



Mawson Primary School

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Uniform and Dress Standards

1 Introduction

1.1 Mawson Primary School expects that students wear school uniform at school as outlined by the ACT Education Directorate. This creates a sense of belonging and helps develop school pride. A school's dress standard plays an important role in promoting a positive image of the school. Full school uniform is required for school excursions and special events.

2 Rationale

The benefits of a school uniform include:

- assisting students to learn the importance of appropriate presentation
- promoting the safety of students through easier identification
- keeping costs of clothing within reasonable limits for parents
- promoting a sense of a school identity and belonging among students.

3. Schools Expectations

3.1 Students at Mawson Primary School are expected to dress in a manner that is clean and does not create offence to others. Positive reinforcement and encouragement of wearing school uniform will be encouraged by all staff. There are times, however, when family circumstances prevent students from wearing the school uniform. Teachers and school staff take these circumstances into consideration. The school has funds available to assist families who may need help purchasing the uniform.

3.2 Parents will be informed if a student has not been wearing school uniform or is wearing inappropriate clothing items for an extended period of time and the school will work with the family to support them to acquire uniforms.

3.3 Extremely short gym shorts, brightly coloured socks, brightly coloured jumpers/hoodies, jeans, animal ears and beanies are NOT part of our uniform.

3.4 Financial hardship is managed discreetly. The school will provide uniforms to families in these circumstances through the student support funding provided by the Education Directorate.

4 Uniform

4.1 All uniform items can be purchased at:

<https://workingearschools.com.au/uniformsbyschool/>

GIRLS SUMMER UNIFORM	BOYS SUMMER UNIFORM
School dress Royal blue shorts or royal blue skirts Sky blue short sleeve polo shirt with school logo Royal blue bucket hat with school logo White socks with runners or black shoes	Sky blue short sleeve polo shirt with school logo Royal blue sport shorts Royal blue bucket hat with school logo White socks with runners or black shoes
GIRLS WINTER UNIFORM	BOYS WINTER UNIFORM
Royal blue track pants Sky blue long sleeve polo shirt with school logo. Royal blue fleecy hooded jacket with school logo or dark royal blue half zip polar fleece with school logo Royal blue bucket hat with school logo	Royal blue track pants or royal blue winter pants Sky blue long sleeve polo shirt with school logo Royal blue fleecy hooded jacket with school logo or dark royal blue half zip polar fleece with school logo Royal blue bucket hat with school logo

5 Shoes

5.1 For safety, children should wear enclosed shoes, such as runners, that allow easy mobility during physical activities and playtime. Crocs, sandals and thongs/flip-flops are not appropriate for school.

6 Sports Shirts

6.1 The school supplies a designated sports shirt for students who represent our school in inter-school events such as inter-school carnivals and games. There is no cost to students for using these shirts.

7 Year 6 Uniform

7.1 Each year our Year 6 students have the opportunity to purchase a special school shirt to wear. The shirt will be a short sleeved contrast panel polo shirt in navy blue, yellow and white. It is made with breezeway technology which draws moisture away from the body and enables air flow from the outside in. There is also the opportunity to purchase a fleecy hooded jacket with the same screen print.