

Mandurah Baptist College Uniform Policy



Hair Rules

14. General Hair Rules

- 14.1 The general rule is that all students' hair should be neat and tidy at all times.
14.2 Hair styles are to be conservative in style.

15. Hair Colour

- 15.1 Hair may be dyed, but the hair colour must be uniform.
15.2 The dye must be a natural colour and only ONE colour.
15.3 Hair that is two tone or has patches of dyed hair with natural hair colour is not permitted.
15.4 Highlights or tips are not permitted.
15.5 Re-growth - Refer to rule 15.2 - Re-growth must be maintained.

16. Boys' Hair

- 16.1 Boys' hair should be short and above the top of the collar.
16.2 Fringes should not hang across the eyes or face, nor should they interfere when a student is working.
16.3 Using gel or wax to deliberately spike up hair is not permitted.
16.4 Hair should not be teased or deliberately made messy.
16.5 No 'mohawks', 'afros' or braided hair is allowed.
16.6 Hair shorter than #2 is not permitted.
16.7 Boys' faces should be clean shaven.

17. Girls' Hair

- 17.1 Girls with hair longer than the top of the collar must have it all tied back in either a pony tail, bun or plait(s) using gold or navy blue scrunchies.
17.2 Hair combs are permitted but they must be the same colour as the hair, brown or black.
17.3 Girls with hair shorter than the top of the collar must not allow it to hang forward when they are working.
17.4 Fringes should not hang over the eyes or across the face. The hair should be kept back with hair clips or a navy blue headband.
17.5 Hair should not be teased or deliberately made messy.

Sport Uniform

- 18.1 Students are to arrive at school in normal College uniform and are permitted to get changed for sport from 8.00am-8.30am in the PE change room. Between 8.30am-8.55am the change rooms will be locked.
18.2 Students are not permitted to get changed during form time.



- 18.3 Students are not permitted to get changed for PE in the toilets at any time.
18.4 On arrival back at school after PE, students will get changed back into normal College uniform during their PE session. Their PE teacher will check that they are fully changed before they leave for their next class.
18.5 Students must wear a hat in PE classes during Terms One and Four.
18.6 Students are not permitted to wear the school jumper with their sport uniform.

Motto

The College motto is "Be Strong and Courageous".

Colours

The College colours are navy, gold and white.

Crest

The crest is in the form of a shield and depicts a cross surrounded by the Holy Spirit.

Students are expected to be in full school uniform from the time they leave home in the morning until they reach home again in the afternoon.



1) What to do if you're not in the correct uniform

- 1.1 Students who are not in the correct College uniform must report to the Student Services office before attending form class.
1.2 If the student is out of uniform for a legitimate reason (not wearing shoes because of a broken foot) the student must have a note from their parent and/or a medical certificate in order to be given a uniform pass without penalty.
1.3 If a student does not have a note from their parent or they do not have a legitimate reason for having the incorrect uniform, the following penalty system applies: For the first time in a five week period that a minor breach to the uniform policy occurs, a student will be given a warning. On the second and any subsequent occasion that a student is sent to the office for a minor breach to the uniform policy, they will be issued with a demerit.
1.4 A note from a parent will only excuse a student if it is for a legitimate reason. If the College disputes the reason for the uniform infringement they will ring the parents of the student involved. If parents are not contactable, the student will have to wait in the office until contact is made.
1.5 If the uniform breach is a major one, the student may not be permitted to attend classes that day.
1.6 The following are legitimate reasons for incorrect uniform:

- An injury to the student makes it difficult to wear the uniform. (Please ring Student Services to arrange suitable alternative attire and to discuss when the student will begin wearing the correct uniform again).
- A part of the uniform has been ordered but it has not arrived. (Please ring Student Services to arrange suitable alternative attire and to discuss when the student will begin wearing the correct uniform again).
- A clothing item has been lost or damaged and the uniform shop is not open to buy a new one. (Please ring Student Services to arrange suitable alternative attire and to discuss when the student will begin wearing the correct uniform again).

- 1.7 The following are NOT legitimate reasons for incorrect uniform:
a) Clothes were not washed.
b) Leaving the uniform at a friend or relative's place.



