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Coláiste Chú Chulainn

Uniform Policy Statement 2024

Adopted: ^h

Review due:

Uniform Policy Statement

Every student is required to present themselves in full uniform every day. Please ensure that all items of your students' College uniform are clearly marked.

All students of Coláiste Chú Chulainn are expected to wear the full College uniform coming to and going from school.

- ✓ Students are expected to wear the correct school uniform at all times during the school day, including the journey to school
- ✓ Students are expected to wear the correct P.E uniform to school on the day they have P.E
- ✓ Students represent themselves, their families and the school. They should be clean, presentable and neat at all times
- ✓ Plain black footwear should be worn. Coloured footwear is not allowed. Boots are not allowed
- ✓ Shirt top buttons must be done up and ties tied correctly
- ✓ Bright, vibrant, unnatural hair colours & unconventional hairstyles are not permitted. Long hair must be kept tied up.
- ✓ Health & Safety considerations dictate that students may NOT wear any jewellery in PE and practical lessons. The following items of jewellery are permitted at other times: wrist watch, one small discreet stud ear ring per ear. Facial piercings are not permitted
- ✓ Students may wear discreet (light) foundation to match their natural skin tone. Thick, heavy, and excessive make-up is not acceptable
- ✓ Nails may only be painted with clear or 'French' manicure polish. Health & Safety considerations dictate that nails must be kept short. False nails or nail art are not permitted
- ✓ Hats and scarves are not to be worn in the school building
- ✓ Where students present in incorrect uniform, the following procedure is followed:
 - a. Student is referred to Year Head or management
 - b. Parent / Guardian is contacted and asked to bring uniform to school or collect student
- ✓ Students are required to wear full uniform on school trips / extra-curricular events, unless directed otherwise.
- ✓ All items of the College uniform must be kept in good condition.

This School Uniform Policy is part of the school's Code of Behaviour and must be followed at all times. Students and parents are required to acknowledge and commit to adhering to this School Uniform Policy

We accept and commit to comply with Coláiste Chú Chulainn's School Uniform Policy

Signed: _____ Parent/Guardian Date: _____

Signed: _____ Student Date: _____

Uniform Items

Regular school uniform

- ✓ Navy school jacket with crest. Note there are two versions of this jacket – one with a hood and one without a hood. No other alternatives are allowed.
- ✓ White shirt – top button must be done up.
- ✓ School tie
- ✓ School skirt or school navy trousers
- ✓ School jumper
- ✓ Plain black shoes



Physical Education (PE) Uniform

- ✓ Plain black trainers
- ✓ Plain navy tracksuit bottoms (leggings are not permitted)
- ✓ Royal blue school sports t-shirt with school crest
- ✓ Navy blue school quarter zip top with school crest.



Report on Review of PE Uniform 2024

Since the Covid 19 pandemic, school has permitted students to wear PE uniform to school on the day they have PE. This reduces contact in dressing rooms and also minimised the need to carry additional bags to school.

It has been noted that the PE uniform policy was being abused. Incorrect bottoms and t-shirts were being worn.

The Student council administered a survey of the student body in February / March to establish students feedback on the matter. The findings were as follows:

1. Problem A: Often students wear the PE uniform on a day they do not have PE. Please tick which solution you support: *

- In the future, no student will be allowed to wear a PE uniform to school.
- All students must follow the current rule of wearing their PE uniform only on PE day

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2. Often students wear the wrong tracksuit bottoms - they often wear leggings or the wrong colour bottoms. Please tick which solutions you support: *

- We change the uniform policy from plain navy tracksuit bottoms to a special bottom with the school logo that is more expensive and must be bought from a specific shop
- All students must follow the current rule of wearing plain navy tracksuit bottoms only.

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The student survey affirms the policy as it stands.