UNIFORM POLICY
REGULATIONS

The wearing of HCS uniform is compulsory. Parents are expected to ensure that their children attend HCS in the correct uniform at all times. Failure to wear a required uniform item should be accompanied by a note of explanation. A note is required for every day. Please note that continued breaches in adhering to the uniform policy have the potential to lead to a period of suspension.

All uniform items are to be kept in a good condition. Any uniform article which has holes in or shows clear wear and tear needs to be replaced or fixed. Please ensure hems of dresses, shirts and trousers are maintained. Trousers should not be touching the ground. Girls hem length is clearly stated in the policy for both summer and winter uniforms.

Summer Uniform is to be worn in terms 1 & 4 and Winter Uniform is to be worn in terms 2 & 3. There should be no mixing of winter/ and summer uniform. In the last two weeks of term 1 and term 3 either summer or winter uniform may be worn because of the change of seasons.

All HCS items are available from the Uniform Shop. Cash, cheque or EFTPOS are required at time of purchase.

**Bags:** HCS bags only.

**Hats:** HCS hats must be worn in term 1 & 4 and are optional in term 2 & 3. This still conforms to the Sun Smart Policy.

**Beanies:** HCS beanies may be worn in term 2 & 3.

**Hairstyles:** Hair must be kept in a neat & tidy condition at all times. Hair colouring is to be kept to natural colourings only. Students will be required to rectify the breach ASAP. Possible exclusion from school may result until the breach is rectified.

**Girls**

- **JP/Primary**
  - Hair must be tied back with accessories as mentioned below.

- **Middle/Senior**
  - Hair may be worn down in a tidy manner (long fringes pulled back from the face) or hair tied back with accessories as mentioned below.

**Boys**

- Hair must be kept neat and tidy. No shaved, number 1 or 2 hairstyles, rat’s tails, dreadlocks or hair longer than collar length are not permitted. Unkempt (dishevelled, messy) hairstyles are not permitted.

**Hair Accessories:** Small plain hair accessories in black, brown, white, dark green, navy or Harvest gold are permitted, or accessories that are available for purchase through the Uniform Shop.

**Jewellery:** Watches, Medic-alerts, and a gold/silver necklace with one small pendant is permitted. Harvest staff may request the removal of such jewellery for OHSW reasons.

- **No rings, bracelets or bangles may be worn during the normal school day.**
- **Allowable piercings:** 1 pair of small plain sleepers or small plain stud earrings (girls only) in earlobes only.
- **No visible piercings, tattoos or Henna allowed during the normal school day.**

**Make-up:** Foundation – Yr 6: No makeup is allowed. Yr 7 - 12: Light natural looking foundation/ tinted moisturiser, soft eye make-up (not heavy) and clear lip gloss.
**Nails:** All students are to keep nails neat and tidy.  
JP/ Primary  No nail polish or acrylic nails are permitted.  
Middle/Senior School  Clear plain nail polish, short acrylic nails or classic French manicure are permitted.  
Students will be required to remove any breaches immediately.

**Nametags:** Are compulsory on all clothing items, hats and HCS bags.

**Parkas / gloves:** When necessary plain dark green or plain navy parkas may be worn over winter uniform. Dark green or navy full finger gloves.

**Shaving:** Boys must be clean shaven during normal school hours. Exception to this rule may occur whilst on Outdoor Education camps.

**Shoes:** Any black, leather or leather-look school shoes / brown school sandals. **Any fashion shoes, volley style or skate shoes are not permitted.** Shoes must be **all black** and sandals must be **all brown.** For safety reasons shoes must not have a heel that exceeds 25mm.

**Socks:** ALL socks must be purchased from the Uniform Shop.

**Sports:** Students must wear proper sports shoes as per policy. Students without proper shoes will be unable to participate in the sport lesson and will be issued with the appropriate penalty for incorrect shoes. If in doubt of what an appropriate sports shoe is parents can contact the Sports Coordinator via the School Office.

**Sunglasses:** Plain styles sunglasses may be worn but must be UV rated.

**Transition Allowances:** Students moving from Primary to Middle School or Middle School to Senior School may request early purchase of new section uniform in term 4 of Year 6 or Year 9.

