes of CSEF, students may be eligible for assistance if they attend a Victorian registered primary or secondary school. Typically, these students are aged between five and 18 years inclusive.

CSEF is not payable to students attending pre-school, kindergarten, home schooled, or TAFE.

### Eligibility Date

For concession card holders CSEF eligibility will be subject to the parent/legal guardian's concession card being successfully validated with Centrelink on the first day of either term one (29 January 2018) or term two (16 April 2018).

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## PAYMENT AMOUNTS

### CSEF payment amount

The CSEF is an annual payment to the school to be used towards camps, sports and/or excursion expenses for the benefit of the eligible student.

- Primary school student rate: \$125 per year.
- Secondary school student rate: \$225 per year.

The CSEF is paid directly to your child's school and will be allocated by the school towards camps, sports and/or excursion costs for your child.

For ungraded students, the rate payable is determined by the student's date of birth. For more information, see: [www.education.vic.gov.au/csef](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/csef)

Year 7 government school students who are CSEF recipients are also eligible for a uniform voucher. Secondary schools are required to make applications on behalf of parents so please register your interest at the school.

## HOW TO COMPLETE THE APPLICATION FORM

### NOTE: ALL SECTIONS MUST BE COMPLETED BY PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN

1. Complete the PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN DETAILS section.  
Make sure that the Surname, First Name, and Customer Reference Number (CRN) details match those on your concession card. You will also need to provide your concession card to the school.  
If you are claiming as a Foster Parent or a Veteran Affairs Pensioner, you will need to provide a copy of documentation confirming your status as a temporary Foster Parent or provide your Veteran Affairs Pensioner Gold card to the school.
2. Complete the STUDENT/S DETAILS section for students at this school.
3. Sign and date the form and return it to the school office as soon as possible. The CSEF program for 2018 closes on 29 June, 2018.

CSEF payments cannot be claimed retrospectively for prior years.

Queries relating to CSEF eligibility and payments should be directed to the school.

# Wangaratta High School

## School Uniform Policy



### Purpose

- To promote a positive image of the school and its students in the community.
- To create a sense of collective and individual pride in students and their identification with the school.
- A strategy for individual student safety and group security.
- To help prevent discrimination based on socio-economic circumstances and remove the potential stigma of class or sub groups, allowing students to concentrate on their learning.

### Aim

To have all students wearing the approved Wangaratta High School uniform.

### Implementation

DEECD Guidelines (authority provided to schools regarding Student Dress Code)

(Reference: School Policy and Advisory Guide)

- All school councils have the authority to create and implement dress codes for their students. This authority arises from a ministerial Order under the Education and Training Reform Act 2006.
- A dress code is a detailed written statement of the expectations that a school council holds regarding student appearance.
- A dress code may require students to wear a school uniform and may define specifications for garment design and colour.

### Historical Information

- Ink blue is the foundation colour for the Wangaratta High School (WHS) uniform.
- Colours within the Wangaratta High School emblem have been traditionally used to determine the colour of components of the school uniform.
- The WHS emblem is used to clearly identify WHS uniform items.

### Non-negotiable Parameters

- OHS workshop guidelines require footwear to be strong leather shoes or boots.
- Facial piercing is not permitted.

#### Uniform Consultation Processes

The consultation process for changes to the uniform policy will involve consultation with staff, students and parents via the Student Wellbeing Committee of School Council at Wangaratta High School.

#### Exemption from the Uniform Code

- The Principal or his/her delegate can grant exemptions to the uniform.
- The request for exemption must be received in writing and considered on a case by case basis.

Exemption may be granted based on any of the following:

1. An aspect of the code offends a religious belief held by the student/parents/guardians.
2. An aspect of the code prevents the student from complying with a requirement of their ethnic or cultural background.
3. An aspect of the code prevents students with disabilities from being able to attend school or participate in school activities on the same terms as other students.
4. The student has a particular health condition that requires a variation from an aspect of the code.

