UNIFORM POLICY
(In conjunction with the Uniform Requirements Document)

VALUES:
Self Discipline, Respect, Pride, Equity

PREAMBLE:
In accordance with the Christian values of the school community, the school uniform will at all times be respectful, preserve the dignity of the individual child and reflect the spirit of the school.

POLICY:
St Clare’s prides itself on the way students present themselves. St Clare’s seeks to instil and foster pride in students for their appearance and in their school. The wearing of the correct school uniform is compulsory. Students should wear the correct school uniform neatly and appropriately at all times.

GUIDELINES:
The St Clare’s School Uniform will be worn by students who are representing the school at events; sporting or otherwise.

The use of the school logo for any purpose will require permission by the school administration.

In circumstances when the correct school uniform is not worn, the student must submit a note from their parent/guardian to their class teacher, or if for a prolonged period of time, be approved by the principal.

Uniform slips will be sent home to the parents of students wearing the incorrect uniform, if the incorrect uniform is not accompanied by a note. These must be signed by a parent or guardian and be returned to the class teacher in a prompt manner.

St Clare’s School has a “No hat – no Play” rule as part of our Sun Safe procedure.

Blatant and ongoing disregard for the uniform requirements as prescribed in the St Clare’s School Uniform Requirements document will result in further action.

The school will recognise individual situations where physical special needs or serious financial difficulty exists and will accommodate those in accordance with individual requirements.
Parents seeking exemptions to that outlined in the St Clare’s School Uniform Requirements document due to religious beliefs, ethnic or cultural background, student special needs, health conditions or economic hardship must speak with the school principal in a timely manner.

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