NURIOOTPA HIGH SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICY Reviewed 2017

The Governing Council is responsible for deciding school uniform policy.

Responsibilities

Parents

- To support the school uniform policy by providing school uniform clothing to their children.
- To communicate suggestions for improvement to the school uniform policy to the Governing Council.

Students

- To support the school uniform policy by wearing school uniform clothing.
- To communicate suggestions for improvement to the school uniform policy to the Governing Council via the SRC.

Home Group Teachers/Year Level Managers/Assistant Principals/Deputy Principal

- To support the school uniform policy by recognising and encouraging students to wear school uniform.
- To communicate suggestions for improvement to the school uniform policy to the Governing Council via staff representatives.
- The Home Group teacher sends letters home for non-compliance of uniform.
- The Year Level Managers, Assistant Principals and Deputy Principal supports the Home Group teachers with student uniform compliance by having students change into loan uniform.

Principal

- To support the school uniform policy.
- To keep the Governing Council informed about issues relating to school uniform.
- To consider written requests for exemptions under grounds indicated in section 3 of the Administrative instructions and guidelines.

Governing Council

- To determine the school uniform policy taking into account the views of students, parents and staff.
- To periodically review the school uniform policy.

Why we have a school uniform

- 1. Safety and security Nuriootpa High School students are easily recognisable in uniform both at school and on excursions. Similarly unauthorised persons are more easily noticed if on school grounds.
- 2. Economy school uniform clothing is usually more durable than fashion clothes.
- 3. Dressing appropriately for the occasion school uniform clothing is appropriate for most student activities.
- 4. Pride in personal appearance and in being a student at Nuriootpa High School students, parents, visitors, residents and businesses in the district frequently report on the positive image and presentation of Nuriootpa High School students.
- 5. Occupational Health and Safety reasons.

Purchase of school uniform

School uniform clothing can be purchased from the Uniform Shop located on the school premises.

Open Wednesday 8:40-10.10am and Thursday 1.10-3.45pm

Agreed Strategies in Response to Students Who Are Not In School Uniform

- 1. Students will be provided with a loan item if available. Year level Assistant Principal will determine other strategies if required.
- 2. Persistent non-compliers will not be able to participate in extra-curricular activities such as sports, music performances, the senior school formal, days and other activities of a similar nature.
- 3. Students out of uniform will not be permitted
 - to attend special school assemblies (eg. end of year).
 - on stage at other assemblies to receive awards.
 - to participate in an excursion if school uniform is specified for that excursion.
 - to be photographed for local media publications.
- 4. Non- Compliance with school uniform will result in the behaviour management policy being enforced.

Nuriootpa High School Uniform

Our on-site Uniform Shop stocks all items of clothing except those indicated ***

Junior Polo Shirt -Years 8-10 pale blue with school logo. Senior Polo shirt -Years 11-12 navy with school logo and 'SENIORS" embroidered below logo PE Polo - gold and navy with school logo Buttoned School Shirt - pale blue, long-sleeved and school logo. Tie - junior navy with pale blue and gold stripes.

Shorts - navy, microfiber with school logo, or stretch poly-cotton with school logo, or chino style. Chino Long Pants -navy.

Track Pants - navy blue fleecy or microfiber with school logo.

Dress - navy and white check with gold and brown stripe. **Skirt** - navy, gold and white plaid

Knitted Jumper- navy, plain v-neck with school logo.

Zip-up Jacket - navy with pockets, school logo and pale blue stripe bands.

Rugby Top - navy with pale blue yoke and stripes with school logo left side.

Hoodie - Navy with pale blue stripe bands and school logo must be worn over the polo shirt

Hat/Cap - Navy cap or bucket hat

*** These following items are by private purchase and not available in the uniform shop***:

Undershirt - non-hooded navy or white long sleeved top***

Socks - white, navy. ***

Scarf - School Colours***

Stockings -Plain stockings/tights/leggins must cover the entire foot and are to be navy, black, or flesh coloured and worn under the skirt or dress. ***

Shoes - fully enclosed black shoe with low heel appropriate for school wear. Sneakers in black, navy, grey, white or combinations of these colours are appropriate. ***

Special Uniforms – there may be special events that teachers or students wish to have a special uniform e.g. Royal Show or Performance. Approval required from the Principal. ***

The following are not acceptable for school:

denim, non-School Logos, active wear, ugg boots, thongs and open sandals