

Highfields State School Uniform and Dress Code Policy

Highfields State School has a school dress code which requires all students to wear the school uniform. As well as readily identifying our students, the uniform assists students to build pride in themselves and their school. It is a requirement that all students comply with this Uniform and Dress Code Policy. Parents are responsible for providing their child with the appropriate uniform and ensuring that it is worn correctly each day. This will ensure our school is able to maintain the standards our community expects as appropriate. Uniforms are to be kept in good condition with no holes, rips or obvious stains evident.

Year level	Occasions	Uniform
		Navy blue shorts
Prep-Yr6		Navy blue skorts
	Summer	Royal blue polo with school logo
		Royal blue sunsafe shirt with school logo
		School dress
		Navy trackpants
		Royal blue polo (with school logo), long or short sleeve
		Royal blue fleece jumper with school logo
	Winter	Royal blue spray jacket with fleece lining with school
		logo
		Navy blue tights may be worn with the dress in winter
		A <u>plain</u> long sleeve skivvy or long sleeve shirt may be
		worn under the school polo during winter. These must
		be either yellow, red, royal blue or navy
		Navy bucket hat with reversible house colour
	All year	Navy socks with joggers or black closed in school shoes
	Performance/Formal uniform	Dress or shorts/skorts with button up shirt
	(school representation,	Navy socks
	excluding sport)	Black closed in school shoes or predominantly black
		joggers, with black shoelaces
	Religious headwear	These pieces are permitted in accordance with the
		school colours but must be discussed with the Principal
		prior to being worn.
Year six students may wear their year six polo on any day except Friday		
School Captains must have a formal uniform available for official functions		

Please note:

- All students require a 'sun safe' hat to comply with the HSS 'No Hat, No Play' policy (navy mediumbrimmed school hat with reversible house colour)
- At this stage the Uniform Shop doesn't stock school trackpants. These can be purchased from a variety of major retailers in Toowoomba. Brand name logos on the outer fabric of track pants should be small in print.
- A performance/formal uniform (dress or button up shirt with shorts or skorts) is to be worn for occasions when students represent the school. Examples of these events include, but are not limited to, choir, instrumental ensembles, leadership ceremonies, school invitational events. This uniform can also be worn to school on any day.

Jewellery

Students may wear a wrist watch and/or a medical bracelet, if required. Students with pierced ears may wear plain sleepers or studs only (single piercing). Students required to wear a religious or cultural symbol must first seek approval from the Principal. These items, if approved, must be worn in an inconspicuous manner underneath the uniform. No rings or other jewellery are permitted to be worn.

Hair

Hair must be naturally coloured and be kept clean, neat and tidy at all times. If hair is long, it should be kept out of the students' face and tied or plaited, if longer than shoulder length. Ribbons, hair ties and bands should be plain and in school colours (navy, royal blue, red or yellow). Short hair must be evenly cut all over. No tracks, symbols or patterns are to be cut into the hair. For special events, eg inter-house sports carnivals, crazy hair day, the Principal may give permission for spray-in colours to be used.

Makeup

Makeup, including nail polish, may not be worn at school. Sunscreen lotions and lip balms are permitted provided that they are clear (with the exception of sports days where house coloured zinc may be applied).

Highfields State School P&C Uniform Shop

The Highfields State School P&C runs a Uniform Shop to assist families with their uniform requirements. All profits from this venture are reinvested into the school. Opening hours are as follows:

Wednesday: 8.30-9.30am, 2.45-3.15pm Friday: 8.30-9.30am

The Uniform Shop is also open on the first day back of each term from 8.30-9.30am. Uniforms may also be purchased via Quickcliq (please register online for an account which can also be used for Tuckshop orders)

The Uniform Shop gratefully accepts donations of second hand uniforms.

Contact: Uniforms@highfieldsss.eq.edu.au