

## 1. Rationale

At St Ignatius School we strive to educate the whole child and provide a sound basis for life-long learning. We endeavour to develop in the children a sense of community and belonging. Therefore students are expected to take pride in wearing our school uniform.

## 2. Values

The following values have been identified from the school's mission statement as appropriate to this policy.

- Welcoming caring community
- Self acceptance and self respect
- Service
- Supportive and challenging environment
- Care of each individual
- Holistic Catholic Education

## 3. Policy Statement

St Ignatius School is a Christ-centred community within St Ignatius Parish, Toowong. Students from the community are enrolled on the understanding that both parents and students appreciate and support the school's uniform policy in addition to the philosophy and ethos of a Catholic school.

### ST IGNATIUS SCHOOL UNIFORMS

UNIFORM	GIRLS	BOYS
<b>FORMAL</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Green check, drop waist <b>dress</b> with sleeves, white collar and school logo on left side. OR Green check <b>blouse</b> with sleeves, white collar and school logo on left side with green check <b>culottes</b> or navy <b>shorts</b> with elastic waist at back.</li> </ul> <p><b>SHOES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Black leather school <b>shoes</b> with navy crew <b>socks</b>. Prep students are encouraged to wear velcro shoes.</li> </ul> <p><b>HATS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cream Madeleine <b>hat</b> with band &amp; school logo AND</li> <li>• St Ignatius branded navy bucket <b>hat</b> – Required for PE</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Blue <b>shirt</b> with school logo on left pocket. Shirts must be worn tucked in when not being active.</li> <li>• Navy <b>shorts</b> with elastic waist at back.</li> </ul> <p><b>SHOES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Black leather school <b>shoes</b> with navy crew <b>socks</b>. Prep students are encouraged to wear velcro shoes.</li> </ul> <p><b>HAT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• St Ignatius branded navy bucket <b>hat</b>.</li> </ul>

<p><b>SPORTS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Green polo <b>shirt</b> with navy blue trim and school logo</li> <li>• Green check sports <b>skort</b> or</li> <li>• Navy knit <b>shorts</b></li> </ul> <p><b>SHOES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Predominately plain white standard <b>sports shoes</b> and white crew <b>socks</b>. <b>Street, skate or basketball shoes are not permitted.</b></li> </ul> <p><b>HAT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• St Ignatius branded navy bucket <b>hat</b>.</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Plain house colour shirts</b> may be worn to designated sporting events.</li> <li>• <b>Visor for competitive sport available</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Green polo <b>shirt</b> with navy blue trim and school logo</li> <li>• Navy knit <b>shorts</b></li> </ul> <p><b>SHOES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Predominately plain white standard <b>sports shoes</b> and white crew <b>socks</b>. <b>Street, skate or basketball shoes are not permitted.</b></li> </ul> <p><b>HAT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• St Ignatius branded navy bucket <b>hat</b>.</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Plain house colour shirts</b> may be worn to designated sporting events.</li> <li>• <b>Visor for competitive sport available</b></li> </ul>
<p><b>WINTER</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Navy blue V-neck <b>jumper</b> with school logo printed on left side.</li> <li>• <b>School jacket</b> may be worn with formal and sports uniforms.</li> <li>• Navy <b>tights</b> are optional under girls' formal uniform.</li> <li>• Navy <b>track suit pants</b> optional for sports uniform.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Navy blue V-neck <b>jumper</b> with school logo printed on left side.</li> <li>• <b>School jacket</b> may be worn with formal and sports uniforms.</li> <li>• Navy <b>track suit pants</b> optional.</li> </ul>

## Additional Uniform Requirements

It would be unusual circumstances where a student does not wear full school uniform. An accompanying letter or email from a parent/guardian is requested to explain the circumstances. As a Sun Smart School, the school hat must be worn to and from school, and when participating in outdoor activities.

- 1) Fingernail polish and make-up may not be worn to school.
- 2) Hair longer than collar length must be worn tied back/up with dark green, navy or natural hair coloured accessories. Hair needs to be of a length that does not obstruct or distract the eyes. Natural hair colour only is acceptable. Hair razor cuts may be no shorter than a 3 blade. Razor tracks, mullets, mohawks, rats tails and other similar styles are not permitted. Hair should be neat and tidy and not of a design that would attract attention.
- 3) No decorative jewellery other than a simple cross or religious icon with a chain may be worn at school. A digital or analogue watch may be worn. Please see Personal Device Policy for more specific information regarding acceptable watches that can be worn.
- 4) One small sleeper/stud earring may be worn in each ear. Choices should be restricted to small plain silver/gold hoops or studs.

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