



Clarence Valley
ANGLICAN SCHOOL

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INTRODUCTION

Clarence Valley Anglican School ("the School") is proud of its uniform and students are expected to demonstrate this pride through the way in which they wear it. As an independent school the uniform is a visible symbol of who and what we are. Expectations are high regarding the image we project as a community. We expect the uniform to be worn to and from school in a smart, tidy and respectable fashion.

The School uniform has been designed to be an uniform featuring school colours of blue and gold. Items are for sale in the uniform shop, situated at the rear of Cathedral Campus Administration building. Our uniform provider is The School Locker and uniforms may be purchased on-line or directly from the outlet. Sports uniforms can be worn to and from school on designated days.

If a student is unable to follow the Uniform Policy, a note from the student's parent must be given to the Class Teacher (Junior) or Tutor Teacher (Senior). If a student is unable to follow the Uniform Policy for more than five working days, approval from the Principal or Head of Campus must be sought by the parent.

The school uniform and the sport uniform is not to be mixed and matched with each other, or with any other item of clothing not approved by the Principal. This includes whilst at school and in public.

The school uniform should be a reflection of the professionalism and conduct of the school. Whilst wearing the school uniform outside of school hours, school rules still apply and students must not possess, use or deal tobacco, alcohol, illegal substances, implements or weapons and sexual exploitation of a student(s). Any offence may result in immediate suspension and possible expulsion of the student(s) concerned.

Staff have a responsibility to enforce the Uniform Policy according to what is deemed acceptable.

The wearing of the School uniform:

- Encourages a sense of belonging to the School community
- Promotes School and House spirit
- Eliminates class distinction through a uniformed dress
- Promotes respect for self
- Provides protection against the environment
- Promotes the unity of the School in the Clarence Valley Community

It is expected that all students wear the School uniform with pride. Students must depart and arrive home in the correct uniform, including the correct presentation regarding all items listed in this document.

- Short-sleeve shirts are not to be rolled at any time.
- All buttons must be done up on the Senior Girl's shirt.
- Black polishable enclosed lace-up shoes must be worn.
- Skirt lengths must be modest and must not be rolled.
- Under garments must not be visible.

GENERAL UNIFORM

GIRLS		
Junior School	Summer	An poly/cotton dropped waist blue patterned dress with white collar and attached small gold tie or shorts with blue patterned poly/cotton blouse with school chiro. Navy fleecy cardigan with School crest. Navy ankle socks, black polishable enclosed lace-up shoes. School hat - bucket style.
	Winter additions	Summer uniform with navy tights or navy ankle stocks OR white poly/cotton blouse with a Peter Pan collar and attached small gold tie. Navy poly/rayon washable tunic with school crest. Navy tights or navy ankle socks, black polishable enclosed lace-up shoes. Navy tailored pants. Navy fleecy cardigan with School crest. Sport jacket only to be worn with PE or house sport uniform.
Senior School	Years 7-10	
	Summer	Blue patterned poly/cotton blouse. Navy skirt and/or shorts. Navy woollen pullover with V neckline with a School crest, or School blazer. White ankle socks with a School crest. Black polishable enclosed lace-up shoes (not canvas; not boots). School hat - bucket style.
	Winter additions	Navy skirt, shorts or tailored navy pants. Navy woollen pullover with V neckline and School crest, or School blazer. White ankle socks with a School crest or navy stockings.
	Years 11-12	
	All seasons	White poly/cotton peaked front blouse with school tie. Navy skirt and/or shorts. Navy woollen pullover with V neckline with a School crest, or School blazer. White ankle socks with a School crest. Black polishable enclosed lace-up shoes (not canvas; not boots). School hat - bucket style. *Year 12 only - final year jersey A senior blazer is required for formal occasions.

GENERAL UNIFORM

BOYS		
Junior School	Summer	Poly/cotton, blue patterned short sleeved shirt. Navy school shorts. Navy ankle socks, black polishable enclosed lace-up shoes.
	Winter Additions	Poly/cotton, blue patterned short sleeved shirt. School tie (for Years 3 - 6 only) Navy, poly/rayon long pants. Navy fleecy cardigan with a School crest or pullover with School crest. Navy ankle socks, black polishable enclosed lace-up shoes.
Senior School	Years 7-10	
	Summer	Poly/cotton, blue patterned short sleeved shirt. Navy, poly/rayon dress shorts not cargo shorts. Navy woollen pullover with V neckline and School crest, or School blazer. Navy ankle socks. Black polishable enclosed lace-up shoes (not canvas; not boots). The School hat - bucket style
	Winter Additions	Summer uniform or white long sleeved business shirt. School tie. Navy poly/rayon long pants. Black belt. Navy woollen pullover with V neckline with a School crest, or School blazer. Navy ankle socks. Black polishable enclosed lace-up shoes (not canvas; not boots). The School hat - bucket style
	Years 11-12	
	All seasons	White short-sleeved business shirt with School crest. Navy, poly/rayon (dress) shorts not cargo shorts. Black belt (optional). Navy woollen pullover with V neckline with a School crest, or School blazer. Navy ankle socks. Black polishable enclosed lace-up shoes (not canvas; not boots). The School hat - bucket style. *Year 12 only - final year jersey A senior blazer is required for formal occasions.

