



Gumdale State School P&C

Uniform Policy

At Gumdale State School, the student dress code consists of a school uniform that students are expected to wear when attending or representing our school, travelling publicly to and from school and engaging in school activities out of school hours.

The Gumdale State School P&C has endorsed the student dress code for our school under the Education General Provisions Act 2006. In particular, the P&C supports the intention of a student dress code in providing a safe and supportive teaching and learning environment by:

- Ready identification of students and non-students at school;
- Eliminating distraction of competition in dress and fashion at school;
- Fostering a sense of belonging; and
- Developing mutual respect among students through minimizing visible evidence of economic or social differences.

There are two components to the school uniform, a Formal Uniform and an Everyday School Uniform.

Formal Uniform

The Formal Uniform must be worn on Formal Uniform Days. This includes Monday of each week and other special days determined by the Principal, such as Anzac Day, School Performances and School Photos. The Formal Uniform can also be worn on any other day of the week. There are 3 options for the Formal Uniform:

1. Gumdale State School royal blue checked dress, black shoes, white socks and reversible school hat.
2. Gumdale State School checked shirt and royal blue formal shorts with Gumdale State School logo, black shoes, white socks and reversible school hat.
3. Checked shirt and royal blue formal skort with Gumdale State School logo, black shoes, white socks and reversible school hat.

Everyday Uniform

The Everyday Uniform can be worn other days of the week. There are 2 options for the Everyday Uniform:

1. School polo shirt with Gumdale State School logo and royal blue unisex shorts, black shoes, white socks and reversible school hat.
2. School polo shirt with Gumdale State School logo and royal blue skort with Gumdale State School logo, black shoes, white socks and reversible school hat.

Reversible School Hat

In accordance with the Sun Safe Policy students wear a Gumdale State School reversible wide-brimmed surf hat. Students are expected to wear the hat for all outdoor activities.

1. Year 1-6 students: royal blue with house colour on reverse
2. Prep students: red with house colour on reverse



Shoes

Suitable enclosed footwear colour is black with white socks. See below for appropriate shoe styles.



Winter Uniform

The Winter Uniform can be worn in addition to the other uniforms. This can include:

1. Royal blue hooded fleece jacket with Gumdale State School logo and pants
2. Royal blue micro fibre jacket with Gumdale State School logo and pants.
3. Navy stockings can be worn with the Gumdale State School royal blue checked dress.

Uniform for Year 6 Students

Year 6 students may purchase a Senior Shirt designed by the cohort and wear it with the Everyday Uniform options, except on Formal Uniform days. Options are:

1. Senior Shirt with the royal blue unisex shorts, black shoes, white socks and reversible school hat.
2. Senior Shirt with the royal blue unisex skort, black shoes, white socks and reversible school hat.

Physical Education Programs

On P.E. lesson days, students should wear the Everyday Uniform with the reversible school hat. If a P.E. lesson falls on a Formal Uniform day, and students don't feel comfortable to wear their Formal Uniform during the lesson, they can bring their Everyday Uniform with them and change into it for their lesson.

Sports Carnival

On Gumdale Sports Carnival days, students may wear the Everyday Uniform with white socks and sports shoes, or a plain T shirt representing the house colour with royal blue unisex shorts or skort with Gumdale State School logo, white socks and sports shoes. The reversible school hat is to be worn with house colour showing. The House Colours are:



1. Bribie – PURPLE
2. Fraser – AQUA BLUE
3. Moreton – GREEN
4. Stradbroke - MAROON

Interschool Sport

When representing Gumdale State School for interschool sport events and for Year 4-6 Friday sports, students must wear the Everyday Uniform, white socks, sports shoes and the reversible school hat.

Swimming Lessons and Swimming Carnivals

1. Students must wear sun-safe rash shirts if swimming outside.
2. Girls must wear a full piece costume. Bikinis are not acceptable.
3. Boys may wear board shorts or speedo type bottoms.

Band and Choir Uniform

Students participating in formal band performances are expected to wear the Formal Uniform including black school shoes and white socks.

Hair and Jewellery

1. Hair is to be kept tidy and of natural colour, with a conservative cut.
2. Long hair is to be tied up and kept out of the eyes. Acceptable hair accessories are bands, ribbons, scrunchies and clips in either red or royal blue.
3. Acceptable items:
 - Stud and sleeper earrings in gold/silver
 - Watches
 - Medical alert tag
 - School badges
4. Non-acceptable items:
 - Finger nail polish
 - Acrylic nails
 - Make-up
 - Dyed hair
 - Body piercings
 - Tattoos
5. Students may wear sunglasses to school in keeping with the Sun Safe Policy.

Free Dress Days

1. Acceptable attire is sun safe, covered in clothing along with closed in shoes.
2. Non-acceptable attire includes singlets, short shorts, thongs, slip-on shoes, caps and exposed underwear.

Religious Considerations

Head coverings are to be of red, white or royal blue. For further information, please make an appointment to discuss with the Principal.



Hardship Provisions

Assistance will be given to families who are not able to purchase the required uniforms due to financial hardship. Please see the Principal.

Uniform Shop

The Gumdale State School Uniform Shop is run by the Gumdale State School Parents and Citizens Association. It is staffed by volunteers and current opening hours are advertised on the school website.

All uniform items can be purchased at the Uniform Shop. EFTPOS and Credit Card facilities are available and for your convenience, orders can also be processed via Flexischools – www.flexischools.com.au.

A price list can be found on the school website or for more information please email the Uniform Shop uniform@gumdalesspc.org.au

Please clearly name all uniform items with student name and year level.

Date Adopted: 8 November 2018

Signature of P&C President : _____

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