



Helena Valley Primary School

Dress Code

“Dress codes are tangible evidence of the standards expected of students and play an important role in promoting positive images of Helena Valley Primary School. Our dress code supports all students to participate fully in school life. Our Dress Code will help create a sense of identity and a culture in which every student experiences a sense of belonging”

Department of Education Dress Code policy 2018

Dress Code Requirements

Item	Description
Tops	Green and Black Helena Valley Primary School Polo Helena Valley Primary School Faction Polo Green and Black Helena Valley Primary School Zip Jacket Plain Black or White skivvy under the Helena Valley Primary School Polo Helena Valley Primary School Year 6 Leavers T-Shirt
Pants	Plain black shorts, skirt, skort, leggings or tracksuit pants
Dress	Green and Black Helena Valley Primary School Dress
Hat	Helena Valley Primary School Bucket Hat
Footwear	Enclosed “sneaker” type shoes, (ie. No thongs, high heeled shoes, sandals or ugg boots).

Jewellery & Hair

- Make-up and excessive jewellery are not considered appropriate for school. Students are encouraged to remove jewellery for sporting activities
- Earrings should be limited to studs or small sleeper earrings
- Students should take adequate measures to ensure protection from the sun when outdoors. Our School has a “No Hat- Shade Play” policy for all terms
- Shoulder length hair or longer must be tied up at all times
- School staff will promote the school dress code with students

Special Events

Helena Valley Primary School Choir T-shirt. This is loaned out to students and is to be washed and returned to school following the event.

Modifications to the Dress Code

Parents, who for religious, ethnic, health or other reasons, wish to modify the school dress code for their child/children, are required to make an appointment to discuss this with the Principal. Staff will be informed of any student granted a modification to the dress code.

Students not following the Dress Code:

- Will receive counselling from a staff member on the school’s dress code policy
- Parents may be notified by a phone call and offered assistance/support in obtaining suitable clothing, if necessary

We ask that all parents respect and actively support the School’s Dress Code and ensure that their child/ren are correctly attired at all times.