



NEWTOWN HIGH SCHOOL OF THE PERFORMING ARTS

UNIFORM POLICY

February 2021

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AIM

To improve and uphold the standard of uniform by adopting an inclusive, consistent policy throughout the school. Students need to respect the intention of the uniform policy.

The required school uniform is as follows:

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	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
Scarf	Navy, Sky Blue or Red	Scarf	Navy, Sky Blue or Red
Tights	Black or Navy	Tights	Black or Navy
D&T Apron and 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)
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
Black Leotard Black footless or stirrup tights Navy blue shorts (PE) or black footless or stirrup tights Blue sports polo shirt	Plain black Blouse/Shirt (No logos) Plain black Skirt/Trousers Enclosed black leather shoes	Plain black T-shirt with logo Black trousers Enclosed black leather shoes

PE SPORTS UNIFORM
Sport Polo shirt (no TIGHTS or LEGGINGS) Sport shorts (no VANS or CONVERSE) Tracksuit pants Joggers or sandals

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

Uniform Shop is open on THURSDAYS 8am till 1.30pm.

Uniform prices are listed on the school's website.

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

PROCEDURES FOR STUDENTS OUT OF UNIFORM

Students who arrive at school out of uniform without explanation are expected to collect a uniform pass from the swipe room before school.

A student should bring a note of explanation from a parent/carer for being out of uniform. This must be presented to the swipe room where a uniform pass will be issued without breach.

Students who do not bring a note of explanation will have a uniform breach noted on their record.

IN CLASS PROCEDURES

During every lesson, teachers are to check for students who are out of uniform. In period 1 students who are out of uniform should be sent to the swipe room by 9.10am, they will be issued with a uniform pass and a uniform breach recorded on their record. The DP in charge of lateness will reinforce the procedures that students must follow when they present to the swipe room out of uniform.

A text message will be sent to the student's parent informing them of the breach.

There will be regular, surprise uniform blitzes conducted by DP/HT visiting classrooms by year or stage groups. Students out of uniform will be sent to the swipe room for a uniform pass. These students will be interviewed by their DP and parents informed. If 100% of the class is wearing full school uniform students will receive a letter of commendation.

Persistent offenders will be placed on a DP monitoring card for at least two weeks with the student presenting to their DP every morning for a uniform check after a parent interview has been conducted. For senior students who have three breaches they will be monitored as well and may not be eligible to represent the school at various events, including leadership opportunities.

PLAYGROUND DUTY PROCEDURES

During playground duty DP/HT's should verify whether the student has a uniform pass. If not, the student should be sent to the swipe room immediately and instructed to report to their DP.

Note: No hats are to be worn in class. Students who need to change clothing for a class must be given sufficient time to change back into uniform before the end of the period.

All students are expected to wear full-school uniform, including black enclosed leather shoes on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. Students in Years 11 and 12 are expected to wear full school uniform all week.

Students in Years 7 to 10 have Sport on Tuesdays. They are expected to wear full PE uniform including sports shoes throughout the day. If, however students have timetabled classes in a practical subject like Science, Design & Technology, Food Technology, Set Design and Construction, Master Chef, Master Designer, Visual Arts, Photo Paint & Print or Ceramics they are

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expected to bring and wear black enclosed leather shoes for those lessons.

There is to be no mixing and matching of regular school uniform and sports uniform on Tuesdays. A uniform pass will be required if students present in a mix and match uniform.

Students in Years 7 to 10 on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays or Fridays must wear full school uniform to every lesson except PDHPE practicals. During timetabled practical PDHPE lessons students will change into their PE uniforms. If a class has a timetabled practical lesson during period 1 they 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.