# St Columba's Catholic College Uniform Policy 2023

# Summer (Terms 1 & 4)

# **Girls Years 7-9**

- Blue check College skirt worn on the calf with plain navy crew socks
- Navy blue College shorts with plain navy crew socks
- Navy blue College pants with plain navy or plain black crew socks
- Sky blue College blouse to be worn untucked
- College jumper
- Black polishable firm leather lace-up school shoes with normal sized heel and arch support
- College navy blue cap or bucket hat

#### Girls Years 10-12

- Blue check College skirt worn on the calf with plain white socks
- Navy blue College shorts with plain white crew socks
- Navy blue College pants with plain navy or plain black crew socks
- White College blouse to be worn untucked
- College jumper
- Black polishable firm leather lace-up school shoes with normal sized heel and arch support
- College navy blue cap or bucket hat

#### **Boys Years 7-9**

- Grey College trousers with plain navy or plain black crew socks
- Navy blue College shorts with plain navy crew socks
- Short sleeved, sky blue College shirt with crest.
   Shirt to be worn untucked
- College jumper
- Back polishable firm leather lace-up school shoes with normal sized heel and arch support
- College navy blue cap or hat

# Boys Years 10-12

- Grey College trousers with plain navy or plain black socks
- Navy blue College shorts with plain white crew socks
- Short sleeved, white College shirt with crest. Shirt to be worn untucked
- College jumper
- Back polishable firm leather lace-up school shoes with normal sized heel and arch support
- Navy blue college cap or bucket hat

# Winter (Terms 2 & 3)

# **Girls Years 7-9**

- Blue check College skirt worn on the calf with navy stockings
- Navy blue College pants with plain navy or plain black crew socks
- Sky blue College blouse to be worn untucked
- College jumper
- College blazer
- Black polishable firm leather lace-up school shoes with normal sized heel and arch support
- Navy blue College cap or bucket hat
- Plain navy scarf, beanie, gloves (if required)

# **Boys Years 7-9**

- Grey College trousers with plain navy or plain black crew socks
- Sky blue long sleeved shirt. Shirt to be worn tucked inside of trousers
- Black leather belt
- Navy College Junior tie
- College jumper
- College blazer
- Black polishable firm leather lace-up school shoes with normal sized heel and arch support
- Navy blue college cap or bucket hat
- Plain navy scarf, beanie, gloves (if required)

#### Girls Years 10-12

- Blue check College skirt worn on the calf with navy stockings
- Navy blue College pants with plain navy or plain black crew socks
- White College blouse to be worn untucked
- College jumper
- College blazer
- Black polishable firm leather lace-up school shoes with normal sized heel and arch support
- Navy blue College cap or bucket hat
- Plain navy scarf, beanie, gloves (if required)

# Boys Years 10-12

- Grey College trousers with plain navy or plain black crew socks
- White long sleeved shirt. Shirt to be worn tucked inside of trousers
- Black leather belt
- College Senior tie
- College jumper
- College blazer
- Black polishable firm leather lace-up school shoes with normal sized heel and arch support
- Navy blue College cap or bucket hat
- Plain navy scarf, beanie, gloves (if required)

#### **Sports Uniform**

<ul> <li>Girls Years 7-10</li> <li>Navy College sports shorts (not Rep Team shorts)</li> <li>Navy blue or white polo shirt with College crest</li> <li>Navy blue College tracksuit</li> <li>Jogger style lace-up sports shoes</li> <li>Plain white sports socks</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Boys Years 7-10</li> <li>Navy College sports shorts (not Rep Team shorts)</li> <li>Navy blue or white polo shirt with College crest</li> <li>Navy blue College tracksuit</li> <li>Jogger style lace-up sports shoes</li> <li>Plain white sports socks</li> </ul>
Representative Teams	Representative Teams
<ul> <li>All students playing Rep sports must be attired in the full College sport uniform.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>All students playing Rep sports must be attired in the full College sport uniform.</li> </ul>
Girls Years 11-12	Boys Years 11-12
<ul> <li>Full College uniform to be worn every day</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Full College uniform to be worn every day.</li> </ul>

# **HAIRSTYLES**

- Neat, tidy and conservative in nature. No extremes of cut, colour or fashion
- Hairstyles where there are clearly contrasting extremes in length are not permitted
- Hair must be of a natural colour
- Students are to consult with an Assistant Principal before making any significant changes to their hair. Failure to follow this procedure will result in student withdrawal from classes to address the issue
- All hair that touches the top of the collar must be tied back from the face and out of the eyes using navy blue scrunchies, ribbons, clips
- All hair is to be off the face
- All hair regulations apply to both boys and girls
- Faces must be clean-shaven; beards and moustaches are not permitted for students in Years 7-11.

# **JEWELLERY**

### **Piercing**

- Ear: One stud or standard sleeper (plain silver or gold only) may be worn in the lower earlobe
- No jewel/coloured stones, spacers etc. to be worn
- Other piercings: No visible body piercings are to be evident. Tongue rings/studs and nose rings/studs are strictly prohibited. Keeping a hole open will not be accepted as an excuse. This means that clear studs are NOT to be worn as they are visible
- No band aids are to be used to cover piercings
- Sleeper: Plain silver of gold only, not bigger that 10mm in diameter
- Stud: Plain silver or gold only, not bigger that 5mm in diameter

## Other

- One ring only is permitted
- Bracelets, anklets, leather thonging (around neck, ankles or wrists) are not permitted
- A single fine neck chain may be worn provided it has a crucifix or religious symbol attached.

Failure to follow these procedures will result in student withdrawal from classes to address the issue.

#### IT IS EXPECTED THAT

- The regulation St Columba's Catholic College chiropractic bag is compulsory for all students in Years 7-12
- The full correct uniform is worn each day and is to be worn correctly when travelling to and from the College and when in public areas
- Boys' shirts are tucked in at all times during terms 2 & 3
- Boys' shirts are worn out in Terms 1 & 4, unless they are wearing the College jumper
- The blazer will be worn as the outside garment during Terms 2 and 3 and at all formal occasions
- T-shirts or undershirts of any colour are NOT to be visible under and/or below the blouse or shirt
- Runners/joggers are not to be worn (except on Sports days or during PDHPE practical lessons)
- Soft leather shoes, black joggers, boots, suede or skater shoes are not permitted
- Only the regulation St Columba's cap or bucket hat is to be worn. The cap is not to be worn in class. When outside of class the cap is not to be worn in the back to front fashion. It is compulsory for all students to wear the College hat or cap for all outside activities
- All students are encouraged to wear sunscreen whenever they are in the College yard
- Excessive make up is not acceptable; this includes fake eyelashes
- Coloured nail polish is not allowed
- No acrylic nails, French tips or gel, shellac, sns (or any other nail enhancements) are to be worn
- Tattoos are not permissible.
- Earphones, headphones and airpods are not part of the College uniform and are not to be worn at any time unless specifically directed by a teacher for the purposes of learning.

#### Other

- During wet weather, students may wear a navy blue spray jacket (not the College tracksuit jacket) and / or use an umbrella
- All articles of clothing are to be marked with the student's name
- Articles of uniform are only available from the College Uniform Shop

The College Uniform Shop is open on Tuesday (9.00am to 4.00pm) and Friday (8.00am to 3.00pm)

The College uniform policy is non-negotiable. Deviations from uniform expectations due to weather conditions, medical conditions etc will only be made by the Assistant Principals and Principal.