



## Mirboo North Secondary College Uniform

Mirboo North Secondary College has an agreed to uniform policy, as developed and endorsed by school council.

The wearing of a school uniform is seen as important to the members of the school community. We believe that uniform is important for the following reasons:

- Uniform allows students to focus more on learning and less on fashion
- Many experts believe that all students in uniform promotes a sense of community and team spirit
- Uniforms contribute positively to the behaviour of students and allows them to be identified as members of the school community
- Increase a sense of belonging and school pride – especially at events with other schools in attendance
- A feeling of equality regardless of socio-economic status
- Ensuring all students are dressed safely and appropriately for school activities
- Preparing students for the expectations of workplaces and sports teams

School uniform should **only** be purchased from our uniform supplier - **Ridgway Discounts**, 73 Ridgeway, Mirboo North, Ph: 5668 1338.

Please note there has been a significant change to the current school uniform policy and it is strongly recommended that the following items are not purchased second hand as 2015 will see a strong enforcement of the new policy. These include:

- The old girls summer college dress.
- The old girls grey winter skirt.
- Both girls and boys grey pants, trousers and shorts.

The following item is not acceptable in 2014 and should not be purchased second hand

- Hooded windcheaters

As parents/carers it can be a struggle to encourage your child to wear the correct uniform, they want to customize or 'push the limits'. However we strongly believe that our school should and will encourage students to wear the correct school uniform at all times with pride.

**Please Note: Black jeans and tracksuit pants do not comply with the uniform policy at Mirboo North Secondary College**

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## UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS

It is expected that all students attending Mirboo North Secondary College comply with this Uniform Policy

### GIRLS

- Summer:** College dress – in approved pattern & material – White socks only  
**Black dress shorts / Sport shorts** – White or black socks only  
White polo top with college logo, black and purple sports polo with school logo (short sleeve)  
Purple college jumper / college windcheater
- Winter:** College skirt in approved pattern (College tartan) – Black stockings only  
**Black trousers or cargo pants** – dark socks only  
White polo tops with college logo,  
Black and purple sports polo with school logo (with trousers only)  
Purple college jumper / college windcheater  
College sports jacket  
School scarf
- Shoes:** Plain black leather lace-up or buckle up shoes, ankle boots or plain black sneakers (not ballet style shoes)
- In the interests of health safety and cleaning costs, shoes or boots that transmit mud should be avoided.
- Jewellery:** Must be discreet, subtle and safe. A maximum of four pieces plus a wristwatch is permitted.

### BOYS

- Summer:** **Black shorts / Sport shorts** – White or black socks  
White polo top with college logo, black and purple sports polo with school logo (short sleeve)  
Purple college jumper / college windcheater
- Winter:** **Black trousers or cargo pants** – dark socks  
White polo tops with college logo, black and purple sports polo with school logo (short sleeve)  
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