*Students who are found to be repetitively in breach of policy standards will receive the appropriate breach of behaviour penalties and are at risk of possible exclusion from school depending on the seriousness and repetitive nature of the breach until the breach is rectified. If you have any difficulties in maintaining the uniform standards then please communicate with the home group teachers to work out a solution. Notes must accompany any breach to avoid the student being penalised. Please be reminded that notes are only acceptable for one day. Extended or repetitive periods of grace can only be approved by the Principal.*
FOUNDATION TO YEAR 6

GIRLS:

SUMMER (term 1 and 4)
HCS Primary School dress (Dress length to be on kneecap)
HCS green hat
HCS dark green anklet socks (not compulsory with sandals)
HCS windcheater/HCS polar fleece jacket
HCS sport briefs
Brown school sandals or black school shoes

WINTER (term 2 and 3)
HCS windcheater/HCS polar fleece jacket
HCS waterproof, fleecy lined jacket
HCS navy primary polo (long or short sleeved)
HCS tartan skirt (kneecap to mid-calf length)
Dark green tights or dark green knee-high socks (must be pulled up)
HCS navy beanie or scarf
Black school shoes

SPORT
HCS sport polo
HCS sport shorts or track pants
HCS sport socks
HCS green hat (required term 1 & 4 only)
HCS navy beanie or scarf (term 2 & 3 only)
HCS windcheater/ HCS polar fleece jacket
HCS waterproof, fleecy lined jacket
Sport shoes (sandshoes)

All primary students are required to have a library bag.

For extra warmth students can wear white or natural coloured undergarments. Please ensure they are not visible.
FOUNDATION TO YEAR 6

BOYS:

SUMMER (term 1 and 4)
HCS navy primary polo (long or short sleeved)
HCS grey shorts
HCS grey socks (not compulsory with sandals)
HCS green hat
HCS windcheater/HCS polar fleece jacket
Brown school sandals or black school shoes

WINTER (term 2 and 3)
HCS windcheater/HCS polar fleece jacket
HCS waterproof, fleecy lined jacket
HCS navy primary polo (long or short sleeved)
HCS dark grey trousers
HCS navy beanie or scarf
HCS grey socks
Black school shoes

SPORT
HCS sport polo
HCS sport shorts or track pants
HCS sport socks
HCS green hat (required term 1 & 4 only)
HCS navy beanie or scarf (term 2 & 3 only)
HCS windcheater/ HCS polar fleece jacket
HCS waterproof, fleecy lined jacket
Sport shoes (sandshoes)

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MIDDLE SCHOOL (Yr 7 - Yr 9)

GIRLS:

SUMMER (term 1 and 4)
HCS Secondary dress (dress length to be on kneecap)
HCS green hat
HCS white socks (optional with sandals)
HCS middle school jumper/HCS polar fleece jacket
Brown school sandals or black school shoes

WINTER (term 2 and 3)
HCS middle school jumper/HCS polar fleece jacket
HCS waterproof, fleecy lined jacket
HCS gold polo
HCS tartan skirt (kneecap to mid-calf length)
HCS dark green tights or dark green knee-high socks (must be pulled up)
HCS navy beanie or scarf
Black school shoes

SPORT
HCS sport shorts or track pants
HCS sport polo
HCS sport socks
HCS green hat (required term 1 & 4 only)
HCS navy beanie or scarf (term 2 & 3 only)
HCS rugby jumper/ HCS middle school jumper
HCS polar fleece jacket
HCS waterproof, fleecy lined jacket
Sport shoes (sandshoes)

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MIDDLE SCHOOL (YR 7 – YR 9)

BOYS:

SUMMER (term 1 and 4)
HCS green polo
HCS grey shorts or HCS grey trousers
HCS green hat
Brown school sandals or black school shoes
HCS grey socks (optional with sandals)
HCS middle School jumper

WINTER (term 2 and 3)
HCS middle school jumper/HCS polar fleece jacket
HCS waterproof, fleecy lined jacket
HCS green polo
HCS dark grey trousers
HCS grey anklet socks
HCS navy beanie or scarf
Black school shoes