The Principal will need to consider what kind of exemption is required. In some cases, a slight modification of the dress requirements may be required, rather than a complete exemption.

When considering whether an exemption on the grounds of economic hardship should be made, the Principal will need to decide whether or not to grant financial or other assistance to the parent(s)/guardian(s) to enable the student to comply with the dress code without stigma or undue embarrassment. This may be appropriate if the school council wishes to maintain a sense of school identity rather than grant an exemption.

#### Transition Period for the New and Discontinued Items of Uniform

- The Principal will determine the transition period for new items of uniform.
- This transition period for new and discontinued items will be for the 2012 school year. Socks are excluded from this period.

#### Uniform Supplier Agreement

## Work Locker Wangaratta

All uniform is available at Work locker; every item now has the WHS logo.

Trading hours: Monday to Friday 8:30am – 5:30pm; Saturday 9 am – 12.30 pm

118-120 Murphy Street

Phone number: 03 5722 4644

Fax: 03 5722 4648

Email: wangaratta@worklocker.com.au

## Acceptable Items of Uniform

### GIRLS UNIFORM

#### Summer Items Include:

1. Scags ink blue belt loop shorts
2. Plain ink blue microfibre shorts
3. Plain ink blue polyester gabardine pants
4. Heavier weight (warmer) - Plain ink blue polyester gabardine pants
5. A-line Plain ink blue skirt.
6. Wangaratta High School summer dress.
7. Short sleeve white, collared, poly-cotton polo shirt, with embroidered school emblem (a plain white t-shirt that fits wholly under the polo shirt may be worn).
8. Short or Long sleeve, white, business collared, buttoned to the neck, polyester cotton shirt, "Midford" school style with embroidered school emblem.

#### Winter Items Include:

9. Plain ink blue polyester pants Heavier weight (warmer) - Plain ink blue polyester gabardine pants
10. WHS tartan serge polyester-rayon pleated skirt with navy tights.
11. Short or Long sleeve, white, business collared, buttoned to the neck, polyester cotton shirt, Midford school style with embroidered school emblem.

#### All year round items include:

12. Plain black leather lace up or "T" Bar buckle shoes or low heel, low cut boots with black sole (no suede, 'Dunlop' volleys or canvas shoes). Note: All laces are to be black.
13. Plain white socks or plain ink blue stockings (not together), or plain black socks (worn with long pants only), ink blue socks (worn with long pants only).
14. Ink blue WHS school jumper, "V" necked with embroidered school emblem.
15. WHS polar fleece jacket with embroidered school emblem.
16. WHS rain jacket.
17. Plain ink blue, ivory or black scarf.
18. Plain ink blue beanie, with optional embroidered school emblem.
19. Plain ink blue, white or black headband.

## BOYS' UNIFORM

### Summer Items Include:

1. Plain ink blue draw string cotton gabardine shorts
2. Scags plain ink blue cotton gabardine shorts with belt loops
3. Short sleeve white, collared, poly-cotton polo shirt, with embroidered school emblem
4. Short or Long sleeve, white, business collared, buttoned to the neck, polyester cotton shirt, "Midford" school style with embroidered school emblem.

### Winter Items Include:

5. Plain ink blue polyester gabardine pants
6. Long or short sleeve, white, collared, poly-cotton polo shirt, with embroidered school emblem.
7. Short or Long sleeve, white, business collared, buttoned to the neck, polyester cotton shirt, Midford school style with embroidered school emblem.
8. Plain ink blue wind breaker with embroidered school emblem.

### All Year Round Items Include:

9. Plain black leather lace up shoes, or low heel, low cut boots with black sole (no suede, 'Dunlop' volleys or canvas shoes). Note: All laces are to be black.
10. Plain white socks or plain black socks (worn with long pants only), ink blue socks (worn with long pants only), no logos.
11. Ink blue WHS school jumper, "V" necked with embroidered school emblem.
12. WHS polar fleece jacket with embroidered school emblem.
13. WHS rain jacket.
14. Plain ink blue, ivory or black scarf.
15. Plain ink blue beanie, with optional embroidered school emblem.

