

TRAFALGAR HIGH SCHOOL



UNIFORM POLICY

Rationale

School Council has determined that school uniform is compulsory for all students at the school. A school uniform assist in creating an inclusive environment for students as well as creating a sense of collective and individual pride by students and their identification with the school. It is also felt that it helps eliminate competition and comparisons regarding clothing. Costs are lower with a lesser range of clothes, and are selected for suitability rather than by the dictates of fashion. Further it can assist with individual student safety and group security on school excursions.

Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to clearly set out the school uniform requirements which are to apply consistently to all students during school hours, while travelling to and from school, and when students are engaged in school based activities out of school hours. It applies equally to girls and boys.

Guidelines

This policy must be clearly communicated to students and parents/guardians upon enrolment.

Where uniform is not worn a note must be brought to the appropriate Year Level Coordinator, whereby students will receive an "out of uniform" pass.

An application to the Principal is required if an exemption is sought from the school dress code.

Disciplinary measures used to enforce uniform requirements will be consistent with the school's student code of conduct. Withdrawal from class is not an appropriate sanction.

Students will be asked to:

- Remove incorrect attire (where appropriate)
- Be provided with replacement item of clothing for the day

School Council will implement appropriate review procedures for the uniform policy as required.

Assistance with the cost of uniform can be arranged and families should contact their students Year Level Coordinator or the Student Welfare coordinator.

The uniform requirements are:

Plain black shorts with THS school logo on or just above the knee (as supplied by the endorsed retail outlets)

Green and black THS polo shirt with school logo;

Green woollen jumper or polo fleece jumper, All with THS logo

Black (Solid black in colour) lace up shoes, buckle style (T-bar) or Runners,

Summer dress – THS design

Tailored black pants with THS logo purchased from school endorsed uniform shops or track pants with THS logo purchased from general office,

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Green/black tartan skirt;
Black skivvy/long sleeved t-shirt acceptable under Polo shirts;
Black leggings acceptable under dress or skirt

Green and black THS spray jackets (available from the general office).
Black THS bucket hats for outdoor use. (Available from the general office) *see THS SunSmart Policy
Plain black winter scarves (Available from the general office)

Green blazers are also another option for all students to wear.

Approved Retail Suppliers –

Unless otherwise noted, all items are available from Trafalgar Men's and Boys wear and/or Beleza Uniform Supplies.

PE/Sport Uniform

THS red and white sports tops (compulsory for students in Years 7-10)
Black basketball shorts or black tracksuit pants,
White or black runners, non-marking shoes for the sports stadium.

Makeup, Hair and Jewellery

Natural colours cosmetics only. Excessive make-up or jewellery is not permitted.

Students with pierced ears are permitted to wear studs or sleepers only. No other visible facial jewellery (such as eyebrow studs or rings, chin studs or lip studs. Small nose studs permitted if the stud is deemed acceptable).

**This policy was ratified by the Trafalgar High School Council on:
Date: 12th December 2018**

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**School Council President
Tony Staley**

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**Principal
Jane Mersey**