



St Michael's
Collegiate
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**Uniform
Handbook**

Introduction

Welcome to Collegiate. One of the most exciting aspects of starting at a new school is wearing a new uniform. This booklet provides parents and students with all the information that will assist with purchasing the items required for attending Collegiate.

All the items listed in this booklet are available from the Collegiate School Shop which is located at the Senior School in Macquarie Street. The School Shop is managed by Midford.

The Shop is open during term time and opening hours are advertised on the School website and on the myCollegiate Parent Portal.

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Specific requirements for individual sports are provided by the Sports Department once your child has registered for a sport.

We recommend all uniform items are clearly named.

If you have any questions regarding uniform items please contact the School Shop on **(03) 6223 1897**.

Uniform Requirements

ELC and Kindergarten

Compulsory Items for ELC

- Collegiate polo T-shirt (white and navy options available)
- Collegiate ¼ zip jumper and/or Collegiate rugby jumper
- Navy leggings / shorts (these can be store bought, but must be all navy)
- Wide brimmed / bucket hat (Collegiate or own – seasonal)
- Own gumboots and warm coat (seasonal)

Optional Items for ELC only

- Collegiate sleeveless polar fleece vest (very practical for younger children)
- Collegiate navy shorts / leggings / trackpants
- Collegiate backpack
- Collegiate Sport Jacket

Compulsory Items for Kindergarten

- Red and White Polo Top (long or short sleeve)
- Navy Collegiate Trackpant
- Drawstring Shorts
- Collegiate Half-Zip Sports Jumper
- Sport Shoes with non-marking sole
- Bucket Hat
- Navy Library Satchel
- Red and White Checked Smock
- Collegiate Sport Jacket
- Small Litepak
- White Anklet Socks

Optional Items for Kindergarten

- Navy Leggings
- Small Collegiate Sport Bag
- Red and White Collegiate Bathers (preferred, but optional)



Prep to Year 12

Compulsory Formal Uniform Items

- School Blazer
- School Dress OR
- School Navy Skirt with School Blouse (refer to table overleaf)
- School Straw Boater Hat (Terms 1 and 4)
- Bucket Hat or Sport Cap
- School Jumper or Cardigan
- White Anklet Socks
- Navy Tights (if wearing Navy Skirt) - tights not to be worn with the School Dress
- Prep to Year 4 – Black Leather Mary-Jane style shoes – no platforms, heels or patent leather
- Years 5 to 12 – Black Leather Lace up school shoes – no heels, platforms or patent leather
- White, Navy or Maroon Hair Accessories
- Navy Library Satchel
- Litepak School Bag (Small and Large sizes available)

Compulsory Items For Specific Year Levels

- Red and White Checked Smock (Prep to Year 2)

Items For Specific Subjects – Years 5 to 12

- Curriculum Dance and Drama - Sports Uniform
- School of Performing Arts (SPA) - SPA Polo Top
- SPA Dance (compulsory) - Navy leotard and skirt (purchased from Dance Junction) with Sports Uniform for warm up and cool down.

Optional Items

- Navy Trousers with Navy Socks
- Dress Shorts
- Maroon Gloves
- Maroon or Navy School Scarf
- Navy Rain Coat
- Navy Duffle Coat
- Maroon Fold Up Umbrella



School Navy Skirt and Blouse Requirements

Year Level	Summer	Winter
Prep to 2	Junior Blouse with Navy Skirt with Straps	White Skivvy with Navy Skirt with Straps (optional - Navy Bib) and Navy Tights
3 and 4	Junior Blouse with Navy Skirt with Straps	Navy and White Striped Long Sleeve Blouse with Navy Skirt and Navy Tights
5 to 12	Navy Skirt and White School Over Blouse	Navy Skirt with Navy and White Striped Long Sleeve Blouse and Navy Tights

Prep to Year 12 Sport

Compulsory Sport Uniform Items

- Red and White Collegiate Polo Top (short or long sleeve)
- Navy Collegiate Trackpants or Collegiate Leggings
- School Sports Jumper
- School Sport Jacket
- Drawstring Shorts
- House Polo Top with House Logo
- White Anklet Socks
- Sport Shoes with non-marking sole
- House Coloured Bathing Cap

