Policy Statement

- a) The Floreat Park Primary School dress code has been developed in collaboration with staff, students, their parents and the School Council.
- b) Support and assistance are provided where there are difficulties in complying with the dress code requirements.
- c) The Principal may grant exemptions based on unavailability of an item, a health issue, cultural or religious beliefs of the student or the student's family or any other issue the principal deems sufficient.
- d) The Principal will inform parents and students in writing about any changes to the school's dress code, and allow sufficient time for students to comply with the changes.

Background

The school dress code reflects the standards expected of students and promotes a positive image of the school.

The benefits of a dress code include:

- promoting safety of students through easier identification
- assisting students to learn the importance of appropriate presentation
- keeping costs within reasonable limits for parents.

All students are expected to meet dress requirements unless an exemption has been granted. Exemptions are managed according to the principles of equity, fairness and consistency. They may be formal or informal and cover short or long term periods.

Students who do not comply with school dress requirements may be prevented from any activity in which the student is representing the school provided, in the opinion of the principal, it is not part of the educational program.

Changes to dress requirements are based on information from regular reviews and are developed in collaboration with staff, students, their parents and the School Council.

Parents are asked at the time of enrolment to take responsibility for outfitting their children according to the requirements. Parents will be informed, in writing, about the school's dress requirements. Enrolment is not conditional upon agreement.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

Base uniforms for both GIRLS and BOYS

Pale blue knit shirt with collar and Floreat motif

Unisex navy blue rugby knit cotton shorts with elastic waist

Navy blue skort (girls)

Round neck windcheater with Floreat motif

Zip front windcheater with Floreat motif

Wide brimmed hat

Options to Base Uniform

All Year: Blue school dress - drip dry fabric

Blue and grey check skirt -- medium weight fabric

Winter: Navy blue Taslon zip jacket

Navy blue jazz pants (girls)

Navy blue track pants, cargo pants

Sports Uniform

House knit shirts (with house motifs) can be worn with -

Boys: Navy rugby knit shorts

Girls: Navy rugby knit shorts or skort or grey netball skirt

Swimming: Floreat bathers

Floreat rash vest

Recommendations for beginning of school year:

Boys: 2 or more Floreat knit shirts

Hat Shorts

Windcheater or zip front windcheater

Girls: 2 or more Floreat knit shirts

Hat

Skorts (dress or skirt if preferred) Windcheater or zip front windcheater