



Uniform Guide

2024 Uniform Policy and General Guidelines





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Uniform Policy

The Swan Christian College uniform is intended to support a sense of community and healthy pride in our College, and to emphasise character and self-organisation. The way a student wears their uniform reflects their own self-image, and their perception of the community they belong to.

Responsibility to be Well Groomed

The proper wearing of College uniform (both formal and sport uniform) is compulsory and a requirement for continued enrolment at the College. Parents/Guardians should ensure that their child's uniform is being worn correctly, freshly laundered and in good repair when they leave home each day. It is the students' responsibility to be fully prepared for each school day, which includes the wearing of the correct school uniform at all times during the day. Repeated uniform breaches may lead to detention, suspension or immediate collection by parents/guardians from the College.

Summer uniform will be worn for Term 1 and Term 4, unless otherwise notified via email to parents/guardians and is at the discretion of the Principal. Hats are required to be worn by students at all times except when they are seated under full shade (e.g. veranda roofing). Students must wear College hats (either broad-brimmed or bucket style) when in the sun, or on the front and rear ovals and the basketball courts. This requirement also includes Physical Education lessons.

Winter uniform will be worn for Term 2 and Term 3, unless otherwise notified via email to parents/guardians and is at the discretion of the Principal. In Senior School, the College blazer is required to be worn both to and from school, and to all official College functions. The College jumper may also be worn, however not in place of the College blazer.

All uniform items must be clearly labelled with student's full name, and it is the student's responsibility to care for each piece of attire while at school. Items are to be clean, correctly sized and in good repair. The College reserves the right to request a student to replace uniform items deemed to be in unacceptable condition or an inappropriate size.

If a student arrives at school without the appropriate uniform, they are required to have parents/guardians either email their Mentor (SEN) or Classroom (JUN) Teacher or bring a hand-written note from home signed by their parent/guardian. The communication should state clearly which item of uniform is unavailable, the reason for this, and the date when the student will be in correct uniform again. This communication will be checked and a Uniform Pass approved by their Mentor or Classroom teacher. Providing a communication from home does not necessarily diminish or remove the student's responsibility to be prepared for the school day and have the correct uniform. The remaining items of the school uniform required for that day are expected to be worn.

Any enquiries regarding this uniform guide should be directed to the classroom teacher if in Junior School or the Dean of Year if in Senior School. The College is the final arbiter of all uniform decisions.

Overarching expectations

Hairstyles

- Hair is to be neatly styled, clean (frequently washed) and tidy. Head hair must be no shorter than a number 3. If in doubt, please check with your Mentor Teacher (Senior School) or Junior School class teacher (Junior School).
- Only natural hair colours can be used at the College's discretion. No two-toned hair.
- Students with hair touching the collar or longer must wear it tied back. 'Rattails' are not acceptable.
- Students must be clean shaven. Sideburns must not extend below the earlobes.
- Cornrows, bali braids or dreadlocks are not permitted, however exemptions may be given for cultural or ethnicity reasons upon application to the Dean of Year. All exemptions are at the discretion of the College.

Make up

PP- Year 6

- Makeup free - however clear nail polish, clear lip moisturiser is permitted.

Years 7-12

- Natural looking make-up is permitted.
- No coloured nail polish, coloured lips, eye shadow, glitter or eyeliner is permitted.
- Mascara must look natural.
- Additional make-up or special circumstances must be approved by the Dean of Year.
- All nails must look natural and be a length and shape that allows students to engage in the College curriculum. French tips are the only alternative design outside of natural.
- No fake eyelashes or extensions.

Appropriate Uniform Accessories / Adornments

Watch



Belt (ring and tongue buckle)



College scarf



Necklace (worn under shirt)



Hair ties



Hair ribbon/scrunchie/ claw-clip (max 10cm)



Round piercing stud

(Plain studs or small coloured stones are acceptable)



Sleeper



(silver or gold)

- Only hair ties or bands that are plain navy, white, cyan, black or tan with a maximum width of 2.5cm, navy scrunchies and claw-clips with a maximum size of 10cm are permitted.
- Students are permitted to wear up to three items of varying jewellery at any time with the following restrictions:
 - One of any three items allowed at one time. Allowed combination example: one watch, one pair of earrings and one necklace. Disallowed combination example: two rings and one pair of earrings.
 - Necklace - to be worn under the shirt, plain gold or silver colour chain only, no choker chains. The length should be long enough to be worn below the collar line.
 - Watch - considered as one item of jewellery.
 - All jewellery must be gold or silver in colour and respect the above sizing guidelines.
 - House wristbands are the only acceptable substitution and is considered to be one item of jewellery.
- Visible body piercings other than one per ear are not permitted. Plastic invisible studs are acceptable replacements.
- Visible tattoos or body art are not permitted.
- Close fitting wrap around sunglasses that comply with Australian standards are optional. Sunglasses must only be worn outside of classrooms.
- No visible undershirts.
- All jewellery and accessories must meet classroom occupational health and safety regulations.

