



### **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.

### **Sun Safety**

Students are required to wear the OLA hat with the embroidered logo for all school outside activities and whilst travelling to and from school. The school has a 'No hat, no play' policy.

### **Hair Styles**

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. 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.

- Watches are acceptable, however no smart watches that have communication capabilities.

### **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.