



## **Dress Code - Years P – Year 6 Rationale**

***The Yokine Primary School community believes that the school uniform:***

- Fosters a sense of community
- Enhances the public image of the school
- Should be worn in such a way as to demonstrate pride in the school itself.
- Encourages equity among students
- Ensures students are dressed safely and appropriately for school activities
- Should protect the children from ultraviolet radiation

The uniform may be refined from time to time after consultation between the Principal, School Board, P&C and the parent community.

### **DRESS CODE POLICY**

- Only approved uniform items may be worn at school other than for advertised special occasions.
- Only children wearing school uniform may represent the school at sporting events and on excursions.
- Acceptance of enrolment in Yokine Primary School assumes acceptance of the Dress Code unless a modification of the Code is sought.

### **MODIFICATION TO THE DRESS CODE**

Parents of children who may need consideration to modify the school uniform for religious, health, ethnic background or any other reasons should contact the Principal.

### **SANCTIONS**

1. In circumstances where a child is breaching the school dress code, the issue will be discussed with their teacher or a member of the leadership team.
2. If a child continues not to wear the school uniform or consistently does not follow the dress code a letter will be sent to the parent of that child for further discussions on reaching an appropriate outcome in line with the Dress Code.
3. Continued infringements of the Dress Code may lead to the exclusion from special events

## **APPROVED SCHOOL UNIFORM**

**GIRLS:** Royal Blue collar type T-shirt with Navy/White trim and school logo.  
Navy Blue shorts/Skort.  
Navy Blue Cargo pants.  
Navy Blue Leggings (to be worn under Skorts)  
Royal Blue jacket with school Logo.  
Royal Blue Cap with school Logo or Navy Bucket Hat.

**BOYS:** Royal Blue collar type T-shirt with Navy/White trim and school logo.  
Navy blue shorts  
Navy Blue Cargo pants.  
Royal Blue jacket with school Logo  
Royal Blue Cap with school Logo or Navy Blue Bucket Hat.

***ALL uniform items are available for purchase from the Uniform Shop on a designated morning or afternoon or by completing an order form which is available from the school office.***

**NB: No Denim is to be worn.**

### **HATS**

Yokine PS follows the SunSmart guidelines. We have a '**no hat –no play**' policy and students have to wear approved school hats during **ALL** school terms.

***The accepted school hats are:***

1. Royal Blue Cap/Navy Blue Bucket Hat with school logo

***These hats are available from the Uniform Shop***

### **FOOTWEAR**

The school policy is to encourage suitable footwear. Sandals, shoes and socks, and joggers are acceptable. Other types of footwear can be dangerous and are not appropriate for school activities.

### **HAIR**

Hair must be tied back (for girls and boys) if at shoulder length. Hair ties and head bands are to be of school colours (blue) and of a plain nature.

### **JEWELLERY**

Jewellery other than for religious purposes is not to be worn to school. Earrings are to be kept to small studs or sleepers.

### **NAIL POLISH AND MAKEUP**

These are not to be worn to school. Students will be requested to remove nail polish and makeup at school.