Girls Uniform

Years 1 to 2 (Junior School)

- Swan Christian College wide brim hat
- College track suit (pants and zip jacket)
- Polo shirt in House colours
- College shorts
- Short white fold down socks
- Velcro top sneakers - predominantly white preferred



Years 3 to 6 (Junior School)

Winter (Term 2 and 3)

- Swan Christian College wide brim hat
- Short sleeve shirt or overshirt (All shirts must be tucked in)
- V-neck jumper with College logo
- Tartan skirt (no shorter than knee length)
- White fold down socks or navy tights
- Black leather lace-up school shoes, with heel (black velcro shoes permitted in Years 1-2)

Optional Winter

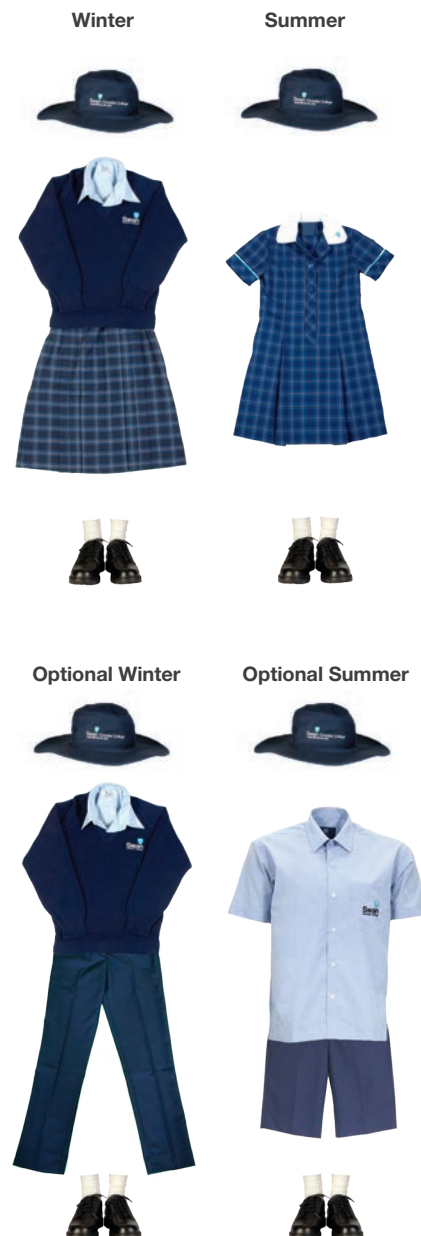
- Swan Christian College wide brim hat
- Navy pants (elastic back)

Summer (Term 1 and 4)

- Swan Christian College wide brim hat
- The Short Sleeve shirt or overshirt
- School dress with College logo (no shorter than knee length)
- White fold down socks
- Black leather lace-up school shoes, with heel (black velcro shoes permitted in Years 1-2)

Optional Summer

- The Short Sleeve Overshirt (may be worn untucked during summer)
- Navy shorts (elastic back)
- Navy socks



Winter



Summer



Optional Winter



Optional Summer



Years 7 to 9

Winter (Term 2 and 3)

- Blazer
- V-neck jumper with College logo
- Year 7-9 tie
- Short sleeve shirt, blouse or overshirt (All shirts must be tucked in)
- Blue plaid skirt (no shorter than knee length)
- White fold down socks or 70 denier navy tights*
- Black leather lace-up school shoes, with heel

Optional Winter

- College Scarf
- Navy pants
- Black leather belt (ring and tongue buckle)

Summer (Term 1 and 4)

- Swan Christian College wide brim hat or bucket hat
- Short sleeve shirt, blouse or overshirt (All shirts must be tucked in, except the overshirt in summer)
- School dress with College logo (no shorter than knee length)
- White fold down socks
- Black leather lace-up school shoes, with heel

Optional Summer

- The Short Sleeve Overshirt can be worn out
- Navy shorts or navy pants
- Black leather belt (ring and tongue buckle)

*White fold down socks must be worn for school photos and at Celebration Night.

