



MACARTHUR  
ADVENTIST COLLEGE

# Uniform Policy

# 2020



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**The wearing of College uniform is a pledge of loyalty to our College and an important contribution to the tone of the school.** Therefore, the wearing of regulation uniform is compulsory for all students. Macarthur Adventist College has a Uniform Policy in place and parents, teachers and students are responsible for seeing that this policy is adhered to.

Our College uniform is available from our uniform supplier – MUE – Moorebank Uniforms and Embroidery. The College occasionally stocks ties, hats and other second hand uniform items, which can be purchased from the second-hand store located in the College library. Continual monitoring of the College uniform will occur as part of the daily school routine.

**A Uniform Pass** will be given to all students whose uniform does not meet the standards set out in this policy. A text message will be sent to parents to inform that a Uniform Pass has been given. Students are allowed to obtain two Uniform Passes throughout each term. When the third Uniform Pass is given (third time wearing incorrect uniform), parents will be called and asked to come and collect the student. The student will be asked to stay home until the uniform issue has been resolved. A Uniform Pass is required for ANY infringement of the uniform policy. This includes incorrect nails and skirt length.

Parents need to discuss ongoing uniform issues with the Heads of School. Eg if uniform supplier is out of stock etc.

The Uniform Policy remains in force while students are on College grounds during the school day, on an excursion, participating in student outings or sport activities, and to and from the College.

**Non-regulation clothing will NOT be accepted.** i.e. hoodies or tracksuit tops or incorrect sports uniform attire.

All College uniform items must be purchased from our uniform supplier – MUE – to ensure the correct colour and style, with the exception of socks, stockings and shoes (formal or sport).

**Please note: The Principal and Heads of School have the right to determine whether the uniform code is being met.**

Yours in Christian Education,

Anna Calandra  
Principal

# Primary School Uniform - Prep

## Boys & Girls -Summer & Winter

- Navy Sports shirt with MAC logo.
- Navy Sports shorts or navy sports trackpants with MAC logo.
- Navy Fleece Trackpants with logo
- Navy Sports jacket with MAC logo.
- Navy Slouch hat with MAC logo.



**Winter Uniform**



**Summer Uniform**

**Winter Uniform**

# Primary Girls Uniform

## Kindergarten to Year 4 - Winter



- Blue tartan tunic or navy dress pants.
- White blouse with peter pan collar.
- Navy jacket with logo or V-neck jumper with MAC logo.
- Navy slouch hat with MAC logo.
- Plain white socks or navy tights.
- Black school shoes.
- Red bow-tie.
- **Optional: Soft shell jacket with logo.**
- **Optional: Plain navy beanie and/or scarf (no logos).**



- Navy sports polo with MAC logo.
- Navy sports shorts or sports track-pants with MAC logo.
- Navy sports tracksuit jacket with MAC logo.
- Plain white ankle socks.
- Supportive sports shoes.
- Navy slouch hat with MAC logo.



# Primary Girls Uniform

## Kindergarten to Year 4 - Summer



- Princess-style 'A'line dress.
- Navy jacket with logo or V-neck jumper with MAC logo.
- Navy slouch hat with logo.
- Plain white socks.
- Black school shoes.



- Navy sports polo with MAC logo.
- Navy sports shorts with MAC logo.
- Navy slouch hat with MAC logo
- Plain white ankle socks.
- Supportive sports shoes.



# Primary Boys Uniform

## Kindergarten to Year 4 - Winter



- White long sleeve button neck shirt with MAC logo.
- Blue tartan tie.
- Navy trousers.
- Navy jacket with logo or V-neck jumper with MAC logo.
- Navy slouch hat with logo.
- Plain navy ankle socks.
- Black school shoes.
- **Optional: Soft shell jacket with logo**
- **Optional: Plain navy beanie and/or scarf (no logos)**



- Navy sports polo with MAC logo.
- Navy sports shorts or sports track-pants with MAC logo.
- Navy sports tracksuit jacket with MAC logo.
- Plain white ankle socks.
- Supportive sports shoes.
- Navy slouch hat with MAC logo.



# Primary Boys Uniform

## Kindergarten to Year 4 - Summer



- White short sleeve open-neck shirt with MAC logo.
- Navy dress shorts.
- Navy jacket with logo or V-neck jumper with MAC logo.
- Navy slouch hat with logo.
- Plain navy ankle socks.
- Black school shoes.



- Navy sports polo with MAC logo.
- Navy sports shorts with MAC logo.
- Navy slouch hat with MAC logo
- Plain white ankle socks.
- Supportive sports shoes.



