

Uniform Policy

RATIONALE

A uniform dress code fosters pride in appearance and instils recognition of the pupils as an integral part of the community. It assists in developing pride in representing St Cecilia's College. Equality, health and safety, and expense are also factors that contribute to the establishment of our Dress Code.

AIMS

- To promote equality amongst all students.
- To further develop a sense of pride in, and identification with our school.
- To provide durable clothing that is cost effective and practical for our school environment.
- To maintain and enhance the positive image of the school in the community.

PROCEDURES

- The Dress Code applies during school hours, while travelling to and from school and when students are on school organised activities.
- Parents seeking exemptions to the Dress Code due to religious beliefs, ethnic or cultural background, student disability, health condition or economic hardship must apply in writing to the Principal.
- It is the responsibility of pupils to ensure that all uniform items are clearly labelled.

THE SCHOOL UNIFORM

Key Stage 3: Years 8 – 10

Bottle green pleated skirt
White shirt
Bottle green V neck jumper with white stripe around the V-neck
Clip-on tie in House colours

Key Stage 4: Years 11 – 12

Bottle green pleated skirt
White shirt
Bottle green V neck jumper with white stripe around the V-neck
Clip-on tie in House colours

Key Stage 5: Years 13 – 14

Bottle green pinafore
White shirt
Bottle green cardigan
Clip-on tie in House colours

All pupils:

Bottle green blazer with school badge
Black tights or green knee length socks
Green or black hair ribbon/bobble (if necessary)
Flat black shoes

Summer Uniform (Optional)

Pupils may wear a white short-sleeved shirt and tie or
green & white checked shirt with reversed collar (without tie)
Jumpers are optional as part of summer uniform

P.E. Uniform

White polo shirt with crest
Dark green shorts or black $\frac{3}{4}$ length sports leggings
White ankle socks
Trainers/Track Shoes (no Converse/Vans)
Green P.E. skirt (optional)
Bathing suit and bathing cap
Hooded sweatshirts and green sports tops are also available to purchase from the PE Department.

Items available in local shops, e.g. Ferguson Fashions, McClintock's, Max Fashions, Dunnes and Marks & Spencer.

St. Cecilia's T-shirts and tracksuits, swimming hats and goggles are available from the school.
Cycling shorts are not to be worn.

Ties are available from the school.

This policy was last reviewed by the Leadership Team: December 2017

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