Blouse



Years 7-9 Tie



Overshirt



Bucket Hat



Girls Uniform

Years 10 to 12

Winter (Term 2 and 3)

- Blazer
- V-neck jumper with College logo
- Short sleeve shirt, blouse or overshirt (All shirts must be tucked in)
- Years 10-12 tie
- Blue plaid skirt (no shorter than knee length)
- 70 denier navy tights
- Socks worn under stockings must be sockettes
- Black leather lace-up shoes, with heel

Optional Winter

- College Scarf
- Black leather belt (ring and tongue buckle)
- Navy pants
- White fold down socks

Summer (Term 1 and 4)

- Swan Christian College wide brim hat or bucket hat
- Short sleeve shirt, blouse or overshirt (All shirts must be tucked in, except the overshirt in summer)
- White fold down socks
- Black leather lace-up school shoes, with heel

Optional Summer

- Black leather belt (ring and tongue buckle)
- The Short Sleeve Overshirt (may be worn untucked during summer)
- Navy shorts or navy pants
- White fold down socks

Winter



Summer



Optional Winter



Optional Summer



Years 10-12 Tie



Blouse



Bucket Hat



Overshirt





Boys Uniform

Years 1 to 2 (Junior School)

- Swan Christian College wide brim hat
- College track suit (pants and zip jacket)
- Polo shirt in House colours
- College shorts
- Short white fold down socks
- Velcro top sneakers - predominantly white preferred



Years 3 to 6 (Junior School)

Winter (Term 2 and 3)

- Swan Christian College wide brim hat
- V-neck jumper with College logo
- Short sleeve shirt or overshirt (All shirts must be tucked in)
- Charcoal long trousers (elastic back)
- Banded grey school socks / or charcoal grey plain socks (no ankle socks)
- Black leather lace-up shoes (black velcro shoes permitted in Years 1-2)

Summer (Term 1 and 4)

- Swan Christian College wide brim hat
- Short sleeve shirt or overshirt (All shirts must be tucked in, except the overshirt in summer)
- Charcoal shorts (elastic back)
- Banded grey school socks / or charcoal grey plain socks (no ankle socks)
- Black leather lace-up shoes

Optional Summer

- The Short Sleeve Overshirt (may be worn untucked during summer)



Winter



Summer



Years 7 to 9

Winter (Term 2 and 3)

- Blazer
- V-neck jumper with College logo
- Overshirt or short sleeve shirt (Overshirt and short sleeve shirt must always be tucked in with winter uniform)
- Years 7-9 tie
- Long charcoal pants
- Black leather belt (ring and tongue buckle)
- Banded grey school socks / or charcoal grey plain socks (no ankle socks)
- Black leather lace-up shoes, with heel

Optional Winter

- College Scarf

Summer (Term 1 and 4)

- Swan Christian College wide brim hat or bucket hat
- Short sleeve shirt or overshirt (All shirts must be tucked in, except the overshirt in summer)
- Charcoal shorts or charcoal pants
- Black leather belt (ring and tongue buckle)
- Banded grey school socks / or charcoal grey plain socks
- Black leather lace-up shoes, with heel

Optional Summer

- The Short Sleeve Overshirt (may be worn untucked during summer)

Years 10 to 12

Winter (Term 2 and 3)

- Blazer
- V-neck jumper with College logo
- Overshirt or short sleeve shirt (Overshirt and short sleeve shirt must always be tucked in with winter uniform)
- Year 10-12 tie
- Long charcoal pants
- Black leather belt (ring and tongue buckle)
- Banded grey school socks / or charcoal grey plain socks (no ankle socks)
- Black leather lace-up shoes, with heel

Optional Winter

- College Scarf

Summer (Term 1 and 4)

- Swan Christian College wide brim hat or bucket hat
- Short sleeve shirt or overshirt (All shirts must be tucked in, except the overshirt in summer)
- Charcoal shorts or charcoal pants
- Black leather belt (ring and tongue buckle)
- Banded grey school socks / or charcoal grey plain socks (no ankle socks)
- Black leather lace-up shoes, with heel

Optional Summer

- The Short Sleeve Overshirt (may be worn untucked during summer)

Winter



Summer



Years 7-9 Tie



Years 10-12 Tie



Bucket Hat



Shoes/Footwear

General footwear guidelines

Acceptable shoes for our students are constructed of sturdy material, provide adequate support and cover the entire upper section of the foot for protection. They should be:

- black leather
- lace up school design
- heeled up to 35mm
- sports shoes must be shock absorbing gym shoes (no volley OC's, Vans, skate or canvas casual shoes).
- shoes must be regularly polished.
- shoe laces must be tied at all times.

Please consult the College if you have any concerns about the acceptability of shoes you are intending to purchase as unacceptable shoes will need to be replaced.

