



Rose Park Primary School Uniform Policy and Dress Code

Rose Park Primary School students are expected to wear School Uniform. Issues of health, safety, equity and expense have been considered when developing these guidelines. This policy has been written in accordance with the Sun Safe Policies of both the Department for Education and that of Rose Park Primary School (RPPS). Students wearing hats or clothing that do not comply with the Sun Safe policy, will be restricted to specific areas during playtime, and shaded area during outdoor lessons.

Uniform Options:

Girls' Uniform:

- Blue and white check dress
- Royal blue and gold tartan winter tunic with gold/navy skivvy and navy tights or white socks
- Navy shorts or "skort" (combination shorts/skirt available from Uniform Shop)
- Plain navy trousers or track pants (no jeans)
- Royal blue (or gold) polo top (short or long sleeved)
- Royal blue windcheater, rugby top or navy vest or jacket

Boys' Uniform:

- Navy shorts
- Plain navy trousers or track pants (no jeans or leggings)
- Royal blue (or gold) polo top (short or long sleeved) or gold/navy skivvy
- Royal blue windcheater, rugby top or navy vest or jacket

The wearing of jeans is not acceptable because they are not appropriate for sporting activities and can be a source of competition among students. The length of shorts, dresses, or "skorts" should be appropriate to the requirements of the Sun Safe policy, physical activity and decency when seated on the floor.

Hats

The school has a "no hat, no play" policy whereby all students are expected to wear a royal blue hat (with the school logo) with a brim of at least 8 centimetres in width while in the yard. The hat can be purchased from the school's Uniform Shop.

It is recommended that long hair be tied back (both girls and boys) for safety reasons and to reduce the risk of head lice.

Footwear

Appropriate footwear should be worn for physical activity, safety and comfort. Thongs are considered dangerous and are not permitted. The Department of Education and Children's Services recommends enclosed toes on sandals in summer to prevent "stubbed toes".

Where socks are visible, navy or white are preferred.

Jewellery

Can frequently be a safety risk and is therefore not permitted. The only exceptions are sleeper or stud earrings, watches, or medically required identification. Girls are not permitted to wear make-up or nail polish, with the exception of clear polish if desired.

Bags

Royal blue school bags with gold trim and school crest are available in two sizes.

Year 7 Rugby Top

The Year 7 students are able to order senior jumpers which display the names of all students in their year. These are usually available before the end of first term.

Uniform Shop

All school uniform requirements are available from the school's Uniform Shop, which is open on Tuesday mornings, 8:30 -10 am and Friday afternoons, 3-4.30 pm. It is located behind the Little Sparrow Cafe on Alexandra Avenue. Order form for uniform supplies can be obtained from the Front Office if parents are unable to attend during opening times.