Corrimal East Public School



Uniform Policy

A school uniform consists of a limited range of clothing, including footwear and headwear. It identifies student as belonging to a particular school. Schools usually expect students to wear the uniform during school hours, while travelling to and from school, and when engaged in school activities out of school hours.

The Department of Education and Communities supports the wearing of school uniforms by students and the upholding of high standards of dress by students and staff. The Department recognises that NSW has a long history of school uniforms or dress codes being decided by the local school community.

The NSW Department of Education & Communities states that: 'All students in NSW Government Schools are expected to maintain a neat appearance, including adhering to the requirements of the school's uniform or dress code policy.

At Corrimal East Public School we expect students to wear the uniform during school hours, while travelling to and from school, and when engaged in school activities out of school hours.

Principles

- Decisions about school uniforms should be consistent with occupational health and safety, antidiscrimination and equal opportunity legislation. Aspects of the uniform related to safety, e.g. safe footwear, eye protection and hats, will need to be enforced as appropriate.
- Each school's uniform policy must be the result of formal consultation with students, teachers
 and parents or carers. The consultation will be conducted in a manner appropriate to each
 school and be based on participatory decision-making principles. The school's uniform policy
 and uniform requirements should be formally endorsed by the school community before
 implementation.
- A school's uniform policy should take into account the diverse nature of the student population in the school and not disadvantage any student. Economic, personal, social and cultural factors affecting students and their families must be considered when deciding on items of uniform. Other considerations, such as body shape or religious requirements should be taken into account in making a final decision on the design and fabric of school uniforms.
- The school's uniform policy and school uniform requirements should be reviewed at least every five years and amended where necessary. Groups within the school community may also seek a review when circumstances change significantly or issues arise.

Implementing school uniform requirements

- Positive reinforcement and encouraging responsible behaviour are the preferred approaches to ensuring students wear the school uniform.
- Everyone has a role in setting the standards for the school. Teachers and other school staff
 model appropriate standards for students. They should dress in a professional manner at all
 times.
- Students should not be disadvantaged where required uniform items are not available because of circumstances beyond their control.
- Conscientious objections by parents to the wearing of school uniform should be respected.

Responses to students who do not wear uniform must be appropriate. They should be clarified,
agreed upon by the school community and documented. Responses must be fair and
consistent. They must not prevent students from continued participation in essential curriculum
activities except where exclusion is necessary for reasons of safety. In this situation, alternative
educational activities must be provided.

Responsibilities and Delegations

- It is the responsibility of the principal to ensure that the school uniform policy is developed and reviewed collaboratively with the school community.
- When a school community agrees on a school uniform, the principal oversights the shared responsibility for ensuring that students are encouraged to wear school uniforms that meet agreed community standards and adhere to legislative requirements.
- Principals must provide parents or carers with the school's uniform policy and school uniform requirements.
- Principals who operate within the policy framework will be supported by the Department in the implementation of this policy

Responses for not wearing school uniform

- 1. If a child is unable to wear any item of the school's uniform, written advice from a parent / carer needs to be sent to school with the child.
- 2. If a child is at school not dressed in school uniform without a written advice, the class teacher or principal will seek to speak with the parent/carer.
- 3. If a child is continually at school not dressed in school uniform, the class teacher or principal will request a meeting where an offer of assistance for the purchase of a uniform will be provided if the family are unable to fully afford one at that time. All applications will be carefully considered and are kept confidential.

Expected School Uniform

Girls	Boys	
Winter	<u>Winter</u>	
 Winter Tunic with grey button shirt (short or long sleeve) underneath Grey tights or grey/white socks Black shoes 	 Unisex maroon polo shirt Grey shorts / long pants Grey/white socks Black shoes 	
Or		
 Unisex maroon polo shirt Maroon pants or maroon skort Grey/white socks Black shoes 		

Sports Tracksuit (maroon pants & microfibre jacket) may be worn throughout winter.

