



ROSEDALE

State School (K-12 Campus)



Dress Code and Uniform Policy

Under the Education (*General Provisions*) Act 2006 a Principal may develop a dress code to apply when students are attending or representing the school. The P&C of Rosedale State School have endorsed a Dress Code and Uniform Policy to support the objectives of the Act. These objectives are:

- Create a safe environment for learning by enabling ready identification of students and non-students of the school;
- Ensure an effective teaching and learning environment by eliminating the distraction of competition in dress and fashion of the school;
- Foster a sense of belonging as part of the school;
- Generate mutual respect among individuals at the school by minimising visible evidence of economic, class or social differences.

General Uniform Requirements:

At Rosedale State School students will comply with the designated dress code in alignment with the Education (General Provisions) Act 2006 and the Student Code of Conduct. *At all times – including extra curricula dyas, camps and free dress fnid raisers etc, , clothing must maintain a suitable level of modesty and meet HSW requirements..*

Tops (Any undershirts worn must not be visible)

- **Secondary School (Years 7 -12)** - Royal Blue polo shirt with black insert and school logo embroidered
- **Primary School (Prep—Year 6)** - Royal Blue polo shirt with gold insert and school logo embroidered
- **Kindy** – Orange polo shirt with school logo embroidered
- Any student may also wear the School Sports shirt
- School jacket
- Black or navy Jumper/Cardigan
- Only Year 11 & 12 students may wear senior jerseys
- Hooded garments are not to be worn

Bottoms (All year levels)

- Plain black school shorts/skorts with school logo. Length to be no shorter than mid-thigh or extend below the knee.
- black or blue track suit or long dress pants.
- Black/blue/skin tone stockings/tights may be worn under shorts and be free of holes.
- Jeans / Jeggings / Leggings are not accepted.

						
Jacket	Primary shirt	Secondary shirt	Sports shirt	Primary shorts	Skort	Secondary shorts

Shoes - predominately black closed in shoes with a tongue, preferably leather or leather like no higher than the ankle e.g. joggers or leather dress shoes. No canvas or mesh shoes. Fully enclosed shoes must be worn at all times, including on buses.

Socks - plain white ankle length school socks

EXAMPLES OF ACCEPTABLE SHOES

Shoes must be **BLACK** leather or imitation leather only, with black laces



EXAMPLES OF UNACCEPTABLE SHOES



Accessories:

- **Gloves/Mittens** - black or blue and only to be worn outside of class time
- **Scarves and beanies**- Due to HSW requirements, these items are not to be worn at school
- **Hats** - Predominately black or blue. Wide brims preferred. Students must wear hats whenever they are exposed to the sun for sun protection.
- **Hair accessories** - large hair accessories (e.g. headbands) should be predominately school colours (blue, black, yellow or white) and free of any large decorative features.
- **Jewellery** - The following pieces of jewellery may be worn at school:
 - A wrist watch
 - Plain sleepers or studs no more than three in each ear
 - Nose piercing may be small plain stud (must not pose a HSW risk and be deemed suitable by the Principal); no other body or facial piercings are permitted
 - Religious icons or jewellery of personal significance may be worn under the uniform and not visible or constitutes a HSW issue
 - Medical alert bracelets may be worn as part of medical action plan
(Some classes have further restrictions due to Health Safety and Wellbeing (HSW) regulations)
- **Makeup**
 - Students are not to wear makeup to school; the only exception being foundation or tinted moisturiser
 - Nails should be no longer than tips of fingers
 - False/Acrylic nails, gel/chelac and coloured nail polish not allowed. Clear polish or French tips is acceptable
 - Hair colour should be natural tones
 - *Students will be asked to remove any of the above, and sent home to recolour hair/remove nails if not natural in size, shape or tone*

In the case of genuine hardship, the school may provide a student with part or full uniform. This is a short-term option as it is the responsibility of parents to ensure their children are dressed in correct uniform. In exceptional circumstances, where a student is unable to wear the approved uniform, a uniform exemption pass may be issued for a negotiated period of time.

Expectations

To avoid consequences students should attend the Cultural and Wellbeing Hub (J-Block) prior to roll class to secure a day loan uniform or exemption to ensure participation in class activities.

Behaviour	Possible Consequences
Occasional non-compliance of School Dress Code (with written note of explanation)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Student given verbal reminder of uniform expectations• Students may be provided with a uniform on loan for the day• If there is non-compliance with workplace health and safety guidelines or attire is inappropriate for the school environment the student may be refused entry to a learning environment• Student unable to represent the school on this occasion (e.g. not able to attend excursions)• SMS sent to parents.
A pattern of Non –compliance with School Dress Code is exhibited.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lunch time detention on same day• Phone call to parents to explain• Unable to participate in any activity which is not part of the essential education program of the school
Continued pattern of non-compliance or failure to attend detention	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Parents contacted by Head of Department or Deputy Principal• Student unable to participate in extra curricula activities and may be required to access teaching and learning separate from peers until the uniform issue is resolved.