

Following consultation with students, families and staff, the College Board has endorsed changes to the uniform from 2025 onwards.

The new Zipped Jacket and House Polo are compulsory in 2025.

A transition period will exist for 2 years between January 2025 - January 2027, where students are able to wear previous or new uniform items (except the Zipped Jacket and House Polo which are compulsory from 2025). From January 2027, students will be required to wear the new College Uniform. All new uniform items are listed in the relevant sections of this guide and are available for purchase from 2025.

To access the Uniform Policy and further information about changes to uniform, visit our website: www.smc.catholic.edu.au/enrolment/uniform

Uniform Supplier

The approved supplier of the College uniform is Mensland and MES Streetwear located at 108 Ellen Street, Port Pirie (phone: 8632 1770).

The Parents and Friends Committee administer a <u>Uniform Buy, Swap and Sell Facebook group</u>. Search 'St Mark's P&F Uniform Buy, Swap & Sell' then click 'Join' and respond to the group questions (once your request is approved, you can view the page).

Which uniform and when?

Reception - Year 2 Students will wear the active wear uniform all year round to promote play and active learning.

Year 3 - Year 12 Students will wear:

- Summer uniform in Terms 1 and 4.
- Winter uniform is to be worn in Terms 2 and 3.
- Students have the option to wear either the full summer or full winter uniform for the first two weeks of Term 2 and the last two weeks of Term 3 due to the changing weather. A combination of summer and winter uniforms is not permissible.
- The active wear uniform is to be worn on designated PE days (as advised by the College).

Grooming

A student's grooming must be neat, clean and tidy at all times. Recent changes to our policy include:

- Hair may be worn down at (or shorter than) shoulder length, but tied back when asked by a teacher for WHS.
- One or two earrings can be worn in one or both ear lobes. A single stud (no larger than 0.5cm in diameter) or sleeper / hoop (no larger than 1cm in diameter) in silver, gold or diamante is permissible. Stretchers are not permissible.
- Nose studs are not permitted. When a student has a nose piercing a 'clear' stud can be used.

Further information about grooming is detailed in our Uniform Policy. To access the Uniform Policy, visit our website: www.smc.catholic.edu.au/enrolment/uniform

Summer Uniform for students in Year 3 - 12

Terms 1 and 4



Boys Uniform	Girls Uniform Option 1	Girls Uniform Option 2
Compulsory items:	Compulsory items:	Compulsory items:
✓ Cap or bucket hat	✓ Cap or bucket hat	✓ Cap or bucket hat
✓ Short-sleeved shirt	✓ Dress	✓ Short-sleeved shirt
✓ Shorts, dark grey	✓ Socks, light blue	✓ Shorts, navy
✓ Socks, light grey	✓ Leather school shoes, black	✓ Socks, navy
✓ Leather school shoes, black	Optional extras:	✓ Leather school shoes, black
Optional extras:	✓ Zipped jacket* <i>new</i> (and woolen	Optional extras:
✓ Plain black belt, if desired	jumper), for cooler days	✓ Zipped jacket* <i>new</i> (and woolen
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* The new zipped jacket which may be worn with summer and winter uniform is compulsory from 2025.

Important details:

- The shirt, shorts, dress, jumper and cap or bucket hat must all be approved College attire.
- The hem of the girl's summer dress should be **<u>no higher</u>** than 2.5cm above the knee.
- T-shirts worn underneath the summer shirt should not be visible.
- Socks must cover the ankles (not to be rolled down or tucked into shoes).
- The approved College shoe is a black leather lace-up school shoe.

Winter Uniform for students in Year 3 - 12 Terms 2 and 3



Boys Uniform	Girls Uniform Option 1	Girls Uniform Option 2
Compulsory items:	Compulsory items:	Compulsory items:
✓ Long-sleeved shirt	✓ Long-sleeved winter shirt	✓ Long-sleeved shirt
✓ Trousers, dark grey	✓ Skirt	✓ Trousers, navy
✓ Socks, light grey	✓ Knee-highs or tights, navy blue	✓ Socks, navy
✓ Leather school shoes, black	✓ Leather school shoes, black	 ✓ Leather school shoes, black
✓ Zipped jacket*new	✓ Zipped Jacket*new	✓ Zipped jacket*new
Optional extras:	Optional extras:	Optional extras:
✓ Tie, dark navy	✓ Tie, dark navy	✓ Tie, dark navy
✓ Woolen jumper (under jacket)	 ✓ Woolen jumper (under jacket) 	 ✓ Woolen jumper (under jacket)
✓ Plain black belt, if desired		✓ Plain black belt, if desired

* The new zipped jacket which may be worn with summer and winter uniform is compulsory from 2025.

Important details:

- The shirt, tie, trousers, skirt, jacket and jumper must all be approved College attire.
- The girl's winter skirt should sit below the knee (mid-calf).
- Ties, if worn, are to be done up to the top button, the previous royal blue tie is permitted.
- Winter shirts are to be tucked in, t-shirts worn underneath the winter shirt should not be visible.
- The approved College shoe is a black leather lace up school shoe, any brand of shoe is permissible.
- The Year 12 commemorative jumper can be worn each day.

Active Wear All year



Active Wear Uniform

Reception - Year 2 Students will wear the active wear uniform all year round to promote play and active learning. **Year 3 - Year 12 Students** will wear the active wear uniform on designated PE days only.

Compulsory items:Optional:✓Cap or bucket hat✓✓Short-sleeved sports shirt * new✓✓Long-sleeved sports shirt * new✓✓Long-sleeved sports shirt * new✓✓Sports shorts, navy * new✓✓Sports trackpants* new✓✓Socks✓✓Sports shoes✓

* The new sports shirts, shorts and trackpants will be available for purchase from January 2025, however, the previous uniform may be worn until 2027.

* The new zipped jacket which may be worn with active wear is compulsory from 2027.

Important details:

- Students can wear items from the sports uniform all year-round, ie students can choose to wear shorts during winter if they prefer.
- T-shirts worn underneath the sports shirt should not be visible.
- Sports socks must be either plain white or plain black (single logo permissible) or the College Sports Sock. No show socks are permissible.
- The Year 6 commemorative polo can be worn on designated days.

House Polo Shirts

Compulsory Sports Day and designated College celebrations



* The new house polo shirt is compulsory from 2025.

College Accessories

College Cap or Bucket Hat Terms 1 and 4

- Hats must be worn during break times or outdoor activity in line with the Summer uniform.
- Students are encouraged to wear the hat all year round.





St Mark's College embroided on back of cap



23L or 40L backpack

College Sports Sock Optional



Students may wear plain white or black sport socks (single, small logo permissible). No-show socks are permissible.