

BRIGHTON BEACH PRIMARY SCHOOL



Uniform Policy

Rationale

- To have all students wear School Uniform to promote a recognisable and positive school image.
- To encourage all students to wear School Uniform for reasons of equity and to enhance safety issues during school activities.
- To wear School Uniform as a means of creating pride in their appearance and modelling respect and responsibility at Brighton Beach Primary School.
- To provide a School Uniform in line with SunSmart guidelines.

Aim

- To provide good quality uniform items at affordable prices.
- To provide students with a variety of clothing options to enable them to exercise individual choice.
- To inform prospective students and parents of the Uniform Policy through the School Newsletter and Website at the commencement of each school year.
- To implement SunSmart guidelines.

Implementation

- In line with SunSmart guidelines, all students will be required to wear the school hat with full brim, bucket-style or flap from September 1st until May 1st.
- All uniform items can be purchased from PSW located on Mills Street, Cheltenham or the Second Hand Uniform Stall located in the hall gallery. When purchasing from the Second Hand Uniform Stall payment should be made directly to the office.
- Requests regarding exemptions to the Uniform Policy for religious, ethnic, cultural or health reasons must be forwarded in writing to the Principal.
- Students will be required to wear full School Uniform (as defined in table 1 on page 2) travelling to and from school and when representing the school in the community.
- Teachers will ensure that students follow the Uniform Policy whilst at school or on school activities.
- Parents will receive written notice if students fail to comply with the Uniform Policy.
- If students are unable to comply with the Uniform Policy a letter must be sent to the school with the reasons for non-compliance.
- Assistance will be provided for parents having financial difficulty meeting the Uniform Policy requirements. Appointments can be made with the Principal to discuss.
- Stud earrings or sleepers worn in the ears, watches and/or religious symbols (eg. a cross) are the only acceptable jewellery.
- Nail polish and cosmetics may not be worn at school.
- Hair must be neat and tidy and not obscure the face.
- Shoulder length or longer hair must be tied back off the face with fasteners or a headband in school colours (red, green or school check) only.
- Dresses are to be no shorter than 5cm above the knee.
- Students will wear black school shoes or suitable sport shoes with matching laces.
- Students engaged in Interschool sport (years 5 and 6 only) will be required to wear the designated school sports uniform and safety gear (whilst playing) for each sport.
- Year 6 windcheaters are to be designed and available for purchase as early as possible in the school year in bottle green.
- School bags are in green and feature BBPS school beach box logo
- Art smocks are available for purchase from PSW. Alternately a smock which covers school clothes (old adult shirt, t-shirt) will suffice.
- Lost property - every effort will be made to return NAMED lost property, unclaimed lost property will be laundered and sold through the Second Hand Uniform sale.
- Parents Association will operate a 'Donate' scheme for good quality second hand uniforms in support of good sustainability practice.

TABLE 1: Brighton Beach Primary School uniform. Please note the school colours are red, white and bottle green.

<p style="text-align: center;">Summer</p> <p>Red or white school beach box logo long or short sleeve polo shirt Green shorts Black school shoes or legitimate sports shoes Socks Green broad brim, bucket-style or flap school hat</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Summer</p> <p>Summer check tunic dress (white with green and red checks with buttons down the front) Optional green bike shorts underneath dress Red or white school beach box logo long or short sleeve polo shirt Green shorts or skort School summer check shorts Black school shoes or legitimate sports shoes Socks Green broad brim, bucket-style or flap school hat</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Winter</p> <p>Red or white school beach box logo long or short sleeve polo shirt Green tracksuit pants Green shorts Black school shoes or legitimate sports shoes Socks Green bomber style jacket with school beach box logo Green pull over jumper with school beach box logo Green fleece jumper or vest Green Spray jacket/rain coat</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Winter</p> <p>Winter check tunic dress (dark green with red and green check) worn with either red or white school beach box logo polo long sleeve or with a red or white skivvy Winter check tunic skirt (dark green with red and green check) worn with either red or white school beach box logo polo option Red or white school beach box logo long or short sleeve polo shirt Green tracksuit pants Green shorts Black school shoes or suitable sports shoes Socks Green or red stockings Green bomber style jacket with school beach box logo Green pull over jumper with school beach box logo Green fleece jumper or vest Green Spray jacket/rain coat</p>

Non-uniform days

At times throughout the year, BBPS may run fundraising non-uniform (casual clothes) days. On these days students are not required to wear their school uniform, and may wear clothing of their own choice. Occupational health and safety regulations need to be adhered to on these days. Students must wear closed-toed shoes (not thongs or sandals), clothing which covers their shoulders (not singlets – Sunsmart) and hats which comply with the Sunsmart policy. Students need to also ensure their clothing choices do not restrict them from their normal school activities, especially sports. Students also need to ensure that their clothing does not have any offensive or obscene logos or writing.

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References	