



# CHRYSALIS STEINER SCHOOL

educating the whole child

## **DRESS CODE SUMMARY FOR PRIMARY AND MIDDLE SCHOOL**

- Hats are compulsory in the playground. No hat = no play. Hats with slogans, cartoons, distracting pictures or brand names larger than pocket-size are not suitable for school.
- Hair needs to be worn clear of the face. Make-up is not allowed at school.
- Jewellery should be kept to a minimum. Dangling earrings are not safe or suitable for school.
- Children should be dressed appropriately for the weather. In cold and damp weather, we ask parents to insist on warm clothing. Loose clothing is suggested for summer, however midriff tops and tops with shoe-string straps are not acceptable at any time.
- Clothes with slogans, cartoons, fluorescent colours, camouflage pattern or distracting pictures are not suitable for a classroom situation and are unacceptable.
- Brand names are permitted provided they are no larger than pocket-sized and are not offensive.
- Plain colours are recommended. Black clothing is not suitable for children in Kindergarten, Class 1 through to 5.
- Shorts and skirts must be of a length which allows for freedom of movement and play. (Stretchy shorts to be worn under skirts or dresses for freedom of movement.)
- Sandals and closed shoes are acceptable; thongs, platform shoes or high heels are not.
- Shoes must be worn in the playground during winter. During May and September, shoes must be worn unless otherwise directed by the teachers.
- Children must wear shoes whilst travelling to and from school on the bus.

## **Middle School Dress Code Summary Classes 6-8**

- Make-up is not allowed at school.
- Children should be dressed appropriately for the weather. In cold and damp weather, we ask parents to insist on warm clothing. Loose clothing is suggested for summer, however midriff tops and tops with shoestring straps are not appropriate or acceptable at any time.
- Clothes with slogans, cartoons, or distracting pictures are not suitable for a classroom situation and are unacceptable.
- Shorts and skirts must be of a length which allows for freedom of movement and play. (Stretchy shorts to be worn under skirts or dresses for freedom of movement. Shorts to be the length of your arms hanging by your sides fingers straight.)
- Dangling earrings are not safe or suitable for school.
- Sandals and closed shoes are acceptable; thongs, platform shoes or high heels are not.
- Shoes must be worn in the playground during winter. During May and September, shoes must be worn unless otherwise directed by the teachers.
- Children must wear shoes whilst traveling to and from school on the bus.