Acceptable formal shoe examples



Years 1-2:
black velcro shoes
acceptable

Acceptable sports shoe example



Unacceptable formal shoes include:

- Slip-ons or laced flat shoes
- Shoes without a heel
- Running, sports or boot-styled shoes
- Converse, Volleys, Vans or similar canvas shoes
- Velcro fastened shoes
- Air Force or similar street shoes



Unacceptable sports shoes include:

- Converse, Volleys, Vans or similar canvas shoes
- Air Force or similar street shoes



Kindy to Year 2



Kindergarten to Year 2 Uniform

- Swan Christian College wide brim hat
- College track suit (pants and zip jacket)
- Polo shirt in House colours
- College shorts
- Short white fold down socks
- Velcro top sneakers - predominantly white preferred

Swan Trade Training Centre



Hospitality Uniform

- Black chef skull cap
- White neckerchief
- White chef top with College Logo
- Black and white striped apron
- Black and white chef check pants
- Black leather lace-up school shoes, with heel



Trade Uniform

- Long sleeve hi-vis shirt with STTC logo
- Heavy cotton navy work pants
- Steel-capped safety boots that meet Australian Standard AS2210.3.2009
- Black leather belt (ring and tongue buckle)

- Optional STTC hi-vis jacket (the only jacket to be worn with the trade uniform)

Sports Uniform



Sports Uniform (Years 1 to 12)

- Swan Christian College wide brim hat or SCC bucket hat
- College tracksuit top - navy
- College tracksuit pants - navy
- Polo shirt in House colours
- College shorts - navy
- White or black sport socks
- Shock absorbing gym shoes - please refer to shoe guide on pages 8-9. Years 1-2: velcro gym shoes acceptable.
- Specialist sports (AFL, Netball and Basketball) may wear their specialist uniform

Swimming (Years 1 - 12)

When students are representing the College (i.e. competitions, inter-school and squad) they must wear the College bathers with logo.



Bags

Bag Guide

Students in Years 7-12 need to have a security combination lock for their bag as per the booklist. All bags must be labelled. It is compulsory for all students in Years 1-12 to use one of the following Swan Christian College school bags:

Junior School

- 30L Roller bag
- 27L Backpack

Senior School

- 40L Roller bag
- 38L Backpack



Backpack



Roller bag

Equipment Bag (Compulsory Year 7 - 12)

All students doing physical education activities are required to use either their school bag or one of the following bags to carry additional equipment:

Senior School

- 27L Sports duffle bag
- 42L Velocity bag



Duffle bag



Velocity Bag

Uniform Shop

Online Ordering

Uniform items can be ordered in store or through the Perm-A-Pleat online shop.

To order online: visit www.swan.wa.edu.au/swanresources/uniform-shop, click on “online ordering”, select items to purchase and pay on the secure website. An SMS will be sent to confirm when your order is ready for collection from Perm-A-Pleat in Midland.

Making a Fitting Appointment

To schedule an appointment online, please visit www.swan.wa.edu.au/swanresources/uniform-shop and follow these steps:

1. Please click on “register now” on Perm-A-Pleat’s online appointment page.
2. Fill in required fields.
3. A four digit pin number will be sent via email.
4. Once you have registered, go back to the online appointment page, log in and click onto the new appointment tab. An online calendar with available dates blocked out in green will appear on screen.
5. Select a date and time for your appointment.
6. Once you entered your child’s name into the confirmation box, the appointment time will be saved and can be deleted or modified at any time prior to the appointment.

Perm-A-Pleat Retail Store

Address: 31 Victoria Street, Midland

Email: midland.retail@permableat.com.au

Phone: (08) 6465 1111

For trading hours, please visit the link: www.swan.wa.edu.au/swanresources/uniform-shop



SECONDHAND UNIFORM STORE

PRESENTED BY THE COLLEGE PARENT COMMITTEE

WHERE

Community Outreach room
K Block, Junior School



SECONDHAND UNIFORM STORE IS OPEN WEDNESDAYS 8:15AM – 8:45AM DURING TERM

The Swan Community Outreach room is located near the Naturescape playground in K Block at the Junior School.

For more information please contact the College Parent committee at swanparentcommittee@swan.wa.edu.au

Quality donations and volunteers urgently required

The College Parent Committee welcomes donations of current quality uniform items in good condition. If you would like to donate uniform items for sale, please drop them off at Student Services. Through the donation of your child's uniform you can help another parent to purchase a uniform at an affordable price.

Please contact Helen Gilson at helen.gilson@yahoo.com if you would like to volunteer at our uniform store.

