UNIFORM

Convenor: Annie Rountree
Committee: Student Learning Committee

Purpose:
- To create a sense of collective and individual pride within students and to promote their identification with the school.
- To promote the safety of students when travelling to and from school, attending excursions and other out of school activities.
- To provide a dress code that is accessible to all school students attending Bimbadeen Heights Primary School.
- To minimize competition and peer pressure.

Guidelines:
- DEECD guidelines will be followed in all matters pertaining to the school uniform, including upholding human rights and anti-discrimination requirements, health and safety considerations, State School Relief and supply arrangements.
- School Council will determine school uniform after consultation with the school community and will communicate their dress code to the school community.
- Any item previously purchased but subsequently deleted from the uniform schedule will continue to be accepted as school uniform.
- All students will wear school uniform on a daily basis.
- The uniform colours are navy and gold.
- The cost and availability of uniforms must reflect the capacity of parents to purchase them.
- Where possible, the school will provide a second hand purchasing option.
- Arrangements may be made for parents who are experiencing difficulty in purchasing the school uniform.
- The Uniform Shop will be open on a regular basis at a time determined by the Uniform Committee.
- Free dress days may be organised throughout the year.
- Implementing and enforcing dress codes shall be in accordance with the DEECD guidelines.

Basis of Discretion:
Exemptions will be determined in accord with DEECD Dress Code Exemption Policy.

Related Policies:
Sun Smart
Excursions
Sport
School Photographs.

DATE OF SCHOOL COUNCIL APPROVAL: MAY 2013