

Newtown High School of the Performing Arts



UNIFORM POLICY 2024

Excellence - Creativity - Equity

AIM

To continue to uphold and improve the standard of uniform by implementing an inclusive, consistent policy throughout the school. The NHSPA school uniform promotes equality and safety amongst our community, strengthens high expectations, supports the student code of conduct, and aligns with our school values of excellence, creativity and equity. Students should be proud of our school and wear our uniform with pride.

Full school uniform is to be worn to and from school as well as during school hours with consideration to the fact that students are representing our school and upholding our school values of excellence, creativity and equity.

PROCEDURES FOR STUDENTS OUT OF UNIFORM

- Bring a note of explanation from parent/carer to the swipe room before the school bell outlining any valid reasons or extenuating circumstances as to why you are out of uniform.
- Students identified out of uniform without a note of explanation from a parent/carer shall have a uniform breach recorded on their Sentral profile by the class teacher, teacher on playground duty or deputy principal monitoring the swipe room during school arrival hours.
- Uniform Exchange Program
Students wearing items of casual clothing instead of correct school uniform will be asked to exchange that item for the appropriate uniform in the Deputy Principal's office and wear it throughout the remainder of the school day. These will be exchanged back at the end of the day with the expectation that the correct uniform be worn every day with new items purchased online if required.
- All uniform incidents will be recorded on a student's Sentral file. Persistent breaches of the uniform policy will be managed by following the NHSPA Student Behaviour Management Policy. Parents will receive a uniform breach letter via email when a student persistently breaches school policy.
- Uniform breaches may affect student eligibility to represent the school at regional, state and international events including excursions and leadership opportunities.
- **Black enclosed leather shoes** are required for students who have practical lessons timetabled in subjects such as Science, Design & Technology, Food Technology, Set Design and Construction, Master Chef, Master Designer, Visual Arts, Photo Paint & Print or Ceramics for work health and safety reasons. This applies on Tuesday sport days also.
- No hats are to be worn in class.
- Students who need to change clothing for a class will be given sufficient time to change back into uniform before the end of the period.

SPORT UNIFORM - TUESDAYS

- Students in Years 7 to 10 have Sport on Tuesdays. Students should wear their sport uniform correctly to and from school on Tuesdays and are expected to wear full PE uniform including sports shoes for the entire day.
- **Black enclosed leather shoes** are required on sport days for students who have practical lessons timetabled in subjects such as Science, Design & Technology, Food Technology, Set Design and Construction, Master Chef, Master Designer, Visual Arts, Photo Paint & Print or Ceramics for work health and safety reasons.
- There is to be no mixing and matching of regular school uniform and sports uniform on Tuesdays. A uniform breach will be recorded and a parent/carer explanation required should a student present out of full sports uniform. The student uniform exchange program will apply here also.

Students in year 7-10 are expected to wear full-school uniform on all other days, including black enclosed leather shoes. Students in Years 11 and 12 are expected to wear full school uniform all week.

PDHPE LESSONS

If a student has a practical PDHPE lesson on a non-sport day they are expected to bring their PE uniform in their bag and get changed for the lesson at school. If the timetabled practical lesson is during period 1 students can wear the PE uniform to school and change before recess into full school uniform. If a class has a timetabled practical lesson during period 4 they can wear the PE uniform home

Parents/carers who are experiencing financial difficulty should email the school Attention Principal at newtown-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au

ALL ITEMS EXCEPT SHOES AND SOCKS ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE UNIFORM SHOP.

Prices are found online and items can be order online through Pickles:

<https://www.picklesschoolwear.com/school/newtown-high-school-of-the-performing-arts>

EXAMPLES OF ACCEPTABLE SCHOOL FOOTWEAR



Junior (Years 7 - 10)		Senior (Years 11 and 12)	
BLOUSE	Blue Darted Short or Long Sleeve Blouse	BLOUSE	White Darted Short or Long Sleeve Blouse
SKIRT	Red, Navy Royal Check	KILT	Checked, Long or Short
SHORTS	Navy / Grey	SHORTS	Navy / Grey
PANTS/TROUSERS	Navy / Grey	PANTS/TROUSERS	Navy / Grey
SHIRT	Blue Short or Long Sleeve	SHIRT	White Short or Long Sleeve
JUMPER / CARDIGAN	Navy Blue with School Crest, Wool Blend	JUMPER/CARDIGAN	Navy Blue with School Crest, Wool Blend
JACKET	Navy Blue, Windproof, School Crest, Zip Front, Red Bands Neck and Arms. Long-lined with Red Lining	JACKET/ YEAR 12 JERSEY	Navy Blue, Windproof, School Crest, Zip Front, Red Bands Neck and Arms. Long-lined with Red Lining
BLAZER	Navy Blue with School Crest	BLAZER	Navy Blue with School Crest
SPORT POLO	Royal Blue Polo with Crest	PE POLO	Royal Blue Polo with Crest
SPORT SHORTS	Navy Blue with Crest	PE SHORTS	Navy Blue with Crest
TRACKSUIT JACKET	Navy Blue with Crest, Polyester	TRACKSUIT JACKET	Navy Blue with Crest, Polyester
TRACKSUIT PANTS	Navy Blue, Tapered, Elastic, Polyester	TRACKSUIT PANTS	Navy Blue, Tapered, Elastic, Polyester
SPORTS CAP	With Crest	SPORTS CAP	With Crest
TIGHTS	Black or Navy	TIGHTS	Black or Navy
D&T APRON & HAT	Blue and White	D&T APRON AND HAT	Blue and White
SOCKS	Sky Blue, Navy, Black, Light Grey or White	SOCKS	Light Grey or White
SPORT SHOES	(NOT AVAILABLE FROM UNIFORM SHOP)	SPORT SHOES	(NOT AVAILABLE FROM UNIFORM SHOP)
LEGGINGS 7/8	Navy		
SHOES	Enclosed black leather school shoes. No other footwear is accepted	SHOES	Enclosed black leather school shoes. No other footwear is accepted

DANCE UNIFORM	MUSIC UNIFORM	TECHNICAL CREW UNIFORM
Plain coloured Leotard Black footless tights Navy blue shorts (PE) or black footless tights Blue sports polo shirt	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plain black Blouse/Shirt (No logos) • Plain black Skirt/Trousers Enclosed black leather shoes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plain black T-shirt with logo • Black trousers • Enclosed black leather shoes

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Newtown High School of the Performing Arts PDHPE & Sport Uniform

1. Students are only allowed to wear the sports uniform all day on Tuesday for Sport
2. Students must bring their sports uniform and sport shoes to school for PDHPE practical lessons on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday. Students will be given time to change in and out of the uniform.
3. Students must wear appropriate sport footwear (vans & converse are not appropriate for practical lessons)
4. Pickles Uniform shop [Shop Newtown High School Of The Performing Arts Uniforms](#)
5. Students may wear the old NHSPA sports uniform for the remainder of the year.

 <p style="text-align: center;">NHSPA Regular Fit Sports Polo</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">NHSPA Fitted Cap Sleeve Sports Polo</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">NHSPA Microfibre Track Jacket</p>
 <p style="text-align: center;">NHSPA Regular Fit Sports Shorts</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">NHSPA Short Leg Sports Shorts</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">NHSPA Navy Microfibre Trackpants</p>
 <p style="text-align: center;">NHSPA Navy 7/8 Leggings</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">NHSPA Fleece Sweatshirt</p>	