Richmond Hill State School is a strict uniform school. The policy is created and supported by our Parents and Citizens' Association to promote 100% adherence to the uniform standard. Our student dress code consists of an agreed standard and items of clothing, which we encourage to be worn proudly to honour our school every day as well as when attending or representing the school, travelling to and from school, and engaging in school activities out of school hours. Richmond Hill State School Parents and Citizens' Association supports a student dress code policy because it believes that a student dress code provides clothing that aims to contribute to a safe and supportive teaching and learning environment by:

- readily identifying students and non-students at school;
- fostering a sense of belonging and pride;
- developing mutual respect among students by minimising visible evidence of economic or social differences.
- promoting an effective teaching and learning environment by eliminating the distraction of dress and fashion.
- reflecting school community standards and consistency with occupational health and safety and anti-discrimination legislation.
- Meeting the school’s is a sun-safe policy.

Inappropriate dress refers to clothing or apparel worn by students that is deemed to be: offensive; likely to disrupt or negatively influence normal school operations; is unsafe and/or likely to result in a risk to health and safety of student or others. In circumstances where inappropriate or unreasonable dress is worn, appropriate action will be taken.

**BOYS and GIRLS UNIFORM**

- **Black** sports or tailored shorts or pleated skirt— straight front band, two tucks side, elastic back.
- NO bike pants or fashion shorts.
- Richmond Hill State School purple and gold polo neck t-shirt

**SENIOR STUDENTS (Year Seven)**

Students in Year Seven may opt to wear a Richmond Hill State School purple and gold polo neck Seniors Shirt

**FOOTWEAR**

- Standard wear includes Sandshoes or enclosed Shoes.
- Black shoes are worn by school representatives on formal occasions.
- White socks

**HATS**

- Richmond Hill State School Bucket Hat or Wide Brimmed Hat. Prep students wear a purple hat.
- All others wear a gold hat.

**INTERHOUSE COLOURED – T-SHIRTS**

- **TITLEY HOUSE** - blue
- **CUNNINGHAM HOUSE** - green
- **BURDEKIN HOUSE** - red

**JEWELLERY**

- Limited jewellery —no excessive adornment of jewellery
- No Charity Bands (except for special occasions)
- A watch is acceptable
- Pierced earrings – sleepers or studs only.
- Medical alert bracelet or necklace (notify administration)
- Items of cultural or religious belief (notify administration).

**SCHOOL BAND**

- Long black slacks or trousers.
- White long or short sleeved shirt.
- School tie. (Purchased from school office).

**CHEER LEADERS**

- Black pleated skirt with ‘bummers’ under.
- School Shirt

**SCHOOL LEADERS**

- Long black slacks or trousers.
- White long or short sleeved shirt.
- School blazer borrowed from administration.
- School Akubra hat borrowed (outdoor events)
- School tie.

**LOCATIONS FOR PURCHASE**

- Polo shirts are available from Titley’s Store Gill Street.
- Pre-loved polo shirts and new school ties are available from the School Office.