Uniform Policy

Overview:
The wearing of the prescribed Uniform is a condition of entry to our College and is endorsed by the College Council. If financial difficulty arises due to this requirement the College can assist in a number of ways and you are encouraged to approach one of the Principal Class Officers or Student Welfare Coordinators to discuss this.

Implementation:
All students in Years 7 – 12 are required to be in full and correct school uniform on a daily basis. No other items of clothing will be accepted. Club shirts, Company jumpers, jeans etc are not uniform. Students in Year 12 are permitted to wear the Yr 12 Rugby Top as an alternative to the school jumper.

GIRLS:
Summer school dress – Buxswear brand
Navy shorts - Buxswear brand
Navy slacks (no track pants)
Winter skirt - Buxswear brand
White polo shirt featuring school logo OR fitted shirt featuring school logo (long sleeves for winter and short sleeves for summer)

BOYS:
Grey drill shorts (longer style preferred)
Grey drill or melange trousers (no cargo style pockets, no track pants)
White polo shirt featuring school logo

PHYSICAL EDUCATION:
The PE uniform consists of navy and gold polo top featuring the school logo and navy gold shorts featuring the school logo (for summer). Navy with gold piping tracksuit pants featuring the school logo and a navy with gold piping tracksuit top also featuring the school logo can be worn in winter. The PE Uniform can be worn to school on the day that the student has timetabled PE. It must be the complete and correct PE uniform. In Terms 1 & 4 a navy broad brimmed hat can be worn.

ALL STUDENTS:
- **Shoes:** Shoes are to be flat heeled and TOTALLY BLACK and laces are also to be black. Sports shoes are only to be worn with sports uniform. On Casual Clothes days shoes must also be enclosed. Open toed shoes will not be accepted under any circumstances.
- **Headwear:** Students are encouraged to wear headwear particularly in Terms 1 & 4. This must be a navy broad brimmed hat as worn in PE. No other headwear will be accepted. No headwear at all is permitted to be worn in class.
- **Jumpers:** Navy blue woollen jumpers; navy windcheater; navy polar fleece top. All must feature the school logo.
• **Jackets:** An Over-jacket in school colours and that features the school logo can be worn. This can be worn at any time during the school day – even in class. No other jackets will be accepted. If students do not have the school jacket then a school jumper will suffice to keep them warm.

• **Coloured Waistbands:** The wearing of coloured waistbands that are visible below their school shirts is unacceptable. Students will be directed to remove the offending article.

• **Long sleeved tops:** If a long sleeved top is worn under the school polo shirt this is to be plain white. If anything other than white is worn the student will be asked to remove it.

• **Scarves:** A navy or white scarf may be worn in winter. No other colour will be accepted.

• **Headbands:** If worn, these are to be navy or white.

**Jewellery:**

As per the Jewellery Policy. The following restrictions exist whilst at school or whilst involved in school related activities:

• **Earrings** - Only studs or sleeper earrings or filled in spacers may be worn unless required by a physical education staff member to be removed or covered.

• **Facial Piercings** – Only studs or sleepers may be worn. Students with facial piercings may be asked to cover or remove their jewellery by any teacher in the interest of safety in the classroom.

• **Rings or bracelets** - of any description must not be worn

• **Necklaces** - must not be visible

• **Watches** - may be worn, but may be required to be removed for sport or physical education lessons, or whilst the student is involved in technology classes. Watches that store information are not to be taken into examination rooms.

• **Sunglasses** - may be worn during recess or lunch breaks, or may be worn on approved excursions but remain the responsibility of the student at all times.

**Availability:**

• Stobies Mensland, 60 Johnson Street, Maffra
• Dee Jay’s Clothing, 51 Temple Street, Heyfield
• PE uniform is available from the College.
• Second-hand uniform is available at the College

**Ratification:**

This policy was ratified on 8th May, 2012, and amendments ratified on 22nd October, 2013.

This policy will be reviewed as part of our 4 year review cycle, or earlier if deemed necessary.