

Unifying Uniforms

Growing in Christ



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Australian Christian College Uniform Guide

We view uniforms as a key element in fostering a sense of unity and equality amongst the student body.

The ACC uniforms are comfortable, contemporary, flexible and affordable. You can view colour uniform designs within this document.

Questions about the uniform can be directed to accounts@cem.org.au. Uniform items can be purchased from <http://shop.cem.org.au> and delivered to your home

Junior Boys Summer



To be worn on dress uniform days in Terms 1 & 4.



Junior Boys Summer Uniform Items:

- Short sleeve shirt
- Shorts
- Socks
- Slouch hat
- Black leather school shoes (not available from CEM e-store)
- Jumper (optional)

Junior Girls Summer



To be worn on dress uniform days in Terms 1 & 4.



Junior Girls Summer Uniform Items:

- Dress
- Short dress socks
- Hair Ribbon
- Black leather school shoes (not available from CEM e-store)
- Slouch hat
- Jumper (optional)

Senior Girls Summer



To be worn on dress uniform days in Terms 1 & 4.



Senior Girls Summer Uniform Items:

- Dress
- Short dress socks
- Hair Ribbon
- Black leather school shoes (not available from CEM e-store)
- Slouch hat
- Jumper (optional)

Senior Boys Summer



To be worn on dress uniform days in Terms 1 & 4.



Senior Boys Summer Uniform Items:

- Short sleeve shirt
- Long pants
- Shorts (optional)
- Socks
- Black leather belt
- Black leather school shoes (not available from CEM e-store)
- Slouch hat
- Jumper (optional)

Junior Girls Winter



To be worn on dress uniform days in Terms 2 & 3.



Junior Girls Winter Uniform Items:

- Blazer
- Shirt
- Tunic
- Long pull-up socks or cotton tights
- Black leather school shoes (not available from CEM e-store)
- Hair ribbon
- V-neck vest (optional)
- Jumper (optional)

Senior Girls Winter



To be worn on dress uniform days in Terms 2 & 3.



Senior Girls Winter Uniform Items:

- Blazer
- Long sleeve shirt
- Tunic
- Long pull-up socks or cotton tights
- Hair ribbon
- Black leather school shoes (not available from CEM e-store)
- V-neck vest (optional)
- Jumper (optional)

Junior Boys Winter



To be worn on dress uniform days in Terms 2 & 3.



Junior Boys Winter Uniform Items:

- Blazer
- Short sleeve shirt
- Long sleeve shirt (optional)
- Trousers
- Tie
- Socks
- Black leather school shoes (not available from CEM e-store)
- V-neck vest (optional)
- Jumper (optional)

Senior Boys Winter



To be worn on dress uniform days in Terms 2 & 3.



Senior Boys Winter Uniform Items:

- Blazer
- Short sleeve shirt
- Long sleeve shirt (optional)
- Trousers
- Tie
- Socks
- Black leather belt
- Black leather school shoes (not available from CEM e-store)
- V-neck vest (optional)
- Jumper (optional)



To be worn on sports days as notified by the school.



Unisex Sports Uniform Items:

- Tracksuit top
- Tracksuit pants
- Polo shirt
- Sports shorts
- Singlet top (optional during competition sports)
- Slouch hat
- Surf hat (optional)
- Baseball hat (optional during competition sports)
- Plain white sports socks (not available from CEM e-store)
- Predominantly white sports shoes (not available from CEM e-store)



Uniform Accessories



Senior Bag



Junior Bag



Hair Ribbon



With sports uniform only.



Slouch hat to be worn with dress uniform and sports uniform.



Uniform Guidelines



Style of uniforms

Only the styles available for purchase from the school uniform shop are acceptable.

Interchanging uniform items

Dress and sports uniform items should not be interchanged, except for the slouch hat.

Sports shoes and hats may be brought to school and worn during recess or lunch while playing active games on the oval. These must be changed to correct dress uniform before the start of lessons in the following period.

Sport and dress uniforms cannot be "mixed and matched".



Size and condition of uniform items

All uniform items should be of a size appropriate to the wearer. In particular, oversized jumpers and sports shirts are not acceptable.

Uniform items should be replaced when excessively faded, torn (unless tidily repaired), worn or undersized.

Uniform Guidelines

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Hair

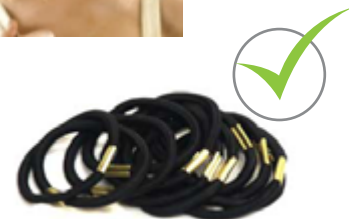
Students should wear their hair in a clean, neat and tidy manner.