Boys & Girls Winter top;

After all previous stock sold, the school winter top will be;

Maroon hoody with school emblem

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School Sports jacket

Summer

- Summer Tunic (Grey Tartan)
- Grey/white socks
- Black shoes

Or

- Unisex maroon polo shirt
- Maroon skort
- Grey/White socks
- Black shoes

Summer

- Unisex maroon polo shirt
- Grey shorts
- Grey/white socks
- Black shoes

Sports

- Gold & Maroon sports shirt
- Maroon shorts
- White socks
- Joggers (preferably black)

A <u>school hat</u> (Corrimal East Public School) is expected to be worn <u>ALL YEAR</u>. Failure to have a school hat will result in '<u>No Hat = COLA play'</u>.

Corrimal East Public School uniforms are available from the School Uniform Shop at a reasonable cost. The shop open Monday and Friday mornings before school.

This CEPS School uniform policy has been discussed and ratified by the Parents & Citizens Association meeting held on 12.8.2014

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Corrimal East Public School Uniform Shop Price List 2014

<u>Unisex</u>		sex	Uniform	
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Polo Shirt	size 4 – 16	\$22.00
Jumper with Emblem	size 4 – 16	\$20.00
Zip- up Jacket	size 4 – 16	\$20.00
Hoodies	size 4 – 16	\$30.00
Sport Shirts	size 4 – 16	\$25.00
Sports Shorts	size 4 – 16	\$15.00
Sports Socks		\$ 7.00
Sports Jacket	size 4 – 16	\$38.00
Sports Track Pants	size 4 – 16	\$25.00
Track Pants	size 4 – 16	\$20.00

Girl's Uniform

Summer Tunic	size 4 – 18	\$36.00
Winter Tunic	size 4 – 18	\$36.00
Maroon Bootleg Pants	size 4 – 16	\$20.00
Skorts	size 4 – 16	\$20.00
Grey Short Sleeve Shirt	size 4 – 16	\$15.00
Grey Long Sleeve Shirt	size 4 – 16	\$15.00
Grey Cotton/Opaque Tights		\$10.00

Boy's Uniform

Grey Pants	size 4 – 16	\$20.00
Grey Shorts	size 4 – 16	\$20.00
School Socks		\$ 7.00

Hats

Baseball Caps	One Size	\$15.00
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Other Items

School Back Packs	\$35.00
Excursion Bags	\$ 7.00
Iron- on Cloth Badges	\$ 5.00
Metal Badge	\$ 2.00
Swimming Caps	\$10.00
Second Hand Clothing	\$ 2.00

Opening Hours

Monday & Friday 8.30am to 9.00am



Corrimal East Public School Parents & Citizens Association

Duff Parade, Corrimal Ph- 4284 4582

Uniform Shop Order Form

Uniform Shop Opening Hours - Monday & Friday 8.30am - 9.00am
Outside these hours, please place a completed order form & correct money into the
Uniform Shop box at the office.

Cheques must be made payable to:

Corrimal East Public School P&C

<u>Please note:</u> any items that are ordered through this system will only be exchanged within 14 days of the purchase date & all tags must still be attached to the garment.

Student Name:______Class:_____Parents Name:______Contact Phone Number:______

Total enclosed:______

Please indicate your preference for collection

Contact by phone to collect

Send to child's classroom

Please complete the details below:

Date processed: ______(office use only)

Item	Size (Please circle required size)	Unit Price	Total
Polo Shirt	4 6 8 10 12 14 16 S	\$22	
Cargo Shorts	4 6 8 10 12 14 16	\$20	
Cargo Pants	4 6 8 10 12 14 16	\$20	
Summer Tunic	4 6 8 10 12 14 16	\$36	
Winter Tunic	4 6 8 10 12 14 16	\$36	
Sports Shirt	4 6 8 10 12 14 16 S	\$25	
Sport Shorts	4 6 8 10 12 14 16	\$15	
Sports Jacket	4 6 8 10 12 14 16 S	\$38	
Sports Trackpants	4 6 8 10 12 14 16 S	\$25	
Sports Combo	Please indicate sizes above for jacket & pants	\$60	
School Hoodie	4 6 8 10 12 14 16 S	\$30	
School Hat	One Size	\$15	
Maroon Skort	4 6 8 10 12 14 16	\$20	
Maroon Pants	4 6 8 10 12 14 16	\$20	