

# **Student Uniform Policy**

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## 1. Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to ensure all students of Hume Anglican Grammar appropriately and correctly wear school uniform items. It provides parents and students with a comprehensive set of uniform standards and expectations to facilitate a consistent approach to student uniform.

## 2. Scope

This policy applies to all students of the School, both Primary and Secondary, and across all campuses.

## 3. Alignment to the Strategic Plan

#### Goals:

- Student Wellbeing a supportive, caring and inspiring environment where all can thrive
- 4. Parents engaging families and forging strong relationships
- 5. Community extending our community spirit, and raising awareness of our vision and values

## Pathways:

- Equip students with confidence and qualities so they may be valuable, caring and respectful members of the community
- a. Foster a fruitful partnership between home and school
- b. Establish and promote our presence as an integral and respected institution

## 4. Definitions

Academic uniform The typical uniform worn during normal school hours; does not

include the wearing of any items associated with the sports

uniform.

**Religious items** Items of attire that have an established theological or faith-based

foundation and that are recognised by relevant religious

authorities.

**Sports uniform** Non-academic uniform worn only for participation in practical

Physical Education classes, practical Performing Arts classes or

internal and external sporting events.

**Uniform infringement** The incorrect and/or inappropriate wearing of uniform items

according to the expectations set out in the Student Uniform Policy.

## 5. Policy Statement

School uniform is compulsory for students attending Hume Anglican Grammar. Families agree to support this policy by way of enrolment at the School. The School's position is based on the belief that a consistent uniform develops a sense of school pride in students and

- enhances the School's image
- promotes student connectedness with the School community

- diminishes clothing costs, fashion competitiveness and superficial individual differences, thus enhancing student wellbeing
- teaches students about presentation and self-care
- provides a strong representation of the School at inter-school and wider community events
- allows the wider community to identify our students
- provides an avenue by which students may learn respect for societal norms

## 6. Uniform items

The following provides the compulsory uniform items for all students in Years Prep to 12.

## 6.1 Years Prep – 2

## P-2 Sports Uniform (unisex)

- Navy bucket hat with logo OR navy slouch hat with logo
- Fleece windcheater with collar and logo
- House polo shirt
- Tracksuit pants with logo OR navy shorts with logo
- Plain white, logo-free socks (ankle/calf)
- Running shoes

#### P-2 Girls Summer Academic Uniform

- Navy bucket hat with logo OR navy slouch hat with logo
- Red jumper with navy/gold trim and logo
- Chambray short-sleeved shirt with logo
- Red and white striped dress OR charcoal grey shorts OR trousers
- Plain white, logo-free socks (ankle/calf)
- Black leather school shoes (Velcro optional)
- Navy school backpack with logo

Optional item: Navy rain jacket with polar fleece lining and logo

## P-2 Girls Winter Academic Uniform

- Red jumper with navy/gold trim and logo
- Chambray long-sleeved shirt with logo
- Navy tunic with red/gold/blue pinstripe OR charcoal grey trousers OR shorts
- Navy socks (must cover ankle) OR navy tights
- Black leather school shoes (Velcro optional)
- Navy school backpack with logo

Optional items: Navy rain jacket with polar fleece lining and logo, school scarf, school beanie

#### P-2 Boys Summer Academic Uniform

- Navy bucket hat with logo OR navy slouch hat with logo
- Red jumper with navy/gold trim and logo

- Chambray short-sleeved shirt with logo
- Charcoal grey shorts OR trousers
- Dark grey socks (ankle/calf)
- Black leather school shoes (Velcro optional)
- Navy school backpack with logo

Optional item: Navy rain jacket with polar fleece lining and logo

## P-2 Boys Winter Academic Uniform

- Red jumper with navy/gold trim and logo
- Chambray long-sleeved shirt with logo
- Charcoal grey trousers OR shorts
- Dark grey socks (ankle/calf)
- Black leather school shoes (Velcro optional)

Optional items: Navy rain jacket with polar fleece lining and logo, school scarf, school beanie

#### 6.2 Years 3 - 6

## 3-6 Sports Uniform (unisex)

- Navy bucket hat with logo OR navy slouch hat with logo
- Rugby top
- House polo shirt
- Tracksuit pants with logo OR navy shorts with logo
- Plain white, logo-free socks (ankle/calf)
- Running shoes

#### 3-6 Girls Summer Academic Uniform

- Navy bucket hat with logo OR navy slouch hat with logo
- Blazer (Year 6 students only)
- Red jumper with navy/gold trim and logo
- Chambray short-sleeved shirt with logo
- Red and white striped dress OR charcoal grey shorts OR trousers
- Plain white, logo-free socks (ankle/calf)
- Black leather school shoes (lace-up, single-bar or T-bar)
- Navy school backpack with logo