# Middle / Senior Girls Uniform

## Year 5 through to Year 12 - Winter



- Blue and red tartan skirt or navy dress pants.
- White short sleeve shirt with MAC logo.
- Navy jacket with logo or V-neck jumper with MAC logo.
- Plain white ankle socks or navy tights.
- Black school shoes.
- Blazer with MAC logo (Yr 9—12)
- Navy cap with MAC logo.
- **Optional: Soft shell jacket with logo**
- **Optional: Plain navy beanie and/or scarf (no logos)**



- Navy sports polo with MAC logo.
- Navy sports shorts or sports track-pants with MAC logo.
- Navy sports tracksuit jacket with MAC logo.
- Plain white ankle socks.
- Supportive sports shoes.
- Navy cap with MAC logo.





# Middle / Senior Girls Uniform

Year 5 through to Year 12 - Summer



- Blue checked skirt.
- White short sleeve shirt with MAC logo.
- Navy jacket with logo or V-neck jumper with MAC logo.
- Plain white ankle socks.
- Black school shoes.
- Navy cap with MAC logo.



- Navy sports polo with MAC logo.
- Navy sports shorts with MAC logo.
- Navy cap with MAC logo
- Plain white ankle socks.
- Supportive sports shoes.



# Middle / Senior Boys Uniform

## Year 5 through to Year 12 - Winter



- White long sleeve button neck shirt with MAC logo.
- Blue tartan tie (Year 5 & 6).
- Blue with stripes tie (Year 7-12)
- Navy trousers.
- Navy jacket with logo or V-neck jumper with MAC logo.
- Blazer with MAC logo (Yr 9—12)
- Navy cap with MAC logo.
- Plain navy ankle socks.
- Black school shoes.
- **Optional: Soft shell jacket with logo**
- **Optional: Plain navy beanie and/or scarf (no logos)**



- Navy sports polo with MAC logo.
- Navy sports shorts or sports track-pants with MAC logo.
- Navy sports tracksuit jacket with MAC logo.
- Plain white ankle socks.
- Supportive sports shoes.
- Navy cap with MAC logo.



# Middle / Senior Boys Uniform

## Year 5 through to Year 12 - Summer



- White short sleeve open-neck shirt with MAC logo.
- Navy dress shorts.
- Navy jacket with logo or V-neck jumper with MAC logo.
- Navy cap with MAC logo.
- Plain navy ankle socks.
- Black school shoes.
- **Optional: Plain black sliver buckle belt.**



- Navy sports polo with MAC logo.
- Navy sports shorts with MAC logo.
- Navy cap with MAC logo
- Plain white ankle socks.
- Supportive sports shoes.



# Blazer for Upper Senior School

Year 9 through to Year 12 - Winter



**Girls Blazer**



**Girls Winter Uniform with Blazer**



**Boys Blazer**



**Boys Winter Uniform with Blazer**

# Additional Uniform Items - Optional



**Senior  
Backpack**



**Junior  
Backpack**



**Summer & Winter  
Scrunchies**



**Winter  
Gloves**



**Winter  
Scarf**



**Winter  
Beanie**



**Soft Shell  
Jacket**

# Summer & Winter Uniform

**Summer uniform – is worn in Terms 1 and 4.**

**Winter uniform – is worn in Terms 2 and 3.**

Winter, Summer and Sport uniform items are not to be mixed. For example, sport jackets cannot be worn with the formal uniform. Short sleeve shirts for boys are not to be worn with the Winter uniform.

**Please note that all uniform items are compulsory.**

## General Uniform Information

Label all uniform items with your students first name and last name.

Parents/caregivers are expected to be in contact with the school if their child is not wearing their full school uniform.

Uniform Passes need to be worn by students if they are out of uniform (infringe upon any of the Uniform Policy items). If a student is out of (incorrect) uniform for a third time within a term, parents will be called to come and pick up their student. The uniform issue needs to be resolved before the student is allowed to return to school.

Parents need to discuss ongoing uniform issues with the Heads of School.

If the uniform issue persists a meeting with parents and principal will be arranged to resolve the issue.

Uniform checks will be conducted throughout the term.

Any alteration of school uniforms (such as shortening of skirts) will not be accepted.

Any families experiencing financial difficulties and are not able to meet the uniform requirements should contact the Principal.

Any unwanted uniform items can be sold in the second hand uniform shop, located in the Library.

During winter, extra clothes may be worn under the school uniform for warmth, as long as these cannot be seen. White coloured tee shirts only, are to be worn under the school uniform.

Scarves and beanies – can be worn with the winter uniform but must be plain navy with no logos.

No cargo pants – both boys and girls pants (summer and winter uniform) need to be dress pants NOT cargo pants (cargo pants have pockets on the outside).

All college uniform items must be purchased from our uniform supplier – MUE – to ensure the correct colour and style, with the exception of socks, stockings and shoes (formal or sport).

## **Blazers**

MAC blazers are worn by Year 9-12 students and are compulsory in Terms 2 and 3. Fitting and ordering needs to occur in Term 1. So that blazers are ready to wear by the start of Term 2.

The blazer must always be worn as the first option during Terms 2 and 3, with or without the school jumper underneath. The blazer is also worn at official functions, such as but not limited to, School Photos, Speech night, excursions etc.

