



School Uniform Code

Our Lady of the Angels' school community takes pride in its school uniform. It is a highly visible symbol of who we are.

The wearing of the school uniform helps to maintain a sense of belonging amongst all children in the school. It is also a public symbol to the community of who the children are. The wearing of school uniform in a neat and tidy manner is to be assisted by teachers encouraging the correct items being worn and worn properly. Children are expected to wear the full school uniform with pride and keep it clean and presentable. Parents are asked to ensure their child is wearing the correct school uniform at all times. Substitutes are not acceptable. All items (except for shoes) can be purchased from the school's uniform shop.

The uniform shop is open Monday and Wednesday morning from 8.30am – 9.00am.
Preferred method of payment is via Qkr!

Please ensure that all items are clearly marked with the child's name.

Day Uniform Years P-6

Formal Checked Uniform

OLA school socks or white socks that cover the ankle are to be worn with both uniforms.

Black leather lace up/velcro shoes

Navy wide brim OLA school hat

Sports Uniform

Years P-6 Navy Shorts

Red and navy sports shirt

OLA school socks or white socks that cover the ankle are to be worn with both uniforms.

Predominantly white sports or black sports shoes

Cold Weather Options

School jacket

Navy track pants/ navy tights (for girls)

Hair ribbons, headbands, clips or scrunchies should be navy, red or white.

Sun Safety

The children are to wear their hat at all times when they are outdoors including to and from school.

The school's policy is NO HAT – NO PLAY!

Hair Styles

The school has a belief that it is the innate characteristics of the individual that should shine to gain attention, not the exterior things we do to our bodies that become the focus of attention. Haircuts, hair colouring, etc. can often gain such attention because of their extreme nature.

Students are not permitted to dye their hair it is to be kept its natural colour. Hair is to be kept clean, neat and tidy, away from the face and tied back in a school coloured hair tie/ribbon/scrunchie, if below the collar. While we allow students to show their individuality, the style should not draw undue attention to themselves. Closely shaved heads, dreadlocks, tracks and any styles considered to be contrary to the rationale and spirit of Our Lady of the Angels' will not be accepted. Once a haircut gains such attention, the hair becomes the focus of attention and not the individual. Such attention is not acceptable and the incidents are to be corrected by referring matters to the Principal. Hair is to be kept groomed, cut neatly and tied back not only to avoid interference with children's vision whilst learning, but also to minimise the spread of head lice.

As part of establishing the school's dress code, we are bound by a range of hygiene and Workplace Health and Safety.



Jewellery

Acceptable forms of jewellery may include one or more of the following:

- A set of earrings; these being plain surgical studs or sleepers worn in the lower ear lobes. One piercing per earlobe is permitted. Other visible piercings / tattoos are not permitted.
- One fine necklace, with the option of a discrete and suitable Christian symbol may be worn around the neck e.g. a cross or medal.
- No rings or wrist jewellery allowed, except for a watch and medical bracelets.

All jewellery is to be removed by students before playing in school sports teams, PE lessons and before participating in competitive physical educational activities. In general, this would not include Health and Physical Education lessons.

Sun Hat

Students are required to wear the correct wide brimmed hat with the embroidered logo of Our Lady of the Angels' Catholic Primary School on the front of the hat for all school outside and playground activities and whilst travelling to and from school. **The school has a 'No hat, no play' policy.** The hats are available from the Uniform Shop.

Grooming

Cleanliness and grooming standards are expected to be well maintained by all students. Students are not permitted to wear nail polish or make-up.

Labelling

All items brought to school should be clearly labelled with your child's name, including clothing and hat.