## BOYS' & GIRLS' PE & SPORT UNIFORM

1. Scags Ink blue sports shorts with white trim.
2. Navy, white and grey polyester polo shirt with embroidered school emblem, with the option to embroider the house name below the WHS emblem.
3. Sports shoes non-marking soles.
4. White socks.
5. A broad brimmed hat will be encouraged to be worn from September to April.
6. OPTIONAL – plain navy tracksuit pants & Navy and white track suit top.

YEAR 12 students may wear the school rugby top of an agreed/approved design. The design must be approved by School Council.

TEC students can choose to uniquely identify themselves by requesting embroidering of TEC on the back of their school rugby jumper.

CLC students are encouraged to wear the royal blue WHS CLC2 polo shirt with embroidered school emblem.



**Sun Smart Hats** - A broad brimmed hat is encouraged to be worn during recess and lunch time and all outdoor activities during the period of September to April.

Students in practical classes will need to wear fully enclosed shoes – sandals are not acceptable in practical classes for safety and hygiene reasons.

### **Jewellery**

In general, jewellery is not encouraged. Because of the nature of activities at this school including sport and physical education etc, the school permits the wearing of up to two plain sleepers and studs maximum diameter 5mm, but does not permit fancy, drop earrings or tapers to be worn. Students wearing inappropriate earrings will be asked to remove them.

**Facial piercing is not permitted at any time for any reason or duration.**

Watches are permitted and encouraged, however bracelets and rings that have raised sections are considered dangerous and should not be worn. Simple necklaces are if they are under the shirt/dress line. There will be times when they will need to be removed, (eg. physical education and when using some specialised machinery in practical classes).

### **Approved Combinations of Uniform**

WHS Uniform must be worn in an appropriate way – it is a reflection on the school, other students and the individual. Uniform consists of summer and winter styles and can be worn at any time as long as they are in the following combinations:

#### **GIRLS' SUMMER UNIFORM**

Consists of:

- WHS summer dress or
- A-line Plain ink blue skirt with white shirt or
- Ink blue shorts with white shirt.
- Shoes with white, navy or black socks – no logos.

#### **GIRLS' WINTER UNIFORM**

Consists of:

- A-line Plain ink blue skirt with white polo shirt or white collared shirt, navy stockings or white socks and black shoes or
- Ink tartan skirt with white polo shirt or white collared shirt, navy stockings and black shoes or
- Ink blue trousers with white polo shirt or white collared shirt, ink blue, black or white socks and black shoes. Note: All laces are to be black.

#### **BOYS' SUMMER UNIFORM**

Consists of:

- Ink blue trousers with white shirt.
- Ink blue shorts with white shirt.

- Shoes with ink blue, black or white socks when wearing long pants.
- Shoes with white socks when wearing short pants.

#### BOYS' WINTER UNIFORM

Consists of:

- Ink blue trousers with white shirt or white long sleeved collared shirt or
- Ink blue shorts with white shirt or white long sleeved collared shirt or
- Shoes with ink blue, black or white socks when wearing long pants.
- Shoes with white socks when wearing short pants.

#### ADDITIONAL NOTES

- A WHS jumper or WHS rain jacket or WHS polo fleece jacket can be worn with summer or winter uniform.
- All skirts & dresses must be worn no more than 15cm above or 15cm below the knee.
- Combinations of summer and winter uniform cannot be worn.
- Plain white tee shirts can be worn under white shirts if they fit wholly under the shirt.
- Please note all belts must be plain black or navy with a simple plain buckle that is no wider than the belt.
- Wearing a school tie is an optional item that can be worn with the white collared shirt.

#### Reference

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