## **Skirt Length**

The skirt should be long enough to reach the knee when standing.

## **Socks**

All socks need to be ankle length – must cover the ankle but not go above mid-calf.

No logos or stripes on socks. Girls formal uniform socks and both girls and boys Sports socks need to be plain white.

Boys socks need to be plain navy.

# Makeup / Nails

Minimal, natural-looking makeup only (foundation/cover-up). No noticeable makeup.

No false eye lashes.

Nails need to be clear, natural colour (Pic 1 and 2). Nails need to be kept at a safe length due to WHS issues (Pic 1 and 2).

No false, Acrylic or Gel nails.

**Pictured below are examples of acceptable nails for students.**

Pic 1



Pic 2



Pic 3



Pic 4



Pic 5



# Hair

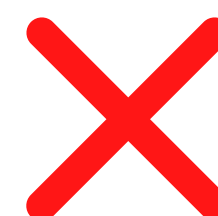
Hair is always to be kept in a neat and tidy manner and should not impair vision at anytime.

Offensive cuts/styles or extreme and unnatural hair colouring are not permitted. Slogans or symbols of any shape or form cannot be sprayed, cut or shaved into the hair.

Note: Judgment on acceptable hairstyles rests with the Principal and Heads of School. Students can and will be sent home if the hairstyle does not conform to College Policy.

Hair accessories such as ribbons, hairclips, scrunchies and head bands must be navy or red.

Pictured below are examples of acceptable hair accessories for students, as well as unacceptable hair accessories.





# Hats

Hats are compulsory. Must have the school logo. Needs to be worn for Sport and PE classes or when in the sun at recess and lunch.



# Jewellery.

**Girls Earrings:** Girls may wear one set of stud earrings on the lower ear lobe (no other body piercings).

**Boys Earrings:** Boys may wear one stud or one set of earring on the lower ear lobe (no other body piercings).

Stud earrings are to be no bigger than 5mm. No hoops or sleepers.

No other piercings are accepted (eg. No eyebrow, nose, lip, tongue or multiple studs on ear lobes or above etc,) are permitted. No other jewellery is allowed.

Pictured below are examples of acceptable jewellery for students, as well as unacceptable jewellery.



**If for cultural reasons, parents wish to discuss any of the above points, please present your case in writing and make an appointment with the Principal.**

# Shoes

School shoes must be black leather or leather-look, with either laces, buckle or velcro fastenings. No platform heels, prints / patterns, canvas shoes or sandals. School shoes are to be kept clean and in good repair.

Pictured below are examples of acceptable shoes, as well as unacceptable shoes.



# Free Dress Days & Camp

Free Dress Days are school days and learning programs are expected to proceed as normal. On occasions where alternative programs are implemented in conjunction with Free Dress Days, personal presentation standards and Behaviour Management Policy will remain the guiding principles.

The main purpose of student Free Dress Days is to support fund raising activities in a manner that demonstrates responsible student behaviour.

Please note while the regular uniform is not worn on these days, the essence of Uniform Policy must still be adhered to as well as the guidelines below.

Parents will be contacted and asked to bring different clothing for students whose clothing is unacceptable or inappropriate, or the students will be referred to the Office where the consequences of our Uniform Policy may be implemented.

## Permitted for Free Dress Days / Camp

- Jewellery and make-up must comply with Uniform Policy rules.
- Skirts, shorts and similar items must be of modest length (at least half way down the thigh), not too tight and not so low on the hips as to show any skin. No singlet tops to be worn.
- Appropriate logos.

## Not permitted for Free Dress Days / Camp

- No high platform shoes or thongs.
- No clothes that are see-through, low-cut, expose the belly or midriff area, too short, have spaghetti straps or show skin when the student raises his/her arms above his/her head.
- No inappropriate signs, symbols, pictures or words. This includes inappropriate symbols: Playboy bunny or other similar symbols, alcohol, tobacco and drug related materials, pictures or words about weapons; references to sexual or illegal acts; offensive language including swearing and discriminatory words are not to appear on any items of clothing, no clothing that refers to, in any way, any gang, group or idea that may intimidate or offend another student on the basis of race, gender, religion or sexual orientation.

For more information - Please refer to Uniform – Free Dress Day Guidelines in our Policies and Procedures which is available from the college office.

## Year 12 Jackets

Each year the Year 12 class designs a school jacket for their cohort. Year 12 students have the option of buying and wearing these jackets in place of the other College jumpers, jackets and blazer.

**Please Note:** The blazer must be worn at official functions, such as but not limited to, School Photos, Speech night, excursions etc. The Yr 12 jacket is not acceptable during these times.

# Uniform Shop Information

The uniform supplier for Macarthur Adventist College is:

Moorebank Uniforms and Embroidery  
Shop 30, Moorebank Shopping Village  
Phone 9602 4387.

