



St Thomas More's Catholic Primary School
Launceston Tasmania

SCHOOL UNIFORM

POLICY

2018

Dear Parents

Our school uniform is a proud symbol of who we are. It proudly proclaims who we are and what we represent.

I would ask all families to continue to support your child and our school by providing them with the correct uniform to wear to school. This booklet provides information about the required uniform.

Our uniform is available from Targetts School Wear located at 132 Charles Street Launceston.

Kind Regards

Mr Shayne Kidd

Principal

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Rationale

Students attending St Thomas More's Catholic Primary School must wear the approved school uniform, unless exempted from doing so by the Principal or on designated days or for exceptional reasons. The School believes that a uniform policy is important for the following reasons:

- To provide a focus and a sense of identity for students attending the school.
- To provide an opportunity for parents and staff to instill in the children a sense of pride in their appearance.
- To prevent excesses in fashion trends and to eliminate competition among students often based on parent ability to provide suitable clothes.

Upon accepting enrolment, parents agree to provide the correct uniform for their child. A detailed uniform list is available on the school web site.

Uniform change over dates summer/winter shall be determined by the Principal and shall recognise seasonal factors.

All staff are to ensure that students are wearing the correct uniform. However, the Principal or delegate may grant exception to a child from wearing all or part of the uniform for a designated period of time at his/her discretion. (An explanatory note to the Principal is required from the parents/guardian if for some reason the correct uniform cannot be worn.)

The correct uniform is to be worn to and from school and in public, for example: shopping after school. All students should show their belonging and loyalty to their school community by wearing the school uniform fully and with pride.

Hair needs to be well groomed, neatly cut with no extremes of colour or style. Shoulder length (or over) must be tied back. Green, gold, white or blue ribbons and matching hair accessories only to be worn.

Make-up is not to be worn with the school uniform.

No jewellery, other than a wrist watch, one pair only of sleepers or plain gold / silver stud earrings may be worn, in the ear lobe only. No other body piercing is acceptable. Requirements that are culturally/religiously based will be at the discretion of the Principal.

Skirt length should be no higher than 5cm above the knee.

School hat must be worn during recess, lunch and all outdoor activities in Term 1 and from September each year.

Coats and scarves must be bottle green or navy in colour and may be worn during recess, lunch and all outdoor activities.

Violation of the uniform policy may be cause for disciplinary action.

Mr Shayne Kidd

Principal

KINDER UNIFORM

Boys

Shorts, knit, navy
Track pants, navy ice piping (winter)
Polo shirt, striped STM
Rugby Jumper STM
Socks, sport white
Runners, **predominately white, & white laces**
Vest, reversible navy/green (optional)
Hat legionnaires, navy
Backpack, school or personal
Coat (no bright colours or puffer jackets)

Girls

Shorts, knit navy or Skort navy
Track pants, navy ice piping (winter)
Polo shirt, striped STM
Rugby Jumper STM
Socks, sport white
Runners, **predominately white, & white laces**
Vest, reversible navy/green (optional)
Hat legionnaires, navy
Backpack, school or personal
Coat (no bright colours or puffer jackets)

BOYS UNIFORM

Winter

Trousers, long grey
Shirt long sleeve, Green Pinstripe (Midford)
Jumper, bottle green + (school badge)
Tie, green & gold
Socks, short grey
Coat (no bright colours or puffer jackets)
Shoes, school black lace up
Vest, reversible navy/green (optional)
Winter shorts (optional) with long socks

Summer

Shorts, grey (Midford)
Shirt, short sleeve Green Pinstripe
Jumper, bottle green + (school badge)
Socks, grey short
Shoes, school black lace up
Hat green, slouch or legionnaires
Vest, reversible navy/green (optional)

GIRLS UNIFORM

Winter

Tunic or Skirt, green & gold
Shirt, long sleeve, lemon Peter Pan collar
Jumper, bottle green (school badge)
Tights, bottle
Coat (no bright colours or puffer jackets)
Shoes, **school black lace up**
Vest, reversible navy/green (optional)

Summer

Dress
Jumper, bottle green (school Badge)
Socks, Short lemon
Shoes, **school black lace up**
Hat green, slouch or legionnaires
Vest, reversible navy/green (optional)

SPORTS UNIFORM

Shorts knit, navy (boys & girls)
Track pants, navy ice piping (winter)
Rugby Jumper, STM
Runners, **predominately white**
House polo – Red, Blue, or Yellow

Skort, navy (girls)
Polo shirt, striped STM
Socks, sport, white
Hat navy, legionnaires