HILLS
CHRISTIAN
COMMUNITY
SCHOOL



Uniform Guidelines

Wearing the HILLS Way

A UNIFORM FOR ALL SEASONS

HILLS Christian Community School has an innovative, inclusive and modern uniform designed to be practical, comfortable and suitable for school life throughout the year.

Our uniform provides students with a strong sense of belonging and identity, while reducing competition in what students wear. The range allows students to mix and match approved items to create a look they are comfortable wearing for learning, play and participation in school life.

The uniform is not seasonally specific. Students may select from approved uniform items and layer clothing according to the weather and their individual needs.

Wearing the HILLS uniform reflects our shared identity and encourages a strong sense of pride, equality, belonging and community.

All students are expected to uphold the HILLS uniform guidelines as part of their commitment to our school community.

Uniform Expectations

All students from ELC to Year 12 are required to wear the HILLS uniform respectfully at school and while travelling to and from school.

- ELC to Year 6 students wear items from the HILLS Active Range.
- Years 7 to 12 students wear items from the HILLS Formal Range, unless they are timetabled to participate in PE or another activity requiring active wear.
- Students may mix and match approved items within their relevant uniform range.
- The school may specify particular uniform requirements for formal occasions, excursions, photographs, performances or special events.

Hills Schoolwear is the official supplier of HILLS uniform items.



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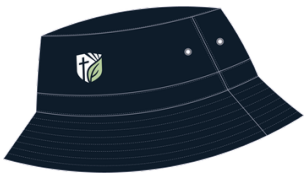
COMPULSORY UNIFORM



Striped Rugby Top



ELC Polo



School Hat
(Terms 1 & 4)



Striped Socks

WITH LOWER GARMENT OF CHOICE



Shorts



Skort



Fleece Trackpant

FOOT WEAR



Suitable Cross Trainers



Gum Boots

WET WEATHER



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PRIMARY SCHOOL

RECEPTION - YEAR 6



PRIMARY SCHOOL

COMPULSORY UNIFORM



Striped Rugby Top



Striped Polo



Soft Shell Jacket

WITH LOWER GARMENT OF CHOICE



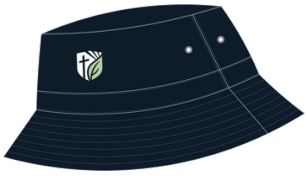
Shorts



Skort



Fleece Trackpant



School Hat
(Terms 1 & 4)



Striped Socks

FOOT WEAR









Suitable Cross Trainers
(No boots)

SECONDARY SCHOOL

YEAR 7 - YEAR 12



SECONDARY SCHOOL

COMPULSORY UNIFORM - ACTIVE WEAR



Striped Rugby Top



Striped Polo



Soft Shell Jacket

WITH LOWER GARMENT OF CHOICE



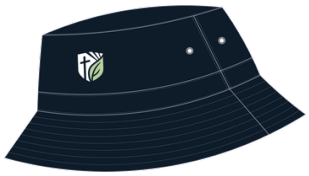
Shorts



Skort



Fleece Trackpant



School Hat
(Terms 1 & 4)



Striped Socks

FOOT WEAR









Suitable Cross Trainers

SECONDARY SCHOOL

YEAR 7 - YEAR 12



SECONDARY SCHOOL

MALE FORMAL RANGE

SHIRT OF CHOICE (COMPULSORY)



Short Sleeved Shirt



Long Sleeved Shirt



Navy Jumper

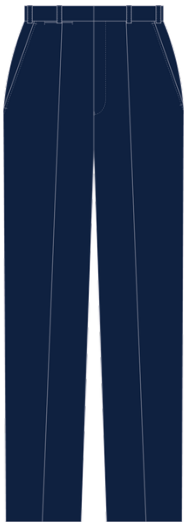


Senior (10-12) Grey Jumper



Soft Shell Jacket
(COMPULSORY)

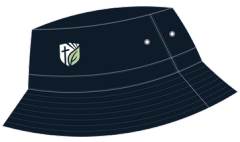
LOWER GARMENT OF CHOICE (COMPULSORY)



Navy Trousers



Navy Shorts



School Hat
(Terms 1 & 4)



Striped Socks
(COMPULSORY)

FOOT WEAR





Formal Black Lace-Up Shoes
Heel should be no higher than 2.5cm.
Boots are not acceptable

SECONDARY SCHOOL

YEAR 7 - YEAR 12



SECONDARY SCHOOL

FEMALE FORMAL RANGE

UPPER GARMENT OF CHOICE OR DRESS (COMPULSORY)



Short Sleeved Shirt



Long Sleeved Shirt



Dress
to be worn at knee length



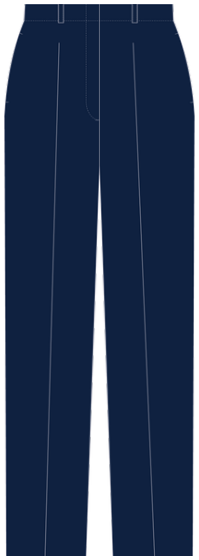
Navy Jumper

Senior (10-12) Grey Jumper



Soft Shell Jacket
(COMPULSORY)

LOWER GARMENT OF CHOICE (COMPULSORY) IF THE BLOUSE OPTION IS CHOSEN



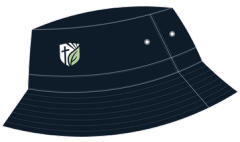
Ladies Navy Trousers



Ladies Navy Shorts



Navy Skirt
to be worn at knee length



School Hat
(Terms 1 & 4)



Striped Socks (COMPULSORY)
or Navy Opaque Stockings
(to be worn with navy skirt)

