

## Dress Code

The policy on school dress standards for students has been determined by the Goodna State School community in consultation with the school Principal and endorsed by the P&C. It is designed to contribute to and support a healthy and safe learning environment which allows all students to participate in all school activities. Respect is the 'key' at Goodna State School – Respect for Self, Respect for Others and Respect for Property. The policy is under constant review with resulting changes being effective from the commencement of the following year. Any changes to the school uniform are phased in over a period of not less than two years.

## Legislation

This policy is in accord with the following documents:

Anti-Discrimination Act 1991 (Qld)

Education (General Provisions) Act 2006 (Qld)

Workplace Health and safety Act 1989 (Qld)

Workplace Health and Safety Act and Other Acts Amendment Act 1990 (Qld)

## Guidelines

The principles of appropriate school dress standards for students are interrelated and have been addressed in this collaboratively developed policy. They include:

Responsiveness and sensitivity

Access and participation

Upholding community expectations

School community awareness

Continuity and fair trade practice

## Procedures

All students are required to wear the community approved, correct school uniform and take pride in it. If the circumstances are such that a student cannot wear the

uniform on a particular day, a note from parents/caregivers giving the reasons must be supplied. If there is no note, the school will presume that the student is deliberately resisting the uniform policy without parental permission. In these circumstances and in some cases even though a note has been supplied, the school reserves the right to provide the student with a uniform for the day from the school's emergency uniform pool. If the student is out of uniform without a reasonable explanation, he/she can expect consequences, e.g. detention.

#### Goodna State School Uniform

Boys Uniform gold, purple and black shirt, black shorts

Girls Uniform gold, purple and black shirt, black shorts

Hat black school bucket hat

Shoes closed in shoes, no sandals or thongs, (in swimming season allowances are made for years one and two students)