## Blakes Crossing CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

## UNIFORM POLICY

## Blakes Crossing Christian College has developed this policy to foster high standards of presentation, discipline and to minimise influences that distract from the purpose of the College.

## 1. RATIONALE:

- Our expectation is that a student should be neat, modest, and well-groomed in appearance.
- All clothing must be clean, fitting properly and in good repair.
- Students are expected to exercise good habits of personal grooming and modesty.


## 2. PRINCIPLES:

Blakes Crossing Christian College is committed to the wearing of uniforms by its students. We perceive this policy to have five fundamental benefits:

- Uniforms help identify us as belonging to a particular community. In our case, we are identified as part of a Christian community which is proud of its heritage and relationship with Christ.
- Uniforms positively affect school discipline - Blakes Crossing Christian College places particular value on a disciplined learning environment. It is our hope that when children wear their uniforms, they understand that they are expected to engage in studious activity. Just as parents dress for their workday, wearing a school uniform is a signal that education is the focus of the student's day.
- Uniforms encourage team spirit - uniforms set our students apart from other schools. It encourages students to operate as part of a body, much like an athletic team identified by common dress. It is our hope that students will take pride in the uniform and the College it represents.
- Uniforms prevent the application of subjective dress standards - parents, students and teachers know that the uniform meets Blakes Crossing Christian College's modesty and WHS standards.
- Uniforms decrease clothing costs - uniforms are rugged and of high quality which withstand the wear and tear of school life. Uniforms can often be handed down to other siblings or sold second hand.


## 3. UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS:

- Students are expected to be in complete uniform every day for the duration of the school day, unless otherwise approved by the Principal for special classroom or school events.
- If a student is unable to comply with this regulation, a parent/carer must send a written note via the student's class/PC teacher, explaining why their child is in breach of the uniform policy.
- Students in incorrect or incomplete school uniform, may be sent home to change into the correct and complete uniform.
- Students are expected to keep their uniforms clean, tidy and in good repair (including black school shoes).
- All items are to be purchased from the BCCC Uniform Shop, except shoes and socks.
- During the last two weeks of Term 3 only, students may wear uniforms appropriate to the weather. However, students must either wear winter uniform or summer uniform, not a combination of both.

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## BOYS UNIFORM

## JUNIOR PRIMARY (RECEPTION TO YEAR 2)

## Students in Reception to Year 2 only wear the PE Uniform.

Polo Shirt: Navy polo top embroidered with College logo
PE Shorts: Navy elastic waist shorts embroidered with College monogram
Track Pants: Navy pants embroidered with College monogram (optional)

Rugby Top:
Shoes:
Socks: Plain white (short length) sports socks
Hat: Reversible coloured/navy College hat with College logo
(compulsory from 1 Sept - 30 Apr, whenever students are outside)

## PRIMARY (YEAR 3 TO YEAR 6)

FORMAL UNIFORM - SUMMER (TERMS 1 AND 4)

| Shorts: | Charcoal shorts |
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| Shirt: | Short sleeved, striped, blue shirt embroidered with College logo |
| Jumper: | V-neck, navy jumper embroidered with College logo (optional) |
| Socks: | Plain grey socks (short length) |
| Shoes: | Traditional black lace up school shoes (no black sneakers) |
| Hat: | Reversible coloured/navy College hat with College logo <br> (compulsory from 1 Sept - 30 Apr, whenever students are outside) |
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## FORMAL UNIFORM - WINTER (TERMS 2 AND 3)

Trousers: Charcoal trousers or shorts
Shirt: Long sleeved striped, blue shirt embroidered with College logo
Jumper: V-neck, navy jumper embroidered with College logo (compulsory Term 2 and 3)
Socks: Plain grey socks (short length)
Shoes: Traditional black lace up school shoes (no black sneakers)
Wet Weather Jacket: Optional - Navy jacket with College logo (may be worn over both formal and PE uniforms as an additional layer to the jumper)
Scarf/Gloves/Beanie: Plain navy, no logos (optional)

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## BOYS UNIFORM

## PE UNIFORM - SUMMER \& WINTER to be worn all day when PE lessons are timetabled.

| Polo Shirt: | Navy polo top embroidered with College logo |
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| PE Shorts: | Navy elastic waist shorts embroidered with College monogram |
| Track Pants: | Navy pants embroidered with College monogram (optional) |
| Rugby Top: | White collar, navy body with silver and white stripe, embroidered with College logo |
| Shoes: | Fully supportive sneakers, non-marking sole (no canvas or skate type shoes) |
| Socks: | Plain white (short length) sports sock |
| Hat: | Reversible coloured/navy College hat with College logo <br> (compulsory from 1 Sept - 30 Apr, whenever students are outside) |

*Swimming - Modest and appropriate bathers/bathing costumes for all students.