- Girls' hair must be secured away from the girl's face if it extends beyond the shoulders
- Boys' hair should not be touching the collar.
- Fringes should not extend below the eyebrows.
- Hair that could fall over the face should be tied back securely.
- Extreme hairstyles, including shaved or "number 1s", mohawks, tracks, dreadlocks and extreme undercuts are not acceptable.
- Hair should not be coloured to an unnatural colour or pattern.
- Beards and moustaches are not permitted. Students must be clean shaven at all time.



Hair Accessories

Only the specified hair ribbons, available from the e-store, may be worn with the dress uniform. Plain black or navy blue headbands may be worn to secure hair away from face. Only black or navy blue hair elastics may be worn with the sports uniform. Scrunchies are not permitted to be worn.



Hats

The wearing of hats when outside is an important precaution against the incidence of skin exposure.

- School hats are to be worn for outside activities all year round for all students, including coming to and from school.
- Slouch hats must be worn with dress uniform when outside.
- Slouch hats, surf hats or baseball caps may be worn with the sports uniform when outside.
- Hats in poor condition or with writing on the outside or underside of brim will be required to be replaced.
- Hats should be worn outside for all school activities, even those not requiring the wearing of uniform. Non-uniform hats may be worn when students are out of uniform, but the style must provide a level of sun protection equivalent to the school hats.



Uniform Guidelines

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Jewellery

Earrings

Females only with pierced ears may wear one pair of small studs or sleepers, in the earlobes, one in each ear. Additional earrings, fancy earrings, or large earrings are not permitted.

Certain physical activities may require the complete removal of earrings for safety reasons.

Rings

Wearing of rings is not allowed, as safety issues can arise during a variety of school activities.

Necklaces and Chains

Necklaces, chains and other jewellery worn around the neck should not be worn while in school uniform. Medical information chains may be worn.

Body Piercing and Body Art

This activity is not encouraged by the school. Body piercing ornaments must not be worn while in school uniform. Tattoos must be completely covered.

Other Jewellery Items

Other than wristwatches, items of jewellery not mentioned above must not be worn while in school uniform.

Makeup

Years 11 and 12 female students only are permitted to wear light, discreet facial makeup.

Coloured nail polish is not permitted. If worn outside school, coloured nail polish should be removed completely before arriving at school.

Nails should be neatly trimmed and false nails are not permitted.



Uniform Guidelines

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Sunglasses

The wearing of sunglasses when outside is optional. Students who elect to wear sunglasses should ensure that their glasses comply with AS 1067. Neutral colours such as black, brown or burgundy are preferred. Sunglasses that attract excessive attention are not acceptable.

Students wearing sunglasses should remove them when talking with other students or staff.



Jumpers

The length of jumpers should not be longer than mid-buttock, and sleeves should come neatly to the wrist and not be stretched to cover the hands.



Blazers

Students are required to wear their blazer when travelling to and from school, at assemblies, official events, or as requested by the school.

If not worn in class, blazers should be hung on the back of the student's chair. Blazers must not be placed in bags, or left on top of bags outside classrooms.



Additional underwear

Students may choose to wear additional layers of clothing under their school uniform such as thermal underwear. However, these must not be visible. In particular, t-shirt neckbands and sleeves protruding from sports shirts, or dark coloured and patterns showing through shirts are not acceptable. Sockettes of a colour matching the stockings may be worn inside shoes to provide additional warmth for girls' feet. These also should be unnoticeable.

Sports shirts

Sports shirts may be worn untucked.

When tracksuit jackets are worn, the sports shirt should not protrude below the tracksuit jacket. If necessary, the shirt should be tucked in.



Uniform Guidelines

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Tracksuit pants

Tracksuit pants should be worn zipped up. Wearing these unzipped increases wear and tear on tracksuit pants.

Girls Socks and Stockings

Girls are not permitted to wear both socks and stockings with winter uniform. No anklets are to be worn. Socks must be worn folded down and covering the ankle.

Boys Socks

All socks should properly cover the ankle and be clearly visible above the shoe.

Sport shoes

Sport shoes should be designed for sport, i.e. be flexible and support arches. Only predominantly white sports shoes are permitted.

Dress shoes

Black leather lace-up school shoes are to be worn; however, junior school students are permitted to wear velcro fastened black leather shoes. Dress black leather shoes with pointed toes, buckles or anything else that draws attention are not permitted.

Identification and Ownership

All uniform items should be clearly and appropriately labelled with the current owner's name. Printed labels are highly recommended.

Wearing uniform off campus

Students wearing uniform off campus (travelling to and from school, shopping after school, on excursions, etc.) are expected to remain in complete uniform and strictly adhere to all grooming requirements.

Leaving school in the afternoon

Students leaving school at the end of the day are expected to wear full uniform correctly. Some after school activities necessitate students changing before leaving school. In this situation they should completely remove all uniform items and leave in "civilian clothes".

