

Payne Road State School

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Uniform Policy

Payne Road State School is a "uniform school" where all children are required to wear the school uniform every day.

The formal school uniform and school polo shirt may be worn on any school day, however, formal school uniforms (Check shirt and navy bottoms or check dress (**not for Prep**)), must be worn on the following occasions:

- School photos
- ANZAC day assembly and community parade
- Leaders investiture
- The Mount Coot-tha Cluster Leaders camp (captains)
- Other special assemblies or excursions (notification prior to event)



The school polo shirt is designed for sports practice days, PE lesson days and swimming lesson days though can be worn on other days. This also includes the Year 6 senior's shirt.



The school house team shirts (**with logo and house name**) are to be worn **only** on house team events days. *The old style full solid colour house shirts can still be worn until they are phased out.* Sports shirts (old or new) can be worn at these events:



- Swimming carnival
- School Cross Country
- School athletics carnival
- Special academic days (students compete in house teams notification prior to event)



Other uniforms for special events or groups:

- Music Performance uniform
- Sports team shirts and district representative shirts

These uniforms are worn for these specific events.





District Representative shirt (provided by school)

Jackets

Options listed above with specific information about when is appropriate to wear these uniforms.

• Zip jacket with school emblem (winter)





Year 6 Senior Jackets

Bottoms

• Navy skorts or (drill)shorts (to be worn with formal check shirt, music performance shirt or school polo)





• Shorts (to be worn ONLY with school polo or house shirt)



• Navy stockings, leggings or track pants (winter)

Socks and shoes

- Plain white socks or school emblem socks (not ankle socks)
- Black shoes with black laces or Velcro (on all occasions)



Shoe options (can be multi-purpose joggers. Does not need to be "leather school shoe"). **Velcro only for Prep**. All other year levels can wear lace ups or velcro.



Hats

- Navy broadbrim hat with school emblem
- Prep navy bucket hat with school emblem





All Students Dress Standards

<u>Jewellery</u>

- Pierced ears plain studs or sleepers 1 set
- Watch
- Medic Alert jewellery

<u>Hair</u>

Hair needs to be neat, tidy and conservative. The following points are provided to help clarify the school's expectations:

- Outlandish or non-conservative hair styles are not permitted (including, but not limited to, awkward contrasting lengths, rat's tail, tracks, hair shorter than blade 2 and unnatural hair colours);
- Students should think carefully prior to making any radical changes to an already acceptable hairstyle;
- If hair is long in front (e.g. hair falling over or across the students eyes), it should be pinned or tied back to ensure it will remain tidy and sit off the student's face.

In the interest of safety and to limit the impact of head lice it is recommended that long hair be tied back. More information can be found here:

http://conditions.health.qld.gov.au/HealthCondition/condition/14/165/351/Head-Lice

Hair accessories

• Head band, hair ties and clips in white, blue or school mix colours

The P and C has confirmed that the Principal will make the final decision to determine if the hair style is acceptable. Undertaking a conservative hairstyle will ensure compliance with the high standards of dress and appearance in place at Payne Road State School and thereby help to maintain a positive tone in the school community and ensure that our primary focus will be centred on learning.

More information about the Department Policy and Procedures with respect to School Dress Code can be found at: <u>http://ppr.det.qld.gov.au/education/management/Pages/Student-Dress-Code.aspx</u>

If you have any specific questions please do not hesitate to contact the school at: <u>admin@payneroadss.eq.edu.au</u> **To order school uniforms go to** <u>www.payneroadpandc.com.au</u>