FOOT WEAR



Formal Black Lace-Up Shoes
Heel should be no higher than 2.5cm.
Boots are not acceptable

ACCESSORIES

WHOLE SCHOOL



New Balance Unisex Puffer Jacket
ELC - Year 12



Puffer Vest



Blazer



Unisex ¼ Zip Fleece Jumper
COMING SOON



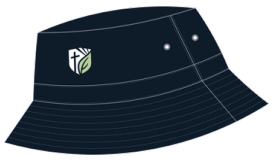
House Polos - Rec - Year 12



School Bag
(COMPULSORY)



HILLS Beanie



School Hat
(COMPULSORY)



HILLS Scarf



Umbrella



Hair Accessories

STUDENT APPEARANCE

WHOLE SCHOOL

Excursions & Formal Occasions

The softshell jacket is a compulsory part of the school uniform and is to be worn for formal occasions and excursions as the outer layer as required by the school. Secondary students may be required to wear a blazer and tie for special events.

Hats

HILLS has a strict NO HAT – NO PLAY policy. Students are required to wear the approved HILLS hat during Terms 1 and Term 4, and as required by the school during Terms 2 and 3. The hat should be accessable at school throughout the year.

Hair

Hair must be neat, clean and tidy and should not draw specific or undue attention to a student.

- Hair should be a natural colour.
- Shoulder-length or longer hair must be tied back from the face.
- No hair should fall over the face or eyes.
- Haircuts should be no shorter than a number 2.
- Extreme hairstyles, colours, patterns or stripes are not permitted.
- Students are to be clean-shaven.

Hair Accessories

Hair clips, headbands, scrunchies and elastic bands should be navy or neutral in colour. Ribbons may be navy, white or HILLS green.

Hair accessories should be simple, discreet and complement the school uniform. HILLS-branded hair accessories are available through Hills Schoolwear.

Jewellery

Students may wear:

- A watch.
- A maximum of two small silver or gold single studs or sleeper earrings, worn in the lower lobe of pierced ears.
  Studs (max. 6mm diameter) matching plain silver or gold earrings
  Sleeper (max. 12mm diameter) matching plain silver or gold sleeper earrings
- A simple, discreet silver or gold cross necklace.

No additional jewellery is permitted.

Smart watches are not permitted during assessments and exams.

Examples of *permitted* styles of earrings



Examples of *unpermitted* styles of earrings



STUDENT APPEARANCE

WHOLE SCHOOL

Makeup

Make-up is discouraged. Where students choose to wear make-up, it must be light, natural and inconspicuous. Heavy, dramatic or brightly coloured make-up is not permitted.

Nail Polish

Nail polish is not permitted.

Beanie, Scarf & Gloves

Only the approved HILLS beanie and scarf are to be worn with the school uniform. Gloves must be plain navy. Beanies, scarves and gloves are to be worn outdoors only.

School Bag

Students are to use the approved HILLS school backpack, displaying the school logo. Bags should be kept in good condition and clearly named.

Formal Shoes

Formal shoes must be plain black leather school shoes that can be polished and provide appropriate support.

- Shoes should be closed and suitable for school.
- Lace-up styles are preferred.
- Shoes must have an appropriate sole and provide adequate ankle and arch support.
- High or unusually elevated heels are not permitted.
- Black canvas, fabric fashion shoes or black sports sneakers are not acceptable as formal shoes.

Examples of *permitted* styles



Examples of *unpermitted* styles



Active Wear / PE Shoes

Students are required to wear lace-up or velcro cross-trainer sports shoes appropriate for active participation in PE. Sandals, skate shoes, volleys, slip-on sneakers and similar casual footwear are not acceptable.
Sports shoes should preferably be predominantly black or navy, or in colours that do not draw specific or undue attention to the shoe.

Examples of *permitted* styles



STUDENT APPEARANCE

WHOLE SCHOOL

Socks & Stockings

Socks must be the approved HILLS school socks and worn as designed with the relevant uniform item. Where stockings are required with the ladies formal skirt, they should be plain, opaque navy.

Gumboots

During winter, students may be required to bring gumboots to school and change into them as directed by educators.

Gumboots may be worn during recess and lunch when students are playing in areas of the school where they are needed.

Tattoos & Body Modifications

Students are not permitted to have permanent or semi-permanent tattoos that are visible while wearing any part of the HILLS uniform, including active uniform.

Exceptions to the Uniform Guidelines

HILLS recognises that there may be occasions when a student is unable to wear the prescribed uniform due to medical, sensory, cultural, religious or other exceptional circumstances. Families seeking an exemption or temporary variation to the Uniform Guidelines must complete a Uniform Exemption Form, outlining the reason for the request, the items affected and the anticipated duration of the exception. The completed form should be submitted to the School for consideration and approval before the student departs from the uniform requirements, wherever possible. The School will review each request on an individual basis and communicate the outcome to the family. Where an exemption is approved, any agreed alternative arrangements and the timeframe for the exemption will be clearly communicated. Families are encouraged to contact the School if their circumstances change or an extension is required. Until approval is granted, students are expected to continue following the Uniform Guidelines wherever reasonably practicable.

HILLS UNIFORM EXEMPTION FORM - CLICK HERE

NON-UNIFORM DAYS

From time to time, students may be invited to wear casual clothes for events such as fundraising days, excursions, camps and school celebrations.

On these occasions, we ask students to:

- Wear sun-safe, comfortable and school-appropriate clothing
- Choose clothing that does not conflict with the values of our school community
- Wear enclosed footwear for safety at all times
- Avoid singlets and crop tops.

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