## SECONDARY (YEAR 7 TO YEAR 12)

## FORMAL UNIFORM - SUMMER (TERMS 1 AND 4)

## Shorts: Charcoal shorts

Shirt: Short sleeve, striped, blue shirt embroidered with College logo (may be worn untucked)
Jumper: V-neck, navy jumper embroidered with College logo (optional)
Socks: Plain grey socks (short length)
Shoes: Traditional black lace up school shoes (no black sneakers)
Hat: Plain navy College hat with College logo
(compulsory from 1 Sept - 30 Apr, whenever students are outside)

## FORMAL UNIFORM - WINTER (TERMS 2 AND 3)

| Trousers: | Charcoal trousers or shorts |
| :--- | :--- |
| Shirt: | Long sleeve striped, blue shirt embroidered with College logo (must be worn tucked in) |
| Tie: | Boys College tie |
| Jumper: | V-neck, navy jumper embroidered with College logo (compulsory Term 2 and 3) |
| Socks: | Plain grey socks (short length) |
| Shoes: | Traditional black lace up school shoes (no black sneakers) |
| Wet Weather Jacket: | Optional - Navy jacket with College logo (may be worn over both formal and PE |
|  | uniforms as an additional layer to the jumper) |
| Scarf/Gloves/Beanie: | Plain navy, no logos (optional) |

## BOYS UNIFORM

## PE UNIFORM - SUMMER \& WINTER to be worn all day when PE lessons are timetabled.

| Polo Shirt: | Navy polo top embroidered with College logo |
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| PE Shorts: | Navy elastic waist shorts embroidered with College monogram |
| Track Pants: | Navy pants embroidered with College monogram (optional) |
| Rugby Top: | White collar, navy body with silver and white stripe, embroidered with College logo |
| Shoes: | Fully supportive sneakers, non-marking sole (no canvas or skate type shoes) |
| Socks: | Plain white (short length) sports socks |
| Hat: | Plain navy College hat with College logo |
|  | (compulsory from 1 Sept - 30 Apr, whenever students are outside) |

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## GIRLS UNIFORM

## JUNIOR PRIMARY (RECEPTION TO YEAR 2)

## Students in Reception to Year 2 only wear the PE Uniform.

Polo Shirt: Navy polo top embroidered with College logo
PE Shorts: Navy elastic waist shorts embroidered with College monogram
Track Pants:
Rugby Top:
Shoes:
Navy lined pants embroidered with College monogram
White collar, navy body with silver and white stripe, embroidered with College logo

Socks: Plain white (short length) sports socks
Hat: Reversible coloured/navy College hat with College logo
(compulsory from 1 Sept - 30 Apr whenever students are outside)

## PRIMARY (YEAR 3 to YEAR 6)

## FORMAL UNIFORM - SUMMER (TERMS 1 AND 4)

Dress: Navy checked; pleated dress embroidered with College logo (length to be below the knee when standing)
Jumper: V-neck navy jumper embroidered with College logo (optional)
Socks: Plain white socks (short length)
Shoes: Traditional black lace up school shoes (no ballet flats or black sneakers)
Hat: Reversible coloured/navy College hat with College logo (compulsory from 1 Sept - 30 Apr whenever students are outside).