Optional item: Navy rain jacket with polar fleece lining and logo

#### 3-6 Girls Winter Academic Uniform

- Blazer (Year 6 students only)
- Navy school tie with red/gold stripes
- Red jumper with navy/gold trim and logo
- Chambray long-sleeved shirt with logo

- Navy tunic OR skirt with red/gold/blue pinstripe OR charcoal grey trousers OR shorts
- Navy socks (must cover ankle) OR navy tights
- Black leather school shoes (lace-up, single-bar or T-bar)
- Navy school backpack with logo

Optional items: Navy rain jacket with polar fleece lining and logo, school scarf, school beanie

## 3-6 Boys Summer Academic Uniform

- Navy bucket hat with logo OR navy slouch hat with logo
- Blazer (Year 6 students only)
- Red jumper with navy/gold trim and logo
- Chambray short-sleeved shirt with logo
- Charcoal grey shorts OR trousers
- Dark grey socks (ankle/calf)
- Black leather school shoes (lace-up)
- Navy school backpack with logo

Optional item: Navy rain jacket with polar fleece lining and logo

## 3-6 Boys Winter Academic Uniform

- Blazer (Year 6 students only)
- Navy school tie with red/gold stripes
- Red jumper with navy/gold trim and logo
- Chambray long-sleeved shirt with logo
- Charcoal grey trousers OR shorts
- Dark grey socks (ankle/calf)
- Black leather school shoes (lace-up)

Optional items: Navy rain jacket with polar fleece lining and logo, school scarf, school beanie

#### 6.3 Years 7 – 12

## Sports Uniform (unisex)

- Navy school hat OR cap with logo
- Rugby top
- House polo shirt
- Tracksuit pants with logo OR navy shorts with logo
- Plain white, logo-free socks (ankle/calf)
- Running shoes

## 7-12 Girls Summer Academic Uniform

- Blazer
- Red jumper with navy/gold trim and logo OR navy VCE jumper with red/gold trim (Year 12 only)

- White short-sleeved shirt with logo
- Summer dress OR charcoal grey shorts OR trousers
- Plain white, logo-free socks (ankle/calf)
- Black leather school shoes (lace-up, single-bar or T-bar)
- Navy school backpack with logo

#### 7-12 Girls Winter Academic Uniform

- Blazer
- School tie, navy with red/gold stripes OR VCE tie (Year 12 only)
- Red jumper with navy/gold trim and logo OR navy VCE jumper with red/gold trim (Year 12 only)
- White long-sleeved shirt with logo
- Navy skirt with red/gold pinstripe OR charcoal grey trousers OR shorts
- Navy socks (must cover ankle) OR navy tights
- Black leather school shoes (lace-up, single-bar or T-bar)
- Navy school backpack with logo

Optional items: Navy rain jacket with logo, school scarf, school beanie

## 7-12 Boys Summer Academic Uniform

- Blazer
- Red jumper with navy/gold trim and logo OR navy VCE jumper with red/gold trim (Year 12 only)
- White short-sleeved shirt with logo
- Charcoal shorts OR trousers
- Dark grey socks (ankle/calf)
- Black leather school shoes (lace-up)
- Navy school backpack with logo

## 7-12 Boys Winter Academic Uniform

- Blazer
- School tie, navy with red/gold stripes OR VCE tie (Year 12 only)
- Red jumper with navy/gold trim and logo OR navy VCE jumper with red/gold trim (Year 12 only)
- White long-sleeved shirt with logo
- Charcoal trousers OR shorts
- Dark grey socks (ankle/calf)
- Black leather school shoes (lace-up)
- Navy school backpack with logo

Optional items: Navy rain jacket with logo, school scarf, school beanie

## 7. Dance uniform

Students in Years Prep to 8 may be asked to wear their sports uniform for practical performing arts classes. For students studying Dance as an elective subject in Years 9-12, the following uniform items are required:

- Black dance jacket
- Black t-shirt, with no logos or detailing
- Black leggings, with no logos or detailing

## 8. Purchase

The Hume Anglican Grammar student uniform items are only available for purchase through the School's authorised provider, Noone Imagewear:

Noone Imagewear 543 Keilor Road Niddrie 3042

## 9. Uniform infringements

Students in all years and across all campuses may be subject to a uniform detention or other disciplinary action if they register repeated uniform infringements; that is, wearing the uniform incorrectly or inappropriately according to this policy.

## 10. How to wear the uniform

Accessories	Only approved clothing items carrying the Hume Anglican Grammar logo are permitted to be worn as accessories, including scarves and hats (see also Gloves). No other accessories are allowed.
Bags	Only official Hume Anglican Grammar bags with the crest and logo are permitted as a part of the academic uniform. Students may bring a sports bag to carry specialised sports equipment, as required.
Blazers	Students are encouraged to wear their blazer wherever possible. Students must always have access to their blazers at school and wear them for:  • Assemblies • Chapel services • Photos • Special events • Excursions • Blazer sleeves must not be rolled up. • The blazer must be kept clean and in a state of good repair.
Earrings	Up to two (2) small, plain silver or gold earrings may be worn in each ear lobe as follows:  • 3mm studs  • 10-12mm sleepers  • No more than 1mm thick  Studs may include a coloured centre, as long as the earring is otherwise plain and understated.  Students are not permitted to wear any other type of earring, including those that are oversized, garish, stretchers or hoops.

