

# HEALESVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

## **UNIFORM DRESS CODE - 2009**

All students in **Year 7 to 12** are required to wear full school uniform every day, including official school events and excursions unless otherwise instructed. The cooperation of parents/guardians is expected in delivering a high standard of appearance for students. Parents having financial or other difficulties meeting these guidelines are asked to contact the school.

### **Uniform items that must be purchased from the Uniform Shop for 2009**

- HHS school approved grey pants or shorts. Two styles available for boys, one style for girls
- White school polo shirt with school logo and green stripe on the collar
- Bottle green woollen jumper or windcheater with school logo
- Black zip polar fleece jacket with school logo
- Girls may also wear school check dress or dark grey skirt of an appropriate length.

### **Other items to be purchased**

Plain black fully enclosed low-heeled leather shoes. (To comply with OH&S requirements)

- White, grey or black socks to be worn with pants or shorts
- Black tights **or** white socks must be worn with skirts. No pants may be worn underneath skirts
- HHS ties are optional and may be worn with a plain white collared shirt only
- A plain white long /short sleeved t-shirt or skivvy may be worn under the school polo in winter
- Plain black or bottle green scarves may be worn during winter.

### **Clarifications**

- Non school jackets are not to be worn at school.

### **Additional VCE Items optional for Year 11 & 12 students**

- Black polo shirt with school logo
- Black or Red woollen jumper or windcheater with school logo

### **Sport / physical education uniform requirements**

It is compulsory for all students to wear the following uniform items for all sport and physical education classes. They also need to wear this uniform when participating at interschool level.

- HHS red polo shirt (sold at uniform shop)
- HHS black shorts or plain black tracksuit pants (sold at uniform shop)
- Runners
- Hat (during terms 1 & 4). As part of the SunSmart policy students are required to wear a hat when participating in an outdoor activity in sport and/or physical education classes. A wide brimmed hat is preferable but School Council has deemed a cap acceptable. Suitable hats are available at the uniform shop.

## Dress Code requirements

When students are permitted to be out of uniform, their clothes should be appropriate to wear to school and be as close to uniform items as possible (plain, neat and casual). For Occupational Health & Safety reasons and in order to follow the SunSmart policy the following must not be worn at school at any time:

- Thongs or unsafe shoes
- Singlet/midriff tops – shoulders/stomach must be covered, sleeves and a collar are encouraged
- Shorts, skirts or dresses should be of an appropriate length
- Items with offensive or inappropriate language/pictures. Ripped or torn clothes
- Excessive jewellery and cosmetics. Earrings should be limited to studs and sleepers, one watch, one plain necklet and bracelet, no more than three plain rings. Piercings must be covered to comply with safety regulations
- Thin black or bottle green headbands may be worn.

## Action when students do not adhere to Uniform or Dress Code

1. Students are required to wear correct uniform every day; this includes travelling to and from school.
2. In exceptional circumstances, when a student is unable to wear correct school uniform they are required to **bring a note** from their parent/guardian **giving a valid reason for non compliance** that day. This note should be given to their Homegroup teacher during the morning homegroup session and the student will be issued with an out of uniform pass in their diary **for that day only**.
3. Students out of uniform without a valid note will be given a **lunch detention**.
4. Repeat offences will be followed up by the relevant Year Level Manager and the student will be given an **after school detention**. Parents will be informed of non compliance.
5. If a student then does not comply with the Uniform Dress Code or meet Health and Safety Guidelines, parents will be contacted and the student **may be sent home or excluded from an activity**.
6. The Principal will investigate further non compliance to the school's uniform policy, in a manner consistent with the Student Code of Conduct. Consequences for non compliance may include suspension.

## Lost uniform items

All school clothing **must** be clearly named. This will assist in the return of lost items.

### Healesville High School Uniform Shop

**Doncaster Schoolwear** is the official uniform supplier and manage the shop located in the main corridor.

Doncaster Schoolwear contact details: 182 Whitehorse Road Blackburn 3130 ph: 98778388

**Opening hours:**  
**Monday 3.00-3.45pm**  
**Friday 12.45-1.45pm.**

Additional times at the beginning and end of the year as advertised in the newsletter.