



Saint Bernadette's Catholic Primary School

Uniform Policy

Initiated 2000

Revised

2002, 2005, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2013

Due for Review 2016

Rationale

- The Catholic Education Office provides the following guidelines for the determination of uniform:
- In Catholic schools the obligation to wear a uniform is provided for in the enrolment form whereby parents accept to abide by the policies of the school.
- When the Principal and parents agree upon a uniform, it must be economical. It must be possible for all parents to dress their children in the recognised school uniform.
- The Health Department of WA recommends for Road Safety purposes that schools should give consideration for the provision of a conspicuous component of the school uniform.

Student Dress Code

- Wear the correct school uniform.
- Wear the school uniform with pride at all times.
- Wear only accepted accessories eg watch, one stud/sleeper or one set of ear studs/sleepers, no make-up or nail polish, only white, red or blue hair ribbons or scrunchies. A gold or silver religious symbol may be worn. Children are responsible for the accessories they wear. No other jewellery may be worn.
- Long hair must be tied back.
- Students must have haircuts that are appropriate for allowing them to work (hair out of faces) and presentable (no shorter than a number two razor and no patterns shaved into the hair). As this is an area difficult to define common sense must prevail.
- Wear school hats, with flaps down except when under cover.
- Wear school shirts tucked in with the exception of the sport shirt.
- Wear **all white** joggers that are no higher than the ankle.
- On 'Free Dress Days', wear clothes that are appropriate to the occasion.

SUMMER (Term One and Term Four)

GIRLS	BOYS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School hat with crest 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School hat with crest
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School red shirt with crest 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School red shirt with crest
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School navy blue skirt 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Navy blue gaberdine shorts
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All white sneakers & white St Bernadette's socks or Brown sandals (no socks) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All white sneakers & white St Bernadette's socks or Brown sandals (no socks)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School summer dress with crest (Must be worn with navy blue sports briefs) 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brown sandals no socks or black school shoes with St Bernadette's socks must be worn with the dress. 	
SPORT	SPORT
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School Faction shirt with crest 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School Faction shirt with crest
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School navy blue micro fibre shorts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School navy blue micro fibre shorts
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All white sneakers & white St Bernadette's socks 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All white sneakers & white St Bernadette's socks

WINTER
(Term Two and Term Three)

GIRLS	BOYS
• School hat with crest	• School hat with crest
• School red shirt with crest	• School red shirt with crest
• School navy blue tracksuit pants/top with crest	• School navy blue tracksuit pants/top with crest
• School navy blue wet weather jacket (to be worn over tracksuit top outside classroom only)	• School navy blue wet weather jacket (to be worn over tracksuit top outside classroom only)
• All white sneakers & white St Bernadette's socks	• All white sneakers & white St Bernadette's socks
• School Faction shirt with crest	• School Faction shirt with crest
• School navy blue micro fibre shorts may be worn underneath trackpants on Phys Ed days.	• School navy blue micro fibre shorts may be worn underneath trackpants on Phys Ed days.

- Yr 6 children may wear Graduation shirt all year.

Uniform Requirements

All uniforms, excepting shoes, are to be purchased through the School Uniform Shop to ensure consistency of appearance.

The school Phys Ed uniform, which consists of the school faction shirt combined with the micro fibre shorts and all white sneakers and white St Bernadette's socks is **only to be worn on the designated Phys. Ed. days and as advised by teachers for special events.**

As a Sunsmart school, the St. Bernadette's School hat is compulsory all year round.

HAIR

- All children with collar length hair, or longer, should have hair tied back with hair ties in the school colours of white, red or blue.
- Clips should be flat and chosen carefully so as not to cause injury to self and/or others.
- Long hair must be tied back.
- Students must have haircuts that are appropriate for allowing them to work (hair out of faces) and presentable (no shorter than a number two razor and no patterns shaved into the hair). As this is an area difficult to define common sense must prevail.

NAIL POLISH AND MAKE UP

- **Not permitted under any circumstances.** Only clear lip balm/gloss may be worn.

JEWELLERY

- Only a watch/chain (with religious symbol) may be worn.
- Only plain stud earrings or basic sleeper earrings may be worn in the lobe of the ear.
- *Permission to vary from the jewellery stipulation must be sought from the Principal.*
- **Medic Alerts are to be worn by children with a medical condition that may require urgent medical assistance.**

See appendices for Uniform Overview and Uniform Photos.

