



CHEVALLUM STATE SCHOOL STUDENT DRESS CODE

Chevallum State School is proud of our School Uniform.

Upon enrolling at Chevallum State School, parents acknowledge and will comply with our school uniform policy. The Chevallum State School Parents and Citizens' Association on behalf of the school community and Chevallum State School have jointly endorsed that our school is a full uniform school. The school enforces this uniform policy.

Our school community believes that our uniform is important in that it encourages a sense of self-esteem, pride in our school and self-discipline in students. Our school uniform is designed to create a sense of unity in our school and with unity comes strength and a sense of purpose. The wearing of the school uniform also contributes to school safety because it ensures that our students are readily identifiable.

All students are expected to wear the school uniform while on their way to, during and from school. If a situation occurs that a student does not have a uniform, or part thereof, on any school day a note needs to be sent from a parent/caregiver. The student is then able to acquire a uniform from our supply pool.

Our school uniform will be worn on all occasions except when the student has a Sports Carnival or a designated uniform free day. Uniform is to be worn on all excursions unless otherwise advised. Chevallum State School is a sun safe school and a Chevallum broad brimmed hat (identifying features including names on inside only) is to be worn whilst outside.

Early Years Uniform

Item	How / When worn	Available at the Uniform Shop
School Early Years unisex polo shirt		Yes
School plain black unisex shorts or skorts	Worn on the waist at an acceptable and modest length for school wear	Yes
Plain black skirt	Bike shorts recommended to be worn underneath	No
School house sports shirt	Worn on designated days	Yes
School polar-fleece zip jacket	Worn in cooler weather	Yes
Plain black or red long sleeve T-shirt	Optional – may be worn under school uniform in cooler weather	No
Plain black pants	Worn in cooler weather (material must be predominantly fleece, cotton and be loose around the legs, eg. trackpants, cargo pants, NO jeans or activewear)	Yes
Plain black tights, leggings, stockings or activewear	Worn in cooler weather under black shorts, skirt or skorts	No
School black wide-brimmed hat	Worn by Prep students Worn outdoors for sun protection Must protect the face and back of neck "No Hat - No Play" policy applies	Yes
School red wide-brimmed hat	Worn by Year 1 students Worn outdoors for sun protection Must protect the face and back of neck "No Hat - No Play" policy applies	Yes
Plain black or white socks	Visible above the line of the shoe	No
Plain black or white shoes	Must be enclosed shoes that are predominantly black or white (casual slip on shoes, thongs, sandals or elevated heels are not appropriate)	No
School backpack	Optional	Yes

Years 2-6 School Uniform

Item	How / When worn	Available at the Uniform Shop
School red unisex school polo shirt		Yes
School red and white striped blouse		Yes
Plain black unisex shorts or skorts	Worn on the waist at an acceptable and modest length for school wear	Yes
Plain black skirt	Bike shorts recommended to be worn underneath	No
School house sports shirt	Worn on designated days	Yes
School red and white striped dress	Bike shorts recommended to be worn underneath	Yes
School Polar-fleece zip jacket	Worn in cooler weather	Yes
Plain black or red long sleeve T-shirt	Optional – may be worn under school uniform in cooler weather	No
Plain black pants	Worn in cooler weather (material must be predominantly fleece, cotton and be loose around the legs, eg. trackpants, cargo pants, NO jeans or activewear)	Yes
Plain black tights, leggings, stockings or activewear	Worn in cooler weather under black shorts, skirt, dress or skorts	No
School red wide-brimmed hat	Worn outdoors for sun protection Must protect the face and back of neck "No Hat - No Play" policy applies	Yes
Plain black or white socks	Visible above the line of the shoe	No
Plain black or white shoes	Must be enclosed shoes that are predominantly black or white (casual slip on shoes, thongs, sandals or elevated heels are not appropriate)	No
School backpack	Optional	Yes
School Senior Shirt	Optional – only to be worn by Year 6 students	

Acceptable Footwear	Unacceptable Footwear
	



GENERAL APPEARANCE

Hairstyles must be neat, clean, tidy and of a natural tone. Hair sculpting and patterning fall outside the school's dress code and are not permitted. All hair ornaments should be kept to a minimum and may include scrunchies, ribbons and elastic bands. Students with long hair (below the collar) are required to tie hair back at all times whilst at school due to health reasons.

Make-up and nail polish are not to be worn at school. Students will be asked to remove make-up/nail polish if worn to school.

JEWELLERY

Students may wear a watch, maximum of 2 pierced holes per earlobe with either simple stud earrings of small sleeper earrings. All other jewellery is considered a potential danger to the well-being of students. Exceptions are made for certified medical bracelets or necklaces. Students wishing to wear religious symbols require a letter of request from a parent to the Principal. Medical necklaces/religious symbols should be pinned inside of the shirt/blouse for safety reasons. Workplace Health and Safety concerns may require that jewellery that complies with this policy (ie medical, religious) may need to be removed in certain situations.

All other piercings/jewellery MUST be removed whilst students are at school or representing the school.

UNIFORM FREE DAYS

On specified days, students may be permitted to wear free dress. Students need to wear appropriate, sun-safe clothing. The usual safety regulations regarding the wearing of closed in shoes and approved jewellery also apply on free dress days.

DRESS STANDARDS FOR STUDENTS

Inappropriate dress must not be worn to school at any time. Inappropriate is defined as clothing or apparel that is, or could be deemed to be:

- Offensive due to being too revealing or containing inappropriate logo/wording
- Likely to disrupt or negatively influence the normal operation of the school
- Unsafe for students and others
- Likely to result in risk to the health of the students or others (including sleeveless clothing)
- Unacceptable writing or skin marking including temporary tattoos

LABEL ALL BELONGINGS

All belongings are to be labelled with a permanent maker/ label. The school accepts no responsibility for lost property.

EXEMPTIONS

The only exemptions to this Dress Code are students whose individual needs prevent them from conforming to the Dress Code or students whose families have religious or cultural grounds. In such cases, these parents /caregivers will need to discuss their situation with the Principal.