	Piercings are not permitted in any other part of the ear other than the earlobe.
Dance uniform	The dance uniform must be worn for all practical dance classes in Years 9-12. Students must not visibly wear the uniform to or from school; however, they may wear it underneath their sports uniform.
Facial hair	Students must be clean shaven, unless facial hair is an established and recognised legitimate part of religious practice. The allowance of facial hair must be approved by the relevant Assistant Principal, in consultation with parents.
Gloves	Plain, navy gloves, unadorned with any other features, colours or materials, may be worn outdoors only in inclement weather, although they are not part of official school uniform items.
Grooming	All students must attend school well-groomed, with clean, neat and tidy uniform, hair and appearance.
Hair	<ul> <li>Students must wear their hair off their face at all times. Other rules are as follows: Length and cut <ul> <li>Hair must be cut above the shoulders and/or not longer than the bottom of the shirt/dress collar OR otherwise be tied up.</li> <li>No part of the hair may be shorter than a number 2 clipper.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Style <ul> <li>Students must avoid extremes in hair style and colouring that conflict with the rationale of this policy.</li> <li>Extremes of hairstyle or styles that attract attention are not permitted. This includes mullets, mohawks, patterning and/or dramatic changes in hair length from front to back or from one side to another.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Colour <ul> <li>Hair must be of a natural colour and not multi-coloured.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Ties, ribbons, scrunchies <ul> <li>Black, navy blue or maroon hair ties are permitted.</li> <li>Navy blue or maroon ribbons or scrunchies are permitted.</li> <li>No other colours of ties, ribbons or scrunchies are permitted.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Hats	Only official Hume Anglican Grammar hats, including bucket hats, slouch hats and caps are permitted.
Headwear	<ul> <li>Students may wear headwear where it is an established and recognised legitimate part of religious practice.</li> <li>Blue or maroon turbans, patkas or headscarfs are permitted; no other colours are permitted.</li> <li>The allowance of headwear must be approved by their Assistant Principal, in consultation with parents.</li> </ul>
Jewellery	Jewellery, other than earrings (see Earrings), is not permitted other than a simple silver or gold chain that hangs below the collar line. Any visible jewellery or other adornments will be removed immediately.
Leggings	<ul> <li>Black leggings may be worn by Secondary students studying a dance class (as part of the dance uniform).</li> <li>Leggings do not form part of the sports uniform and must not be worn for PE lessons, sports activities, or sports carnivals.</li> </ul>
Make-up	Make-up must not be worn at school or while dressed in school uniform, except for a light and natural-looking concealer. This includes:  Mascara or other forms of eye cosmetics False eyelashes Lipstick Blush Coloured nail polish False nails Students who wear make-up to school will be required to remove it immediately.
Piercings	Nose, tongue, lip and/or facial piercings, studs or rings are strictly forbidden at school or while wearing school uniform. Earlobe piercings are permissible, see above.

Rain jackets	The navy rain jacket is not a substitute for the blazer, jumper or rugby top. However, it may be worn to and from school and outdoors in inclement weather. Rain jackets are not permitted:  • During class and/or when indoors • At Assemblies, Chapel services, or other official events
Religious symbols	Students are permitted to wear small, plain items of religious significance; for example, a small cross pendant on a plain silver or gold chain around the neck, or a Kara on the wrist.
Socks	Students must wear the colour and length of sock as outlined in Section 6 above. Plain white sports socks must cover the ankle, and must not be adorned with any other colours, logos or branding.
Sports shoes	Sports shoes should be fit for the purpose of engaging in physical activity. They must have non-slip soles and support the foot and ankle. Dress shoes are not acceptable as sports shoes.
Sports uniform	The sports uniform must be worn for all practical PE lessons and sports carnivals.  Additionally, the sports uniform may be required for wear in practical performing arts classes in Years 7 and 8. The sports uniform may be worn all day where a student has a timetabled practical PE or Performing Arts class.  Additionally, the sports uniform is not permitted for wear during special Assemblies, Chapels or events.
Tattoos	Tattoos are not permitted.
Transition period	For the first two weeks of Term 2 and Term 4, students may elect to wear either summer OR winter uniform, taking into account the variable weather conditions at these times of year.
Watch	Students are invited to wear wrist watches of an unobtrusive design.

# 11. Communication

This policy will be shared with students, parents and staff via the School website. Particular aspects of the policy will be highlighted to key stakeholders as necessary via school assemblies and other forums.