ST BERNADETTE'S UNIFORM

SUMMER: TERM 1 & 4

BOYS SCHOOL UNIFORM	GIRLS SCHOOL UNIFORM
School red shirt with crest.** Navy blue gaberdine shorts. All white sneakers & white St Bernadette's socks. Or Brown sandals [no socks].	School red shirt with crest. ** Navy blue skort All white sneakers & white St Bernadette's socks. Or Brown sandals [no socks]. School dress with crest - worn with brown sandals [no socks] or black school shoes [white St Bernadette's socks].
PHYSICAL ED. UNIFORM	PHYSICAL ED. UNIFORM
Faction shirt with crest. Navy blue micro-fibre unisex shorts. All white sneakers & white St Bernadette's socks.	Faction shirt with crest. Navy blue micro-fibre unisex shorts. All white sneakers & white St Bernadette's socks
EXCURSION UNIFORM	EXCURSION UNIFORM
School red shirt with crest. Navy blue gaberdine shorts All white sneakers & white St Bernadette's socks.	School red shirt with crest. Navy blue skort. All white sneakers & white St Bernadette's socks.

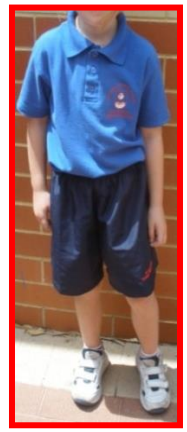
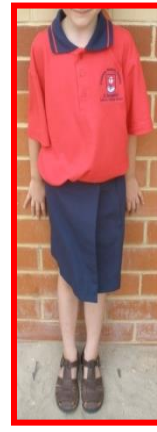
NOTE: Terms 2 & 4 only – change over date to be advised by the school dependant on the weather.

WINTER: Terms 2 & 3

BOYS SCHOOL UNIFORM	GIRLS SCHOOL UNIFORM
School red shirt with crest.** New style navy blue tracksuit pants/top with crest. Navy blue wet weather jacket.*** All white sneakers & white St Bernadette's socks.	School red shirt with crest.** New style navy blue tracksuit pants/top with crest. Navy blue wet weather jacket.*** All white sneakers & white St Bernadette's socks.
PHYSICAL ED. UNIFORM	PHYSICAL ED. UNIFORM
Faction shirt with crest. New style navy blue tracksuit pants/top with crest. [OPTIONAL navy blue micro-fibre unisex shorts may be worn underneath and track pants may be removed during Phys Ed lessons]. All white sneakers & white St Bernadette's socks.	Faction shirt with crest. New style navy blue tracksuit pants/top with crest. [OPTIONAL navy blue micro-fibre unisex shorts may be worn underneath and track pants may be removed during Phys Ed lessons]. All white sneakers & white St Bernadette's socks.
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**** Graduation shirt for Yr 6 only**
*****Jacket to be worn over jumper *outside* classroom only.**

Summer



BOYS everyday school uniform – with gabardine shorts, all white shoes & St Bernadette’s socks [or brown sandals, no socks] and *embroidered* crest/striped collar polo.

BOYS Phys. Ed & Sports Day school uniform – with **stencilled** crest Faction polo, all white shoes & St Bernadette’s socks & *embroidered* sports shorts.

GIRLS school dress [optional for Summer]. Either with: black shoes and white St Bernadette’s socks OR brown sandals [no socks]. Dress to be worn with blue sports briefs.

GIRLS everyday school uniform – with skort all white shoes & St Bernadette’s socks [or brown sandals, no socks] and *embroidered* crest/striped collar polo.

GIRLS Phys. Ed & Sports Day school uniform – with **stencilled** Faction polo, white shoes & socks and *embroidered* sports shorts.



GIRLS & BOYS everyday school uniform – with tracksuit pants [non – cuffed], embroidered tracksuit top, all white shoes & St Bernadette’s socks and embroidered crest/striped collar school polo.

Note: Sports shorts are NOT to be worn beneath tracksuit pants on **non-**Phys. Ed & Sports days.

Winter



GIRLS & BOYS Phys. Ed. and Sports Day uniform – with tracksuit pants [non-cuffed], embroidered tracksuit top, all white shoes & St Bernadette’s socks and stencilled Faction polo.

Note: Sports shorts may be worn beneath tracksuit pants so that they can be worn during Phys. Ed. or Sport periods.

- 1/. The actual changeover dates from Winter to Summer uniform and Summer to Winter uniform will be dependent upon the weather. Parents will be given *two weeks* prior notice of changeover dates. In general terms, Winter uniform is to be worn in Terms 2 & 3 and Summer uniform is to be worn in Terms 1 & 4. Students who require non-stock sized uniform items will have special sizing and fitting appointments with Oxford Clothing arranged by the school to enable consistency of uniform across the school.
- 2/. The school hat must be worn outside all year round.
- 3/. Year 6 Graduation shirts may be worn as an adjunct to the school polo.
- 4/. The winter jacket may be worn over the embroidered tracksuit top *outside* class only.
- 5/. Sports uniform may only be worn on the designated Phys. Ed. Day and the designated [i.e. 1 hour] Sport period.