

Uniform Policy

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There are many factors that give a sense of shared identity in a school, and a cohesive sense of belonging. Factors such as: a common world-view (RCC holds a Christian world view); a culture of encouragement; positive staff-student relationships; a positive involvement in sport and the arts; practical expressions of parent-staff partnership; visual appeal of grounds and facilities. A common uniform for our students is an expression of this shared identity.

The uniform is seen as an important part of everyday school life. It is also recognised that a smartly dressed school population is well received in the community. All aspects of the uniform are compulsory. If any student continues to disregard the uniform code the Principal and parents will deal with the issue together. An interview/conference will be called to address the issue of support for Richmond Christian College's policies with regard uniform. As an aspect of school identity and belonging, the uniform code is important, and a school-wide expression of support is more than appropriate.

The only accessories acceptable at school are:

- Stud or small sleeper earrings in the earlobe, wristwatch, medical alert bracelet; flat ring that is significant to the family
- Hair is to be tied back using blue or white bands and/or scrunchies only
- Make-up and nail polish are not to be worn at school
- Hair needs to be tied up with navy, white, or black ties if it is longer than the shoulders (for boys and girls)

The entire Richmond Christian College uniform is available from the School Locker located in the Homemaker Center, Boeing Ave, Ballina. This is the sole supplier of the uniform.

Parents can register for The School Locker - Student Advantage Card online which benefits the school, enables them to access 'student pricing' on selected items and buy the uniform online.

A small selection of second hand uniforms are available from the school office. Items of the uniform bought from other suppliers may not be accepted.

Primary School uniform

	Formal Uniform	Sports Uniform
Boys	School Formal Polo Shirt School Shorts School Winter Jacket with logo School Wide Brimmed Hat School Sock available from the School Locker. Enclosed, all black, leather or leather-look shoes	School Sport Polo Shirt School Sport Shorts School Wide Brimmed Hat School Sock available from the School Locker. (Same as formal sock) Sports shoes, white or black. (minimal colour allowed)
Girls	School Formal Polo Shirt School Skorts School Winter Jacket with logo School Wide Brimmed Hat School Sock available from the School Locker. Enclosed, all black, leather or leather-look shoes	School Sport Polo Shirt School Sport Shorts School Wide Brimmed Hat School Sock available from the School Locker. (Same as formal sock) Sports shoes, white or black. (minimal colour allowed)

Junior High School Uniform

	Formal Uniform	Sports Uniform
Boys	Blue School Shirt Navy School Dress Shorts Black Belt School Wide Brimmed Hat School Jumper School Navy Sock Enclosed, all black, leather or leather-look shoes	School High School Sport Polo Shirt School Sport Shorts School Tracksuit Jacket School Tracksuit Pants School Sport Sock Sports Shoes, white or black (Minimal colour allowed) School Wide Brimmed Hat
Girls	Blue School Blouse School Skirt or Skort School Wide Brimmed Hat School Jumper School High School White Sock or navy stockings in winter. Enclosed, all black, leather or leather-look shoes	School High School Sport Polo Shirt School Sport Shorts School Tracksuit Jacket School Tracksuit Pants School Sport Sock Sports Shoes, white or black (Minimal colour allowed) School Wide Brimmed Hat

Senior High School Uniform

	Formal Uniform	Sports Uniform
Boys	White School Shirt School Boys Tie Navy School Dress Shorts Black Belt School Wide Brimmed Hat School Jumper Long School Sock Enclosed, all black, leather or leather-look shoes School Blazer (Optional)	School High School Sport Polo Shirt School Sport Shorts School Tracksuit Jacket School Tracksuit Pants School Sport Sock Sports Shoes, white or black (Minimal colour allowed) School Wide Brimmed Hat
Girls	White School Blouse School Girl's Tie School Skirt School Wide Brimmed Hat School Jumper School High School White Sock or navy stockings in winter. Enclosed, all black, leather or leather-look shoes School Blazer (Optional)	School High School Sport Polo Shirt School Sport Shorts School Tracksuit Jacket School Tracksuit Pants School Sport Sock Sports Shoes, white or black (Minimal colour allowed) School Wide Brimmed Hat