



PRIMBEE PUBLIC SCHOOL

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Primbee Public School - School Uniform Framework

This Framework has been developed by the School in collaboration with the Primbee Public School P&C in accordance with the Department of Education School Uniform Policy. Community have been consulted and the dreamt policy amended to reflect feedback. Link: [School Uniform \(nsw.gov.au\)](http://School Uniform (nsw.gov.au))

At Primbee Public School, our school community believes that the wearing of a school uniform greatly contributes towards maintaining a positive climate in our school. The wearing of school uniforms by students will assist our school community 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 and school pride
- enhancing the health and safety of students when involved in school activities
- promoting a sense of inclusiveness, nondiscrimination 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 by eliminating the risk of peer pressure to wear transiently fashionable and expensive clothes.

Students are required to be in full school uniform each day, this includes a sun safe school hat. Primbee Public School adopts the policy of *No hat - play in the shade*.

Parents and carers are asked to make every effort to provide the approved school uniform and ensure their child wears it every day. If parents or carers are unable to provide the approved school uniform they are encouraged to meet with the school principal to come to an agreed arrangement.

At Primbee Public School, our uniform requirements are:

- A jade-green polo shirt with the school emblem
- Navy blue bottoms (shorts, skorts, or long pants)

- Navy blue school jacket or jumper with the school emblem
- A school dress is also an option
- A navy blue school hat with the school emblem (legionnaires style cap, bucket or surf hat)
- White or black socks, free from visible logos or branding
- White or black enclosed school shoes or joggers

Uniforms are available through the school uniform shop or may be purchased from Hazeltons Uniforms, 115 Tongarra Road Albion Park, 4257 9155.

Download the **Uniform Order** for a copy of the form. This form is also available on the school [website](#).

In accordance with work health and safety, and anti-discrimination legislation, the following guidelines are required to be adhered to:

- Caps and visors are not permitted, as these do not offer an appropriate level of sun protection for students
- Open shoes and dance style slippers are not to be worn
- Only small plain studs or sleepers are to be worn
- A watch, that does not have any recording capabilities, may be worn
- Jewelry that dangles or causes a risk of catching or scratching another student is not permitted, such as bangles, rings, large earrings and necklaces
- No makeup is not to be worn at school, unless for a performance
- False fingernails are not to be worn to school as this prevents a students ability to write and participate in daily physical activity.

Exceptions

On special occasions, children may opt to not wear the school uniform, such as fundraising days, whole school or class rewards, camps and sporting events. These exceptions will be provided to parents and carers in writing from the school.

Other exceptions include:

- Year 6 commemorative shirts
- Representative jumpers (PSSA, Southern Stars) may be worn for up to one year after representation, but must be removed for school photos or leadership representation
- Any arrangement made between the parent or carer and the school principal, this could include instances of financial hardship, religious background or health reasons supported by a medical certificate or doctors recommendation (physical, emotional or psychological)

Parents/carers will be contacted when students are frequently out of uniform without an explanation note from their parents/carers.