

 **GLENBURNIE PRIMARY SCHOOL**

 **Uniform Policy**

At Glenburnie Primary School all children from Reception to Year 7 are expected to wear the School Dress Code. The Governing Council, in representation of the Whole Community, has determined that it is mandatory that all students will conform to this policy and that all school community members will implement their responsibilities in this matter.

The school colours are Green and Yellow.

### RATIONALE

We believe that a school Dress Code:

* Contributes to whole school unity and pride and “belonging”
* Supports social justice initiatives by relieving parents and students of pressures to purchase high cost brand name clothing
* Develops a positive image of Glenburnie Primary School in the wider community
* Maintains sufficient choice for individuals
* The Uniform Policy has been determined by the Governing Council after consultation with the school community, parents, students and staff.
* The implementation of the Policy will not be seen as an impediment to attending school
* The Policy will be amended, as necessary, from time to time by the Governing Council
* The responsibility for seeing that the uniform is worn is seen as being that of the parent/s, with support from the school where appropriate

**RESPONSIBILITIES**

#### Parents/Caregivers

It is expected that parents/caregivers will:

* Ensure that their children are dressed in the school Dress Code when involved in school related activities
* Support the school in the implementation of this policy
* Label all school Dress Code items

#### Students

It is expected that the students will:

* Wear the school Dress Code for all school related activities
* Maintain their appearance to a safe and high standard
* Accept any consequences as a result of continually not wearing the Dress Code

#### Staff

It is expected that staff will:

* Regularly remind students about this policy in a fair but firm way
* Implement this policy and appropriate consequences for continual non-wearing of the school Dress Code by students
* Not deny any student access to learning opportunities for the non-wearing of the school Dress Code

The School Uniform is outlined for all students attending events such as excursions, performances, school photographs and inter-school activities as well as normal school days.

All school uniform is available from Hip Pocket in Mount Gambier

**Polo shirt:** Green & Gold polo shirt.

**Windcheater:** Bottle green & gold windcheater

Bottle green & gold rugby top

Bottle green polar fleece jumper

**Pants:**  Plain black pants or plain black jeans.

Plain black or bottle green tracksuit pants (no logo’s, writing, emblems)

Black leggings under skirts or school dresses, not on their own.

**Dress:**  Green/white checked dress (girls for summer).

**Skirts:** Black or bottle green

**Shorts:** Bottle green or black shorts – boys & girls

Need to be longer than mid-thigh.

**Footwear:** School shoes (brown, black or navy)

 Sandshoes, sneakers, skateshoes

 Sandals

 No thongs or slip ons. Shoes need to be enclosed.

Students need to be in footwear that is safe and appropriate to their life at school.

As a guide students need to have footwear that they are safe and comfortable to run in.

#### Hats

* All students are required to wear a school bucket hat during terms 1 & 4 when involved in lessons or recess and lunchtime activities outside.
* Baseball caps are not part of the dress code and should remain at home.
* The wearing of a hat is seen to be an important part of the dress code and an issue of sun safety.

**Sports Singlets**

* Numbered sports singlets are available to use for various school sporting events.

#### Year 6

* Year 6 students, with teacher involvement, may wear their own designed windcheater in school colours.

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