



Mundijong Primary School

An Independent Public School

DRESS CODE 2017 to 2019

Mundijong Primary School has a uniform dress code for all students. This is in accordance with Department of Education policy and has been ratified by the school council/ board. Acceptance of enrolment at the school assumes an agreement that the enrolling student will dress within the guidelines of the dress code.

The Mundijong school community believes a school dress code:

- fosters and enhances the public image of the school;
- assists in building school and team spirit;
- allows quick identification of our students and promotes a safer school environment;
- ensures students are safely dressed for specific school activities;
- promotes equity among students; and
- fosters an understanding amongst students that being suitably groomed is an expectation of any future workplace.

The school council/board strongly supports the school in insisting that all children wear the approved school uniform whilst at school, on excursions, during interschool sporting activities or at any other time whilst representing the school.

All clothing items are available from the Uniform Shop which is managed and operated by the P&C Association. It is open on Tuesday from 2:45pm to 3:15pm.

School Uniform:

The School Council strongly supports the school in insisting that all children wear the approved school uniform, with particular reference to excursions and interschool sporting activities.

Polo Shirt	Coolmax material with piping, panelling, tipped collar and embroidered logo.
Shorts	Coolmax material with piping, panelling and embroidered logo.
Girl's Skorts	With piping and panelling.
Girl's Dress	With piping, panelling and embroidered logo.
Jacket	Tricot zip-up, with piping, ribbing on sleeves, collar, cuffs and embroidered logo.
Track Pants	Tricot green and black with piping.
Faction Shirts - Mead Wallace Paterson	Coolmax polo in red/black with Mead embroidered. Coolmax polo in yellow/black with Wallace embroidered. Coolmax polo in blue/black with Paterson embroidered.

Hats - Bucket Hats

Microfibre reversible bucket hat with embroidered logo.

Interschool Sportswear

Girls School Polo Coolmax Shirt, Black Coolmax Shorts or Skorts.

Boys School Polo Coolmax Shirt and Black Coolmax Shorts.

Children are required to wear **suitable footwear** for health and safety reasons. Appropriate footwear includes sandals, joggers, shoes and socks. Inappropriate footwear includes high heels or platform shoes, thongs or slip-ons. Sandals are not considered appropriate during winter and autumn.

Make-up and Hair Styles:

When students are in uniform, make-up (mascara, foundation, eye shadow, nail polish etc) is not to be worn. While the school recognises that students may like to express their individuality through wearing a range of hair styles, radical hairstyles are discouraged and the colouring of hair (with the exception of temporary colouring for school sports days) is not acceptable or compatible with the school uniform philosophy.

Consequences for wearing makeup:

- 1st Time/** Child asked to wash off and a diary note made.
- 2nd Time/** Child asked to wash off, Parent phoned and diary note.
- 3rd Time/** Major (detention) Parent contacted.

Jewellery

Department of Education policy discourages the wearing of jewellery to school. Dangling earrings, long necklaces and bracelets can become a personal safety issue. If children need to wear rings or bracelets for health or specific reasons, parents are required to write a note explaining the reason. No responsibility will be accepted by the school for the loss or damage of jewellery.

Consequences for wearing inappropriate jewellery:

- 1st Time/** Child asked to remove and diary note.
- 2nd Time/** Child asked to remove, Parent phoned and diary note.
- 3rd Time/** Major (detention) Parent contacted.

Wearing of Sun Hats

The dangers of skin cancer are fully documented. We would like all students to be wearing the school hat. Wearing of hats whilst involved in outside activities is compulsory throughout the entire year. We have provided sun safe hats for all students to wear as part of the uniform provided in the Uniform shop. Sun visors, caps, beanies and hoods are not adequate headwear.

Rewards

Dress code awards will be introduced to acknowledge those students who consistently abide by our school dress code

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