



UNIFORM POLICY

This policy has been developed and endorsed by the Narrabeen Sports High School community.

BASIC PRINCIPLES

School uniform builds a sense of community and ownership in the student body, ensuring pride in the school and its attainments as well as forming a lasting impression of the school in the wider community.

School uniform allows students to be easily identified by staff and ensures that people who are not a part of the school can be recognised and removed from the premises thus ensuring a high level of security.

School uniform, if worn correctly and consistently, builds students' self-esteem and confidence.

School uniform is the most economical and sensible way to dress students for school.

OUR UNIFORM

The basic uniform is worn year round though there are additional items available for winter.

There are some differences between the junior uniform for Years 7 to 9 and the senior uniform for Years 10 to 12, though the basic colour scheme remains the same.

Junior Girls (7-9)	Sports Uniform (Boys and Girls)
Junior Checked Skirt with appropriate length	Blue NSHS Polo Shirt
School regulation style Navy Slacks	Blue NSHS Shorts
White NSHS Polo Shirt	Tracksuit NSHS Pants
School Sloppy Joe	White Ankle Socks
Plain white socks above the ankle and below the calves. Socks must not have logos or colours of any kind. Black Stockings are optional.	Joggers with Non marking Soles *
Black leather lace up style enclosed school shoes not the jogger or suede style; no logos	
Junior Boys (7-9)	Academy Uniform (Boys and Girls)
School regulation style Grey Shorts or Long Grey Pants	Academy polo or Academy singlet (only when training)
White NSHS Polo Shirt	Blue NSHS Shorts
School Sloppy Joe	Tracksuit NSHS Pants
Plain white socks above the ankle and below the calves. Socks must not have logos or colours of any kind.	White Ankle Socks
Black leather lace up style enclosed school shoes not the jogger or suede style; no logos	Joggers with Non marking Soles *

All Uniforms must be purchased through the NSHS Uniform Shop

Variations on the uniform items are unacceptable and will not be tolerated.

Students will be excluded from certain school and school-linked activities:

- if their clothing compromises agreed upon school community standards articulated in this policy statement, and might be considered damaging to the image of the school in the larger community context;
- where the health and safety of the student or of other students, particularly as defined by workplace health and safety legislation, would otherwise be compromised.

While a student won't be suspended solely for not wearing school uniform, ongoing non-compliance will be regarded as an infringement of the school's student discipline policy.

THE DRESS CODE

1. The school uniform must be worn in an appropriate fashion and not with individual variations. Only the wearing of white undershirts is acceptable.
2. Students are expected to be neat, tidy and well groomed at all times
3. Jewellery must be subtle silver or gold. Jewellery is only acceptable if inoffensive and of a safe design. For example, earrings **must** be studs or sleepers, **not long dangling styles as these are unsafe in a school environment.**
4. Makeup should not be excessive or inappropriate. No brightly coloured hair is permitted.
5. Any offensive, revealing or inappropriate item worn to school may result in a student being removed from class and parents being called. This includes items of clothing with messages, symbols, pictures or logos other than the school logo.
6. Students who are representing the school at formal non-sporting events for example representative visits, debating etc, are expected to wear the NSHS formal school uniform ie skirts only for girls and long pants for boys.
7. Plain navy blue school caps and plain navy blue beanies only are to be worn and are also available but must **not** be worn in classrooms. Hoodies are not part of the Narrabeen Sports High School uniform and are not to be worn.
8. If students are not wearing the correct footwear WHS requirements will result in them being excluded from practical classes in science, visual arts, food technology and hospitality classes as these subjects involve the use of chemicals, sharp tools etc. An alternate activity will be provided.
* Leather shoes are to be worn in practical subjects on sports day.
9. If students are out of uniform they must bring a note signed by parents explaining the reason. This must be signed by the Deputy Principal who will provide an 'Out of Uniform' Pass. Detentions will be given to students without notes of adequate explanation.
10. All clothing items are available from the Uniform Shop. Our clothing is of good quality and very reasonably priced.