



Richmond Primary School

Uniform Policy

Rationale

The wearing of a school uniform promotes community and pride in our school, enhances our public image, reduces peer pressure and encourages appropriate clothing for school activities.

Richmond Primary School uniform items can be purchased from Lowes, Edwardstown Castle Plaza, 992 South Rd. Edwardstown SA 5039 Ph. (08) 8177 2339 <https://www.castleplaza.com.au/stores/lowes>

Children are required to wear red top, black bottom and red hat. If items are purchased from retail stores they must be the correct colours. All clothing worn to school is to maintain our school colours.

Hats are required from the beginning of August to the end of April. Students are required to wear a broad brimmed/bucket hat whenever they are involved in outdoor activities. More information can be found at www.sunsmart.com.au Hats provide protection from the sun and as such should be in good repair.

Jewellery is discouraged however; some jewellery may have religious significance. Any jewellery that is worn must not present a safety hazard, e.g., chains and necklaces should be worn inside clothing. Ear piercings must be small studs or sleepers.

Please be aware, nail polish, make up, denim, clothing with incorrect colours, with brand names, slogans or logos are not acceptable.

Health and safety. Footwear should meet safety standards and allow students to be involved in physical activity during the day. Items, which are not acceptable, include thongs, slip-ons, ballet flats and heeled shoes. To help prevent the spread of head lice, loan hats are not provided by the school, and hair shoulder length or longer should be tied back with ribbons, scrunchies or bands in school colours.

Senior students do have the option to purchase a commemorative jumper in their final year of Primary School.

Families are encouraged to label all school clothing with the child's name. Any unidentified items of clothing in lost property may be donated at the end of each term.