SPORTS UNIFORM ALL STUDENTS BOTH CAMPUSES

Summer	Blue patterned polo shirt with the School crest and the School collar OR House coloured polo shirt. Navy and gold school sports jacket. Navy school sports shorts with school crest (the school board-shorts are only for aquatic activities). White sport socks (the only logo acceptable is the School crest) School hat- bucket style
Winter	Blue patterned polo shirt with the school crest and the School collar OR House coloured polo shirt. Navy and gold school sports jacket. Navy and gold school tracksuit pants. Navy school sports shorts with school crest (the school board-shorts are only for aquatic activities). White sport socks (the only logo acceptable is the School crest) School hat- bucket style

Note: Only students in Year 6 and Year 12 of each respective year are able to wear either a final year jersey (Yr 12) or a final year polo (Yr 6).

Students must wear appropriate and supportive footwear for all PDHPE and Sport activities. Shoes may be lace-up or Velcro, but must be fully enclosed running shoes or cross trainers.

The pale blue patterned PE sport shirt, **not** the house coloured shirt, must be worn when a student is representing the School.

The house coloured shirt must be worn at school sporting events.

Either shirt can be worn during PDHPE lessons or during the timetabled sport afternoons.

Year 11 and 12 students may only wear the sports or house shirt on special events.

The Year 6 shirt can only be worn when directed by the Year 6 class teacher. No other style shirt or item (e.g. representative jacket, shorts etc.) may be worn.

The PE Sports Uniform must only be worn when directed by the student's Class Teacher (K-6), PDHPE teacher, or Sport Coordinator.

The sports uniform is not to be mixed with the general day uniform.

PreKinder students wear this PE sports uniform all year.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION BOTH CAMPUSES

Backpack	The School school backpack only.
Belts	Boys should wear a plain black belt with their long pants in winter. No large fashion buckles are permitted on the belt.
Casual clothes days	On occasion, students are permitted to wear casual clothes to school. There are certain conditions the students clothes must adhere to: Clothes must be modest and not be singlet/midriff tops, shirts must cover the entire front and back of the torso, and must not include see through lace garments. Footwear must be enclosed. Appropriate clothing and footwear are to be worn. Students are to wear a hat if outside. A teacher reserves the right to ask students to remove jewellery and/or tie hair back when deemed necessary (Note hair must be tied up for all practical lessons).
Cold weather additions	School crested scarves may be worn, but will not be permitted in practical and workshop situations. Beanies and blankets are not permitted. Any garments worn under the uniform must not be visible.
Hair	Hair is to be kept neat, tidy, well-combed and off the face. If the hair is longer than the collar it must be tied back with a suitable band. No dramatic hair tinting or colouring is permitted - the use of tints, dyes or bleaches must resemble the natural colour of the student's hair. Extremes of fashion and accessories are also not permitted. The male student's face must be clean-shaven at all times.
Hat(s)	The School recognises the dangers of exposure to the sun. At both campuses, the wide-brim hat with the School emblem is the only acceptable hat to be worn. The School hat is to be worn before school, recess and lunch if students wish to play in the playground. It is also to be worn at all outdoor sporting events. Students who continuously do not have a hat for PDHPE or sport will have an entry made in TASS and parents will be notified.
Jewellery	Students are permitted to wear a wrist watch; one small, flat ring. One necklace may be worn but must not be visible. Any ear jewellery must be discreet and modest. Facial piercings should be clear in colour. No other jewellery (including arm or ankle) is to be worn.
Make-up	Make-up (facial) should be minimal, discreet and of natural skin colour. Students with excessive, visible make-up will be asked to remove it immediately. Only clear/skin coloured nail polish is permitted.
Library Bags (K-6 only)	Students in Kindergarten through to Year 6 are to have a school library book bag which is available from the School Locker uniform shop.
Shoes	Shoes must be black, polishable, lace-up, closed-in formal shoes. Laces must also be black. No other shoes (such as buckle, open, canvas, casual, sport or skater) are acceptable.
Religious Clothing	Any religious clothing that students are required to wear must be plain navy blue or black in colour.
Sunglasses	Sunglasses are permitted during recess, lunchtime and at outdoor events where extended sun exposure may be an issue. They are not permitted to be worn indoors.
Unnatural body markings	Unnatural body markings, such as tattoos, must not be visible at any time and must be covered with skins if they are in a visible place.
Swimming equipment	For aquatic activities, students are expected to have plain black or navy board shorts and/or "speedos" for boys and a black or navy one-piece costume for girls. A plain navy/black rash shirt (preferably long-sleeved) should be worn when attending an outside venue.