2. The Uniform Shop

- 2.1 The uniform shop is open on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 8.30am-3.45pm.
- 2.2 Students must visit the uniform shop before school, during lunchtime or after school. Students are not permitted to visit the uniform shop during class time.

3. Behaviour Whilst in Uniform

- 3.1 Students should always wear their College uniform with pride. If a student misbehaves whilst in their uniform or wears their uniform in a sloppy manner, this reflects badly on the College which in turn affects all students and staff who attend Mandurah Baptist College. For this reason, the Mandurah Baptist College discipline and uniform policies apply to students at all times when they are in MBC Uniform. This includes on the bus, at the shopping centre and anywhere in public.

General uniform rules

4. Shirt

- 4.1 Boys and girls are to fasten the top button of their shirt. Demerits will be issued to students who do not have their top button fastened.
- 4.2 It is the responsibility of the student to have all buttons on their shirt. Students who are missing buttons from their shirt may be given a demerit.

5. Tie

- 5.1 The tie is to be neatly tied and pulled up so that there is no gap between the top of the tie and the collar.
- 5.2 The tie must be tied in such a way that it reaches to the belt. Students who wear their ties excessively short or long will need to re-tie their tie and may be given a demerit.
- 5.3 Students will not be permitted to attend classes without a tie in Terms Two and Three.

6. Socks

- 6.1 Students must wear the regulation College socks.
- 6.2 Socks must not be worn lower than the ankle. The stripes must be visible.

7. Shoes

- 7.1 Shoes must be black, polished leather lace-up school shoes with a low heel.
- 7.2 Students wearing incorrect footwear will not be permitted to attend classes.

8. Blazers

- 8.1 It is compulsory to wear the College blazer to and from school during Terms Two and Three.
- 8.2 Year 12 students are permitted to wear their Leavers' jacket instead of the blazer. Formal occasions will require the student to wear their College Blazer

Boys' Uniform

9. Shorts, Trousers and belts:

- 9.1 Boys' shorts and trousers should be properly fitted so that they don't fall down. A black leather belt should be worn and their shirt tucked in.
- 9.2 Belts should be black leather and should not have any markings or brand names on them.

10. Jewellery:

- 10.1 For boys, the only permissible jewellery is a wristwatch and a necklace.
- 10.2 Necklaces are to be a plain chain with only a cross or Christian fish symbol attached. No other form of jewellery or piercing is permissible.
- 10.3 If a student has any piercing that breaches these guidelines, they will not be permitted to attend classes.
- 10.4 Students are not permitted to wear clear, plastic stoppers to keep holes for earrings open.
- 10.5 Students who are wearing extra jewellery will have it confiscated and returned at the end of the day, as well as receiving a demerit.
- 10.6 If students continue to wear the same jewellery after warnings or if they refuse to take the item out when requested to do so, they may be suspended for one day.



Girls' Uniform

11. Dresses and Skirts

- 11.1 The girls' summer dress and winter skirt must reach to the knee or below. If these guidelines are breached, then parents will receive a letter requiring alterations to be made or a new skirt purchased. If these changes do not happen within the agreed time frame, the student will not be permitted to attend classes.
- 11.2 Students are not permitted to roll up their skirts. This will result in a demerit.

12. Make-up and nails

- 12.1 Students are not permitted to wear any make-up.
- 12.2 Students are to have neatly trimmed, short nails. No false nails or nail extensions are permitted.

13. Jewellery

- 13.1 Girls are allowed one pair of small sleepers or small stud earrings in the lower lobe of the ear. The sleeper is to be no larger than a five cent piece in diameter.
- 13.2 Earrings are not to have stones, jewels, pearls or other decorative items in them.
- 13.3 Students are not permitted to wear clear, plastic stoppers to keep holes for earrings open.
- 13.4 If a student has any piercing that breaches these guidelines, they will not be permitted to attend classes.
- 13.5 Necklaces are to be a plain chain with only a cross or fish attached. No other form of jewellery or piercing is permissible.
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- 13.7 If students continue to wear the same jewellery after warnings or if they refuse to take the item out when requested to do so, they may be suspended for one day.



Summer Uniform



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Winter Uniform