## FORMAL UNIFORM - WINTER (TERMS 2 AND 3)

Skirt: Navy and grey checked, pleated skirt
Trousers: Navy trousers
Shirt: Long sleeve striped, blue shirt embroidered with College logo (must be worn tucked in)
Jumper: V-neck navy jumper embroidered with College logo (compulsory Term 2 and 3)
Socks: Plain white socks (short length) OR tights
Tights: Navy tights (not combined with socks)
Shoes: Traditional black lace up school shoes (no ballet flats or black sneakers)
Wet Weather Jacket: Optional - Navy jacket with College logo (worn over both formal and PE uniforms as an additional layer to the jumper)
Scarf/Gloves/Beanie: Plain navy, no logos (optional)

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## GIRLS UNIFORM

## PE UNIFORM - SUMMER \& WINTER to be worn all day when PE lessons are timetabled.

Polo Shirt: $\quad$ Navy polo top embroidered with College logo
PE Shorts: Navy elastic waist shorts embroidered with College monogram
Track Pants:
Rugby Top:
Shoes:
Navy lined pants embroidered with College monogram (optional)

Socks: Plain white (short length) sports socks
Hat: Reversible coloured/navy College hat with College logo (compulsory from 1 Sept - 30 Apr whenever students are outside)
*Swimming - Modest and appropriate bathers/bathing costumes for all students.

## SECONDARY (YEAR 7 to YEAR 12)

## FORMAL UNIFORM - SUMMER (TERMS 1 AND 4)

Dress: $\quad$ Navy checked; pleated dress embroidered with College logo (length to be below the knee when standing)
Jumper: V-neck navy jumper embroidered with College logo (optional)
Socks: Plain white socks (short length)
Shoes: Traditional black lace up school shoes (no ballet flats or black sneakers)
Hat: Plain navy College hat with College logo (compulsory from 1 Sept - 30 Apr whenever students are outside)

## FORMAL UNIFORM - WINTER (TERMS 2 AND 3)

Skirt:
Trousers:
Shirt:
Jumper:
Tie:
Socks:
Tights:
Shoes: Traditional black lace up school shoes (no ballet flats or black sneakers)
Wet Weather Jacket: Optional - Navy jacket with College logo (worn over both formal and PE uniforms as an additional layer to the jumper)
Scarf/Gloves/Beanie: Plain navy, no logos (optional)

## GIRLS UNIFORM

PE UNIFORM - SUMMER \& WINTER to be worn all day when PE lessons are timetabled.

Polo Shirt: Navy polo top embroidered with College logo
PE Shorts: Navy elastic waist shorts embroidered with College monogram
Track Pants: Navy lined pants embroidered with College monogram (optional)
Rugby Top:
Shoes:
Socks:
White collar, navy body with silver and white stripe, embroidered with College logo
Fully supportive sneaker, non-marking sole (no canvas or skate type shoes)
Hat: Plain navy College hat with College logo
(compulsory from 1 Sept - 30 Apr whenever students are outside)
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## Compulsory School Hats \& Backpack



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## Summer Formal

Year 3-12


Blue-checked, pleated dress embroided with College logo (length to be below the knee when standing)

Winter Formal A-
Year 3-12
Term 2 and 3
Shirt
Long-sleeved, striped blue shirt embroded with College logo
(College tie Year 7-12)

## Winter Skirt

Navy and grey-checked, pleated skirt (length to be below the knee when


Wet Weather Jacket
Navy jacket with College logo (worn over formal and PE uniforms)

V-neck, navy jumper embroided with College logo (optional in Term 1 and 4)

Tights
Navy tights can be worn with the winter skirt

## Shoes and Socks

Black, lace-up school shoes. Girls plain white, socks (short length). Boys plain grey socks (short

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Winter and Summer
Wet Weather Jacket
Navy jacket with College logo (worn over PE uniforms)

Polo Shirt
Navy polo top embroided with College logo

PE Shorts
Navy, elastic waist shorts embroided with

College monogram
Sneakers and Socks
Fully supportive
sneakers, non-
marking sole, with plain white sport

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## 4. UNIFORM RULES

The College uniform is to be worn with pride and respect ensuring ALL items are in a good state of repair and fit well. The College uniform is to be worn from the time a student leaves home until the student returns home as they are representing the College.

