

## UNIFORM POLICY

## Student Compliance and Consequences

The College Uniform Policy at Mater Maria Catholic College aims to create a sense of identity and belonging for students in our community. Wearing the uniform correctly and with pride not only reflects a positive attitude from the students, it also helps to maintain the excellent reputation of the College in our community.

Complying with the College uniform and dress code is the responsibility of all students. Students are expected to wear their uniform with pride and this will be monitored from when they arrive at school until they leave at the end of the school day.

## Student Compliance with Uniform/Grooming

Students who are consistently well groomed and wear their uniform with pride will be recognised through the College Merit System and College Reports.

## Student Non-Compliance with Uniform/Grooming

If a student breaches the uniform code, there will be a tiered approach of consequences in order to assist the student in following the College expectations.

Student consequences for non-compliance may include:

- demerit
- lunch detention
- short afternoon detention
- long afternoon detention
- Internal school isolation at recess and lunch
- phone call/meeting with the parents

In the case of continued student non-compliance with the uniform expectations, this will be referred to the Year Coordinator who may then refer it to the Director of Pastoral Care/Assistant Principal who will in turn follow up with the student's non-compliance.

Please contact your child's Year Coordinator if you have any questions about this.