

School Uniform Guidelines

(This is a Student Welfare Policy)

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Core Rules – Student Discipline in NSW Government Schools

All students in NSW government schools are expected to maintain a neat appearance, including adhering to the requirements of the school's uniform or dress code.

Glendore Public School Uniform

Girls Uniform	Boys Uniform
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Drop waist tunic (Fabric No: 8009) Sky blue (if unavailable navy or white) long sleeve skivvy to wear under tunic Navy blue $\frac{3}{4}$ or full length tights, leggings or stockings under the tunic T-shirt under tunic Sky blue socks Black shoes Navy tracksuit top Navy tracksuit pants Sky blue polo shirt – long or short sleeve or a skivvy Fleecy Lined Zip jacket with emblem <p>Sports Uniform</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Navy rugby knit shorts Sky blue polo shirts Navy blue skorts for girls 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Navy shorts Navy socks Black shoes Navy trousers or track pants Navy tracksuit top Sky blue polo shirt – long or short sleeve or a skivvy Bomber jacket with emblem <p>Sports Uniform</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Navy rugby knit shorts Sky blue polo shirts

To assist families with ensuring their child/ren are wearing Glendore Public School's uniform with pride:

- The P&C sells uniforms throughout the year. Parents have access to a Uniform Order Form and the P&C fill the orders within a two week timeframe taking into account availability of the uniform items.
- Second-hand items are available for loan through the office or for purchase 3 times a year from the Clothing Pool organised by the P&C
- If families are suffering financial hardship please contact the Principal, assistance may be available

Health and Safety Legislation

Under the Occupational Work Health and Safety Act 2012 (WH&S Act) the Department of Education and Communities must ensure that students are not exposed to risks to their health or safety while they are on Department premises.

Examples of where a school has a duty to require a standard of dress in the educational setting include, but are not limited to:	Glendore Uniform Policy
Require students to wear a hat for outside activities when appropriate	Navy blue legionnaires or a broad brim navy hat that covers ears and the neck, meeting the Cancer Council Sunsmart guidelines. All students are to wear an approved hat when they are outside the classroom. No hat will result in remaining under the covered learning area only and also no participation in PE / Sport activities, that held in the sun.
Requiring students to wear appropriate footwear, eyewear or other protective clothing so as to avoid injury	Black sandshoes, joggers or leather shoes Shoes are required to have Velcro or laced firmly with the entire foot covered, including the upper section, is to be covered.
Requiring that jewellery or other items that could, with reasonable foreseeability, cause an injury to themselves or other students are not worn	No jewellery is to be worn at school other than silver or gold studs and sleepers, but no dangling earrings. Watches and school badges are acceptable

Benefits of School Uniforms

The wearing of school uniforms by students will assist school communities in:

- Defining an identity for the school within its community
- Developing students' sense of belonging to the school community
- Providing an opportunity to build school spirit
- Enhancing the health and safety of students when involved in school activities
- Promoting a sense of inclusiveness, non-discrimination and equal opportunity
- Reinforcing the perception of the school as an ordered and safe environment
- Increasing the personal safety of students and staff by allowing easier recognition of visitors and potential intruders in the school
- Promoting positive community perceptions of public education
- Making school clothing more affordable for families to wear than transiently fashionable and expensive clothes