



Uniform Policy

The Applecross Senior High School uniform promotes our school's public image and positively impacts student self-esteem. It also enhances a sense of belonging and pride in the school community.

From an educative point of view, being suitably groomed, consistent with the ethos of the Applecross Senior High School context, assists in preparing students for the workplace. As future-ready citizens, students are expected to be clean, well-groomed, and appropriately dressed at all times. At Applecross Senior High School, the majority of students wear the uniform with pride every day.

Full uniform compliance is essential for staff and students' safety and welfare as it signals quite obviously who is permitted to be on-site and who is not. We are confident that the community will support our approach on Uniform for this reason.

The School Board and P&C have endorsed the School Uniform Policy that:

- every student will wear school uniform
- students arriving at school will be clean and neatly dressed
- uniform items are originally purchased from the Uniform Concepts, Willetton

The Applecross Senior High School uniform has been designed by students, parents and staff so that it is comfortable, affordable and attractive: periodic review of the uniform is undertaken to ensure this is the case.

Years 7,8 and 9 Students Uniform

Garment	Style	Colour
Shirt	Lower School Polo	Red
Skorts	Pleated Front Style	Black
Shorts	Cuffed (Girls)	Black
Shorts	Waist Fit or Drawstring	Black
Dress	Grey Check Dress	Grey
Undershirt	Long sleeves	White or Black
Jacket	Soft Shell Jacket	Black
Jacket	School Jacket	Red, Black, Green
Jacket	Tennis Jacket (Tennis Students Only)	White, Black
Jumper	V-Neck Woven	Grey
Trackpants	Elastic Waist	Black

Years 10, 11 and 12 Uniform

Garment	Style	Colour
Shirt	Upper School Polo	White
Shirt	Fitted Blouse or Shirt	White
Skorts	Pleated Front Style	Grey
Shorts	Cuffed (Girls)	Black
Shorts	Waist Fit or Drawstring	Black
Dress	Grey Check Dress	Grey
Undershirt	Long sleeves	White or Black
Jacket	Soft Shell Jacket	Black
Jacket	School Jacket	Red, Black, Green
Jacket	Tennis Jacket	White, Black
Jacket	Leavers (Year 12 only)	
Jumper	V-Neck Woven	Grey
Trackpants	Elastic Waist	Black

Physical Education Uniform

Garment	Style	Colour
Shirt	PE Polo	White, Green
Shorts	PE Short	Green
Track Pants	Elastic waist with piping inset	Black, Green insert
Shorts	Tennis	Red
Skort	Tennis	Red
Shirt	Tennis Polo	Red, White

Flat, fully enclosed footwear must be worn. This is a health and safety issue.



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Inappropriate Wear

It is not appropriate to wear to school:

- PE uniform during other classes
- Opaque black tights on their own (can be worn with skirts only)
- denim or any jean fabric.
- long-sleeved tees or jumpers with/without hoods under the school polo shirt
- excessive jewellery, e.g. hooped earrings, large bracelets, piercings etc
- excessive makeup
- rainwear or jackets except to or from school, other than the School Jacket as part of the School Uniform
- excessively torn or frayed clothing
- variations of enclosed footwear that do not complement the School Uniform
- clothing items not originally purchased from the School Uniform Shop.
- Long, coloured socks.

If out of uniform, students will be asked to attend Student Services before school where they will be required to exchange their inappropriate item of clothing for the correct uniform which they will return to Student Services at the end of the day. They will then receive their item back. If a student is not compliant, when given this opportunity to change, an appropriate consequence consistent with the Applecross Senior High School behaviour management policy will be given at the discretion of the Program Coordinator. It is the student's responsibility to be in full uniform, or seek assistance, before the first period commences.

Please note that if a parent is experiencing financial hardship and needs some support from the school in purchasing a school uniform for their child, they are welcome to contact the relevant Student Services Program Coordinator for this support.

Please show that you are proud to be a member of this school by reflecting the school values of Personal Best and Mutual Respect in the way you dress.

Exemptions

Under Regulation 35 (2) of the School Education Regulations, parents may apply to the Principal for an exemption to the school uniform for their child. The application is to be made at the time of their child's enrolment at the school. Only where the Principal has granted an exemption is the child to be out of uniform. Please refer to [Appendix A](#) for information about applications for exemption.

Headwear

Scarves or head dresses (which may be worn for religious or cultural reasons) are to be consistent with the colours of the Applecross SHS school uniform.

