Richmond State School Dress Code

It is an expectation of the Richmond State School Community – the Parents and Citizens Association, the Principal and staff – that all students abide by the School Dress Code Policy. A parent/caregiver application to enrol at Richmond State School is taken as acceptance of this policy.

The Richmond State School student uniform will be worn by students when:

- Attending school on a day to day basis
- Representing their school
- Travelling to and from school
- Engaging in school activities outside of school hours

Uniform Details

Boy’s Uniform: Maroon Richmond State School Polo Shirt with Black Shorts

Girl’s Uniform: Maroon Richmond State School Polo Shirt with Black Shorts / Skorts / Skirts

Short beach length shorts and bike pants/skins are inappropriate for school wear at any time.

Students are required to wear **wide brimmed hats** while in the sun, this includes break times and class lessons. The school has a ‘No hat, no play policy’. Students who do not have a wide brimmed hat will be required to remain in the undercover areas during play time. A wide brimmed hat may be purchased from the school.

**Covered shoes** are also a school uniform requirement and must be worn at all times. For Workplace Health and Safety reasons covered shoes are required for all lessons in the Manual Arts Workshop, Home Economics classroom and Science laboratory. Preference of covered shoes is (1) Leather upper (2) Vinyl upper (3) Woven upper. Appropriate shoes must also be worn to play outdoors and for HPE lessons.

In colder months warmer items can be worn. Please consider keeping these items as close to school colours as possible.

**Sunscreen and Swim Shirts**

Sunscreen must be worn while students are participating in lessons, or coaching activities. Swim shirts must be worn by students during all water-based activities including swimming lessons. The wearing of swim shirts will also be expected on camps and excursions where water based activities are involved.

**Jewellery**

Due to Workplace Health and Safety issues jewellery is to be limited to:

- One watch
- One small discreet necklace worn for religious or medical alert purposes only and must be inside the school shirt
- Earrings – small sleepers or studs only

Rings, beads, shells, chains and/or facial adornment are not suitable for school. Students will be asked to remove inappropriate jewellery. This jewellery will be held for parent collection.

**Make-up**

The wearing of make-up is not appropriate for school.

**Hair**

Hair accessories are to be minimal. Hair should be worn clean, and neatly groomed. Shoulder length or longer hair is to be tied back for all practical lessons and activities due to safety.