

# **GENERAL STATEMENT Principles and Guidelines**

Students in WA attending government schools are required to be clean and appropriately dressed for school activities.

After consultation with the P&C, teachers and students, the School Council of Anzac Terrace Primary School has established a dress code for all students attending the school. This Code complies with the policy and guidelines as set down by the Department of Education and Training. This Dress Code includes and supports the wearing of SCHOOL UNIFORMS.

# The Dress Code Requirements are:

- 1) DRESS MUST BE APPROPRIATE FOR SCHOOL ACTIVITIES.
- 2) DRESS MUST SUPPORT AND PROMOTE HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDARDS.
- 3) DRESS MUST NOT DISTRACT OR BE DISRUPTIVE TO THE LEARNING PROGRAM.

Parents are asked to ensure their children follow the dress code and are neat, clean and tidy for school activities. If students do not comply, a letter may be sent home or telephone contact made to parents/carers asking that students follow the dress code.

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### **SCHOOL UNIFORM:**

The School Council has the support of the school community to provide and encourage the wearing of the school uniform.

The School Board believes school uniform:

- fosters and enhances the public image of the school
- assists in building school and team spirit
- ensures students are safely dressed for specific school activities
- encourages equity among students
- can reduce cost to parents compared with fashion and fad clothing
- prepares students for work, as many work places have dress and safety codes.

# The uniform currently is:

Dress: Dress, with school logo

Tops: Polo Shirt – yellow, with school logo, short sleeve

Rugby Shirt – navy blue, with school logo, long sleeve

Microfiber Jacket – navy blue, with school logo Fleece Jacket – navy blue, with school logo

Bottoms: Skort - navy blue (skirt with sports bloomer)

Shorts – navy blue, with school logo Tracksuit Pants – navy blue

# Sport Faction Polo Shirts are ONLY to be worn on Fridays or sports carnivals

Discovery Red Success Blue Endeavour Green

Official uniforms can be purchased from the P&C or plain T-shirts of the correct colour may be used.

# Denim wear IS NOT part of the school uniform.

Uniforms can be purchased/ordered through Qkr, or from the P&C at the uniform shop on designated days. These dates and times can be found on the school calendar.

Second hand uniforms may also be purchased from the uniform shop – when available.

Students not wearing the school uniform may be denied the opportunity to represent their school at official school activities, which include sporting and social events.

Prefects and all school representatives must adhere to the uniform requirements outlined in this policy.

## DRESS MUST BE APPROPRIATE FOR SCHOOL ACTIVITIES -

- Clothing needs to be neat and comfortable.
- Dress needs to allow students to participate in all activities including sport sessions.
- Leisure wear is not appropriate or acceptable for school.

#### DRESS MUST SUPPORT AND PROMOTE HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDARDS -

- Hats are compulsory all year round. Broad brimmed hats with school logo are compulsory as they offer more protection from the sun on the neck and face.
- Shoes / sneakers or sandals which strap to the foot are required (no thongs).
- Jewellery items are only acceptable if they are safe for all school situations eg wrist watches and sleepers or studs.

Necklaces, wrist bands, earrings are not acceptable. (Cultural reasons will be considered)

• Shoulder length hair must be tied back.

# DRESS MUST NOT DISTRACT OR BE DISRUPTIVE TO THE LEARNING PROGRAM -

- Plain clothes in school colours (with no slogans) are suitable if uniform not available.
- Make-up and or nail polish is not acceptable at any time.