SPORT
HCS navy sport shorts or track pants
HCS sport polo
HCS sport socks
HCS green hat (required term 1 & 4 only)
HCS navy beanie or scarf (term 2 & 3 only)
HCS rugby jumper/ HCS middle school jumper
HCS polar fleece jacket
HCS waterproof, fleecy lined jacket
Sport shoes (sandshoes)

For extra warmth students can wear white or natural coloured undergarments. Please ensure they are not visible.
SENIOR SCHOOL (Yr 10 -12)

GIRLS:

SUMMER (term 1 and 4)
HCS Secondary dress
HCS senior jumper
HCS white socks (optional with sandals)
HCS navy hat
Black school shoes or brown school sandals
Year 12 only: Year 12 jumper

WINTER (term 2 and 3)
HCS white girl’s shirt
HCS tartan skirt (kneecap to mid-calf length)
HCS navy pants (with HCS navy socks)
HCS senior jumper
Navy tights or navy HCS knee-high socks (with skirt)
HCS navy beanie or scarf
HCS tie (optional)
HCS navy blazer with tie - optional
Black school shoes
Year 12 only: Year 12 Jumper

SPORT
HCS navy sport shorts or track pants
HCS sports polo
HCS sport socks
HCS senior jumper or HCS rugby jumper
Year 12 only: Year 12 jumper
HCS navy hat (required term 1 & 4 only)
HCS navy beanie or scarf (term 2 & 3 only)
Sport shoes (sandshoes)

Please ensure that undergarments worn with white shirt are white or of natural colouring and are not visible.
SENIOR SCHOOL (Yr 10-12)

**BOYS:**

**SUMMER (term 1 and 4)**
- HCS white unisex shirt
- HCS navy shorts or HCS navy trousers
- HCS senior jumper
- HCS navy socks
- HCS navy hat
- HCS tie (optional)
- Black school shoes
- Year 12 only: year 12 jumper

**WINTER (term 2 and 3)**
- HCS white unisex shirt
- HCS navy trousers
- HCS senior jumper
- HCS navy socks
- HCS navy beanie or scarf
- HCS tie (optional)
- HCS navy blazer with tie - optional
- Black school shoes
- Year 12 only: Year 12 jumper

**SPORT**
- HCS navy sport shorts or track pants
- HCS sport polo
- HCS sport socks
- HCS navy jumper or HCS rugby jumper
- Year 12 only: Year 12 jumper
- HCS navy hat (required term 1 & 4 only)
- HCS navy beanie or scarf (term 2 & 3 only)
- Sport shoes (sandshoes)

*Please ensure that undergarments worn with white shirt are white or of natural colouring and are not visible.*
Casual Dress Policy

**Casual Days:** This Policy has been prepared to provide guidance for parents, staff and students as regards to student dress when non-school uniform items are worn. It applies on occasions such as excursions, camps, gold-coin donation days, out-of school hours visits or events, swimming lessons and any other occasion when students are not wearing school uniform, but are participating in a school activity, both during or after school hours.

- Any casual clothes items should be clean and tidy, with no visible tears or stains.
- Slogans or writing on clothing or bags should not contradict the Christian ethos of Harvest Christian School.
- Clothing should be weather appropriate.
- Clothing should be SunSmart (i.e. no tank tops, singlet tops or crop tops).
- Shorts or skirts should be no shorter than mid-thigh (similar to sports uniform length) with no underwear visible.
- Tops should not be low cut, revealing the midriff or transparent.
- All clothing and shoes **must** be suitable for classroom activities.
- Thongs and ugg boots are not allowed for safety reasons.

**Students who do not follow this policy will not be allowed to participate in the event/activity. Parents will be contacted if students fail to comply with this policy to bring appropriate clothing or to take the student home.**

Please note: Jewellery requirements are as per the standard uniform policy

**Prefects or Formal Dinners:** Students are expected to dress appropriately for the occasions.

- **Boys** - suit/shirt/tie (optional)
- **Girls** - formal dress, taking note of the ethos of a Christian School.