### St Martin de Porres



## ST MARTIN DE PORRES SCHOOL

# **UNIFORM POLICY**

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### **PURPOSE**

The implementation of this policy ensures that the School gives a standard of dress that promotes common identity to all students of St Martin de Porres School and aims to instil a sense of pride by those who wear the uniform.

### **AIMS**

- To promote a sense of uniformity and equality with the students.
- To develop a sense of belonging and pride for the students.
- To develop identification with our School.
- To provide comfort for the children in their learning, physical movement and sports activity.
- To provide a practical and cost-effective uniform for parents to purchase.
- To have a positive presence of the School in the community.

### **IMPLEMENTATION**

It is a condition of enrolment at St Martin de Porres School that the uniform be worn correctly, and as described in this Policy, at all times.

At all times students are ambassadors of the school and are expected to wear the uniform in a way that presents a positive face of St Martin de Porres School.

Please refer to the following document: <u>St Martin de Porres Uniform Requirements.</u>

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### **ENDORSEMENT DETAILS**

Review Date	February 2022
Date of Next Review	February 2025
Endorsed by:	Kerry Cornelius (Board Chairperson) Date: 25.02.2022
	Craig Fosdike (Principal)
	Date: 25.02.2022

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# **UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENT TO THE SCHOOL'S UNIFORM POLICY

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#### UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS - CLOTHING

- The School Uniform is an active uniform and is worn in during all Terms of School.
- The School Uniform consists of:
  - Short Sleeve Polo
  - o Long Sleeve Polo
  - Soft Shell Jacket
  - o Rugby Jumper
  - Shorts
  - Skort
  - Tracksuit Pants
  - Short Sleeve Seniors Polo (Year 6 students only)
- The uniform is consolidated and reduces the number of items. The items are interchangeable and can be worn in a number of ways: i.e. shorts/skort with short/long sleeve polo or tracksuit pants with short/long sleeve polo.
- School Accessories included in the uniform requirements include:
  - o School hat to be worn in Terms 1, 3 and 4 (refer SunSmart Policy).
  - School Beanie only worn during Term 2 and/or before/after school. The School Beanie is not an acceptable hat for Terms 1, 3 and 4 as per the School Uniform and SunSmart policies.
  - School Bag
  - Message Folder

It is every student's responsibility to ensure that they arrive each morning, and remain throughout the day, within the expectations outlined in this Policy.

### UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS - SHOES AND SOCKS

- Students are to wear sandshoes/sneaker.
- Students are to wear the school socks.

#### **JEWELLERY**

In general terms, jewellery and piercing is not permitted to be worn with the school uniform. The exception to this is the wearing of discreet earrings and watches.

- Students may wear small earrings (gold, silver, diamond/stoned) sleepers or studs in the lower ear only. Large elaborate earrings are not permitted.
- Simple neckchain with religious medal or cross can be worn.
- Signet rings can be worn.
- Watches and fitness trackers can be worn.
- Medical bracelets can be worn.
- No other visible jewellery is permitted; this includes: rings, bracelets, chains.

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### HAIR AND GROOMING

Hair for all students, must be clean, neat and well-groomed at all times.

- Hair that is of shoulder length or longer must be tied up and neatly off the face.
- A ribbon or scrunchie in school colours (blue or white) may be worn.

### MAKE UP AND NAIL POLISH

- Students are not permitted to wear makeup.
- Acrylic, gel, shellac nails are not permitted.
- Coloured nail polish is not to be worn.

### ITEMS NOT INCLUDED IN THE SCHOOOL UNIFORM

- Navy Rain jackets can be worn to/from school. During school time these will be placed on their bag hook.
- Scarves if your child intends to wear a scarf (cold weather only), please ensure it is navy blue.

#### BREACHES OF THE UNIFORM POLICY

School staff will continually monitor the uniform standards and ensure compliance.

In the event of any breach of the Uniform Policy students will be spoken to by the classroom teacher and parents will be notified from their child's classroom teacher to advise they did not comply with the requirements of our school uniform.

### Exceptions to the Uniform Requirements

On the following occasions students are allowed to wear non-school uniform and coloured hair accessories:

- School casual days.
- Sports Day.

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