



## Harris Fields State School: School Uniform Policy

This policy is supported by the Harris Fields State School Parents and Citizens Association.

Departmental policy states that where uniforms are supported by the majority of parents, it is expected that all parents ensure their children wear the school uniform. It is Harris Fields State School's expectation that parents ensure that their children wear the correct and appropriate Harris Fields State School uniform at all times. Parents will be contacted if a student arrives unsuitably dressed.

The school uniform is advocated by the school and the P&C Association for the following reasons:

- To develop a sense of personal pride in their own appearance
- To promote equality amongst all students
- To further develop a sense of pride in, and identification with, our school
- To provide durable clothing that is cost effective and practical for our school environment
- To avoid distractions caused by variations of dress and grooming
- To ensure ease of identification of enrolled students on campus

### **Uniform**

- School Polo shirt (available with the school logo from the uniform shop)
- Navy shorts/culottes. Short rugby-style shorts are not permitted
- Closed in shoes, with either laces or velcro, preferably black, grey or white
- White ankle high socks
- Sun safe hat (bucket)
- Coloured shirt (red, blue, green) as per house for sports carnivals

For cooler weather –

- Plain navy jacket/jumper without hood.
- Plain navy tracksuit pants.
- Plain navy or black stockings/leggings may be worn underneath culottes or shorts.
- Layers of singlets and shirts may be worn underneath the school polo shirt but must not be visible.

### **\*Sports House Uniform**

Coloured shirt (red, blue, green) may be worn for sporting carnivals.

### **\*Hats**

Harris Fields State School is a sun smart school. Hats must be worn when outdoors at all times.

### **\*Jewellery and hairstyles**

One pair of earrings (studs or sleepers) is permitted. Additional body piercings will not be condoned. All other studs must be clear and covered. Religious or cultural jewellery may only be worn when a letter from parents/caregivers has been provided and approval has then been given by the Principal. These items must be worn out of sight. A wristwatch may be worn but no other jewellery is permitted. False fingernails, nail polish and make up are not allowed.



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Hair must be neat and tidy and out of the eyes. Hair must be tied back if collar length or longer. Fringes which fall into the eyes must be pinned or tied back. Extreme hair colours (such as green, pink or purple rinses) and/or hairstyles are not permitted (including tracks, rats-tail, mohawks, excessive spiking).

**\*Uniform Shop**

The school polo shirt is compulsory and available from the uniform shop. Also available at the uniform shop are navy shorts and culottes with school emblem. Navy shorts, culottes, track suit pants, jumpers and stockings may be purchased from department stores.

**\*Labels**

It is essential that all pieces of clothing, especially hats are clearly labelled with your child's name. This will reduce additional costs to families through lost items.