## Hair:

- Hair should be clean, neat, and tidy.
- Fringes obscuring eyes must be completely tied back.
- All hair touching the shoulders must be completely tied back.
- During Terms 1 and 4 hair should not be tied back too high or on top of the head as hats must be worn outdoors and should fit properly.
- Hair ties and accessories are to be in College colours (navy blue, grey or white) or a colour which blends in with the natural colour range of the student's hair. The wearing of hair adornments is not permitted. Items may be confiscated.
- Inappropriate and extreme styles, hair tattoos (shaved designs), dreadlocks or unkempt hair is not permitted.
- Coloured or streaked hair must be of a natural shade, like the student's natural hair colour.
- Undercuts must not be shorter than a number 2 and bald fades or bald shaves are not permitted


## Make Up:

- Students must have a natural look.
- If make up is worn, it should be subtle and undetectable.
- Obvious make up and false lashes (including eyelash extensions) are not permitted and must be removed


## Nails:

- Acrylic and false nails are discouraged due to the practical nature of some subjects.
- Nails should be filed short.
- Students may ONLY wear clear, natural, or nude colour nail polish. Unnatural coloured nail polish must be removed


## Facial Hair:

- Students are to be clean shaven


## Jewellery:

- Jewellery is limited to:
- a medic alert bracelet/necklace
- a wristwatch (if students wear a smartwatch, no calls are to be made or received)
- a maximum of only one small, plain gold/silver sleeper or small stud in each ear lobe. No earrings with jewels
- No other form of exposed body piercing (covered or uncovered) is acceptable


## Tattoos:

In South Australia it is against the law for a person under the age of 18 to get a tattoo. Tattoos are prohibited at Blakes Crossing Christian College. Students who are 18 years of age are not permitted to get a tattoo whilst attending Blakes Crossing Christian College. The Principal must be advised immediately. Students must realise their enrolment at the College may be withdrawn for a breach on this matter.

The final decision on all uniform matters rests with the Principal.

Please ensure that ALL uniform items are CLEARLY LABELLED with the student's name \& last name.


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## UNIFORM \& DRESS CODE FOR SPECIAL OCCASIONS

## CASUAL DAYS

- The College holds Casual Days as fundraisers for the various charities and missions supported by the College as well as other worthwhile causes at various times during the year.
- Students not participating must wear the required uniform on the day.
- Students are to appreciate that even when dressed in casual clothing they are to dress as advised in the Student Notices and/or the newsletter leading up to the Casual Day
- Students undertaking manual arts subjects (e.g., Home Ec, Science, Art, Tech Studies) on a Casual day must wear closed in shoes.
- Students will be advised via student notices of clothing deemed as "not appropriate" for casual day.
- College Leadership will determine necessary action to be taken if students are inappropriately dressed or presentation is not deemed as suitable for school.


## EXAMINATIONS

- Examinations are conducted at the end of Semester 1 and during Term 4 for students in Years 8-12.
- As a formal event on the College Calendar, Formal Uniform must be worn (i.e., no PE uniform).
- Formal Winter Uniform is required for Examinations conducted at the end of Semester 1.
- Formal Summer Uniform is required for Examinations conducted in Term 4.
- Correct footwear must be worn.
- Students are to pay particular attention to ensure they are well presented and well groomed.
- Students not wearing formal uniform, may find they are unable to sit the examination.


## EXCURSIONS

- Unless otherwise stated formal uniform is worn on College excursions.
- Students representing the College in sports events must wear correct PE uniform.
- Any variations to either of the above situations will be advised in writing.


## PRESENTATION NIGHT

- Presentation Night is an important formal evening in the College Calendar.
- Students are to wear their Formal Summer Uniform.


## 5. NON-COMPLIANCE

A range of consequences are in place for non-compliance with this policy.

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## PRIMARY SCHOOL CONSEQUENCE PROCESS

## First breach

Teacher advises student of non-compliance.


## Second breach

The teacher informs the student's family via Edumate.


## Third breach

The parent will be informed via Edumate, with a request to correct the breach. The teacher uses a Focus Zone.


Fourth breach
Teacher to phone parents regarding uniform breaches and organise a face-to-face meeting. Head of School to be informed of the meeting.


## SECONDARY SCHOOL CONSEQUENCE PROCESS

## First breach

Teacher advises student of non-compliance.


## Second breach

Teacher issues a lunch time detention.


| Third breach <br> Teacher issues an after-school detention. |
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| Fourth breach <br> Teacher to phone parents regarding uniform breaches. School may decide to buy uniform and add to family's school <br> account. |
| Teacher and Head of Middle/Senior School to meet face-to-face with parent(s) to discuss behaviour. |


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