



UNIFORM AND PERSONAL PRESENTATION PROCEDURES

SOURCES OF AUTHORITY

CECWA Policy			
Executive Directive			
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RATIONALE

Uniforms are compulsory for every student from Kindergarten to Year 12 at St John Bosco College. Students should wear the College Uniform with pride and joy. Personal presentation needs to be impeccable and reflect the self-respect of each person. **It is important that parents and students actively support St John Bosco College with personal presentation and the correct wearing of the uniform.**

KINDERGARTEN AND PRE-PRIMARY ARE TO WEAR SPORTS UNIFORM ONLY.

Students in Kindergarten and Pre-Primary are required to wear the College Sports Uniform which consists of shorts, a polo shirt, track top, track pants (optional), College white sports socks and sports shoes that are predominantly white.

NOTE:

- **From 2025 – Kindergarten to Year 1** students to wear the College Sports Uniform 5 days a week
- **From 2026 – Kindergarten to Year 2** students to wear the College Sports Uniform 5 days a week

YEAR 1 TO YEAR 12 STUDENTS ARE TO WEAR THE FORMAL UNIFORM OR SPORTS UNIFORM ON SPORTS DAYS.

SUMMER UNIFORM

In Terms 1 and 4, students in Year 1 to Year 12 wear the Summer Uniform which consists of:

- **Boys:** Grey shorts, white shirt, and grey College socks with black polished formal leather lace up dress shoes, with a low heel. Optional: Year 1 students may wear black velcro leather shoes.
- **Girls:** Purple skirt, white blouse, and white College socks with black polished formal leather lace up dress shoes, with a low heel. Optional: Year 1 students may wear black velcro leather shoes and Year 3 to Year 12 students may wear formal College grey shorts.

Black sneakers are not acceptable to wear.

WINTER UNIFORM

In Terms 2 and 3, students add the College knit jumper.

- **Boys:** long grey trousers, white shirt, and grey College socks with black polished formal leather lace up dress shoes, with a low heel. Optional: Year 1 students may wear black velcro leather shoes.
- **Girls:** Purple skirt, white blouse, and white College socks or grey tights (optional) with black polished formal leather lace up dress shoes, with a low heel. Optional: Year 1 students may wear black velcro leather shoes and Year 3 to Year 12 students may wear formal College grey trousers with grey socks.
- Students in Years 7 to 12, the College blazer and tie is compulsory during Terms 2 and 3. Formal Winter Uniform should be worn during College events, including special events and when representing the College.

SPORT UNIFORM

- On Sports days, students in Year 1 to Year 12 are required to wear the College Sports Uniform which consists of shorts, polo shirt, track top, track pants (optional), College white sports socks and sports shoes that are predominantly white.
- Students from **Pre-Primary to Year 12** (optional for Kindergarten Students) are to wear their **House Shirts every Wednesday**.
- Sports Uniform and Formal Uniform should be worn separately and **not mixed**. E.g. Sport track top cannot be worn with Formal Uniform.

Below are examples of sports shoes that **DO NOT** meet the requirements.



YEAR-ROUND ITEMS

- College hats:
 - **Kindergarten to Year 2** – Wide brimmed College hat.
 - **Year 3 to Year 6** – Wide brimmed College hat for Term 1 and Term 4, students have the option to wear a College cap or a wide-brimmed College hat in Term 2 and Term 3.
 - **Year 7 to Year 12** students have the option to wear a College cap or a wide-brimmed College hat throughout the year.
- Students have the option of wearing the College scarf with their uniform.
- It is required that all items of the College Uniform be clearly labelled with the student's full name.
- All accessories need to be College accessories and can be purchased from the Uniform Shop.
- The College bag is compulsory for all students from Year 1 to Year 12.

HAIR

- Hair should always be neat, clean and tidy.
- Extreme hairstyles, as determined by the College, are unacceptable. This includes but are not limited to fashionable styles, dreadlocks, razor designs, mohawks, mullets or any other extreme hairstyles.
- Hair must be of a naturally occurring colour.
- Hair should not be cut shorter than the equivalent of a No. 2 clipper cut.
- Hair that sits on the collar or longer must be tied back. Hair accessories are to be in College colours only.
- Students are to be clean-shaven.
- Eyebrows are not to have slits, tracks or cuts in them.

JEWELLERY

The only jewellery permitted are the following:

- A gold or silver fine chain with a small religious symbol worn under the shirt collar.
- One small pair of matching sleeper earrings or studs worn in the lower lobe of each ear. An earring in one ear only is not to be worn.
- No other body piercings are permitted.
- Students must not wear any facial/ body piercings, plastic, clear or otherwise. This includes the covering of piercings with bandaids.
- Expensive and valuable jewellery is not to be worn due to loss or damage, as it is the student's responsibility.
- Nail polish and makeup is not permitted.
- For safety reasons, bracelets and rings are not to be worn. Recognised medi-alert bracelets are acceptable, cultural bracelets are acceptable (sikh) at the discretion of Leadership.
- Skin and nails should be clean and free of drawings, writing, etc.
- Unacceptable jewellery or any other item in breach of this policy will be confiscated and returned to the student at the end of the term.

TATTOOS

- Visible tattoos are not permitted at the College or during College events.