



St James' Kotara South

School Uniform Requirements

The Uniform Requirements should be read in conjunction with the Catholic Schools Office Diocese of Maitland-Newcastle School Uniform Policy and School Uniform Procedure Documents.

At St James we foster **RESPECT, RESPONSIBILITY and RESILIENCE** in all students. The wearing of a school uniform creates a sense of belonging and provides a visible identity and contributes to inclusiveness and equity. In the wider community our children can be readily identified as belonging to St James' Catholic Primary School. All students are required to wear their full school uniform each day, especially when representing the school at sport or for any other purpose. Our *School Uniform Requirements* outlines what is acceptable in all matters relating to school uniform and appropriate personal presentation. Classroom teachers will monitor the wearing of uniforms on a day-to-day basis – including our school hat, which must be worn at all times in the playground. Inappropriate dress/items will be brought to the attention of the student and parents. If the uniform is not worn, a note from parents is required. This is in line with our PBL expectation: **RESPECT-Wear the correct uniform with pride.**

Summer	Winter
<p>Option 1: "A" line blue and white check tunic Black leather school shoes (<i>not boots or joggers</i>) White crew socks ankle length (<i>not anklets</i>) Navy fleecy jumper with school logo Navy microfibre jacket with school logo Navy blue school hat with school logo</p> <p>Option 2: Navy school cuffed shorts White short sleeve Peter Pan blouse with school logo and piping Black leather school shoes (<i>not boots or joggers</i>) White crew socks ankle length (<i>not anklets</i>) Navy fleecy jumper with school logo Navy microfibre jacket with school logo (optional) Navy blue school hat with school logo</p> <p>Option 3: Grey school shorts (no corduroy, cargo or board shorts) Mid-blue short sleeve shirt with school logo Navy fleecy jumper with school logo Navy microfibre jacket with school logo (optional) Black leather school shoes (<i>not boots or non-leather joggers</i>) Grey crew socks ankle length (<i>not anklets</i>) Navy blue school hat with school logo</p> <p>Sport: Navy Sports shorts with school logo Navy & White school Polo shirt with school logo Sport shoes and white socks</p>	<p>Option 1: Grey/Navy check pinafore White Peter Pan blouse with school logo & piping (short or long sleeve) Navy fleecy jumper with school logo Navy microfibre jacket with school logo Black leather school shoes (<i>not boots or joggers</i>) White crew socks ankle length (<i>not anklets</i>) OR navy stockings Navy blue school hat with school logo</p> <p>Option 2: Navy school pants or shorts White Peter Pan blouse with school logo & piping (short or long sleeve) Navy fleecy jumper with school logo Navy microfibre jacket with school logo (optional) Black leather school shoes (<i>not boots or joggers</i>) White crew socks ankle length (<i>not anklets</i>) OR navy stockings Navy blue school hat with school logo</p> <p>Option 3: Grey school trousers or shorts Mid-blue shirt with school logo (long or short sleeve) Navy fleecy jumper with school logo Navy microfibre jacket with school logo (optional) Black leather school shoes (<i>not boots or non-leather joggers</i>) Grey crew socks ankle length (<i>not anklets</i>) Navy blue school hat with school logo</p> <p>Sport: Navy track pants or shorts with school logo Navy & White school Polo shirt with school logo Sport shoes and white socks</p>

HAIR

Hair should always be **neat and tidy** and should not hang across the eyes. Hair **longer than shoulder length** should be always tied back for health and safety reasons. Navy/Royal Blue &/or White hair accessories (small) only should be worn. Hair is to be its **natural colour**. Hair styles should be moderate with **no extremes** to draw the attention of other students through cut, colour or additive products.

JEWELLERY/COSMETICS

Jewellery is not part of the school uniform and should be kept to a minimum.

The following items are permitted:

- **small studs or sleepers** (maximum 1 per earlobe)
- **A watch** (traditional or watches that only tell the time). Smartwatches with connectivity are NOT permitted to be worn during the school day.

As other items such as rings, bangles and necklaces pose potential safety risks, they are not to be worn. Exceptions include medical alert bracelets.

Nail polish is not permitted, this includes acrylic nails or other fake nails. The wearing of make-up is also not permitted. Sunscreen is advised for outdoor activity.

NB: All uniform items must be clearly marked with the child's name. This allows for easy return of lost property.