Optional Items Sport

- Navy Beanie
- School Bathers (preferred, but compulsory for Swimming team)
- School Sport Bag
- Maroon or Navy School Scarf
- Navy Rain Coat
- Navy Duffle Coat
- Collegiate Sport Socks
- Collegiate Golf Umbrella
- Hair Ribbon House Colours



Uniform Regulations

It is important that students have a sense of pride in their appearance as this engenders high expectations in their behaviour and school work. This is important for the development of self-respect. Wearing the School uniform is a fundamental part of a student's commitment to the School community.

1. Full school uniform must be worn at all times during travel to and from School. The only exception is when the student has formal PE lessons when they may wear their sports uniform including their track pants or school leggings and sport jumper to and from school. Items such as the AFL sport shorts and red Collegiate sport skirt do not form part of the compulsory sports uniform and are not to be worn to and from school. These items are specific requirements for various sports. For sport training during the week, students are expected to wear their school uniform to school, change into their sport uniform for training, and change again into school uniform for the rest of the day. Sports uniform may be worn for Dance and Drama. Students are expected to change into their school uniform once these classes have been completed.
2. Uniforms should be clean, neat and tidy at all times.
3. Minimum dress length is to just above the knee.
4. Jewellery: students may wear one plain ring, one plain bracelet and a plain chain (with a small pendant) and may wear two sets of studs in the earlobe (plain studs, nothing which draws attention) or one pair of sleepers and one pair of studs. A stud only (no sleepers) may be worn in the top of the ear. No additional earrings past this and no facial piercings.
5. The only acceptable piercings are those as above. No other visible types of piercing are acceptable, and visible tattoos are also not permitted.
6. If hair is below the top of the collar, it must be tied back. Hair ribbons must be maroon, navy or white. The width should be approximately 1.5cm. Slide combs, if worn, must be brown only. Hair braids and hair ribbons are available from the School Shop.
7. Students are expected to have clean, tidy hair of a natural colour. Extremes of hairstyle, including gel, colour and cut are not permitted.
8. Nail Polish: students may wear a nude / natural colour or French finish.
9. Wearing makeup while in school uniform is actively discouraged as we feel that a student's inner qualities should be the most important measure of their worth. Students are permitted to wear light foundation and mascara only, and this must look 'natural' to the eye.
10. Shoes should be lace-up and black leather which can be polished and have regulation sized soles and heels, except for Kindergarten to Year 4 where black leather Mary-Jane style are to be worn. Shoes should be cleaned regularly.
11. Uniform is to be supplied by the Collegiate Uniform Shop only.
12. Formal uniform should be worn at all Church Services and formal occasions. If these occasions fall on a day a student has PE, they must change.

13. Summer Uniform and Winter Uniform can be chosen according to the weather.
14. No jumpers or cardigans are to be worn to and from school. The blazer or shirt is to be worn when arriving or departing, along with the School straw boater hat in Terms 1 and 4. The blazer must be worn to and from school in Terms 2 and 3.
15. House Tops: students may wear their House top during their PE classes and for all House based sporting / drama events. The House top should not be worn when the student has an excursion which requires the wearing of the sports uniform, or when representing the School in any sporting event / carnival. The white polo shirt should be worn during these times.

Frequently Asked Questions

Can I wear my school dress with tights?

No, tights can only be worn with the navy skirt and is designed for cooler weather.

Can I wear my school dress all year?

Yes, we don't have specific terms for summer and winter uniform, students may wear what they are comfortable with, however, summer and winter items can't be worn together.

When is the straw boater hat to be worn?

The boater hat must be worn to and from school during Terms 1 and 4.

Can I travel to and from school in my sport shorts?

No, students must be wearing either their school track pants or school leggings to and from school.

Is the blazer compulsory?

Yes, students must wear their blazer to and from school and at other times as required. On very hot days, students may come to and from School in their school dress or summer shirt.



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