Uniform Code Statement
The Stretton State College P & C have determined that our College is a full uniform College. The College Uniform is regarded by
the College community as being important in its role in encouraging a sense of self-esteem, belonging and self-discipline in
students through to their adolescence. The College Uniform of Stretton State College is designed:
  • To give students a sense of purpose that lends itself to the process of learning in our educational environment
  • To ensure that outsiders who wish to intrude into our college grounds are readily identifiable.
  • To cater for elements of safety, comfort, climate, modesty, cost, efficiency, social equity and activity.

Relevant legislation and policy
This policy has been developed in accordance with the Education (General Provisions) Act 2006 (Sections 360-363) and the
Department of Education and Training policy Student Dress Code in relation to implementing student dress codes in Queensland
State schools. The policy clearly outlines the schools response to non-compliance with regard to the Student Dress Code at
Stretton State College. The College Dress Code is endorsed by the P & C Association.

Expectations
All students are expected to observe the details of correct attire and must be wearing the complete dress uniform or sports uniform
in accordance with school routine. Students should present in a neat and tidy manner at all times, including on their way to and
home from the College. This high standard will ensure that our students continue to represent themselves and the College in an
outstanding way.

The uniform routines include:
  • Prep students will wear sports uniform every day.
  • In Years 1 to 6, formal uniform is to be worn on three days each week. These days may vary according to the year level
    and class.
  • In Years 1 to 6, sports uniform is to be worn on two days each week. These days will be identified by the class teacher.
  • In Years 7 to 12, formal uniform is to be worn every Tuesday.
  • In Years 7 to 12, sports uniform is to be worn only on Wednesday’s and days in which students have HPE/Dance on
    their timetable (with the exception of Tuesday).

Students not in correct uniform must have a note, email or phone call to the school from a parent/caregiver explaining the reason.
The preferred option is a signed note to be given to the class teacher (Prep to 6) or front office (7 to 12) at the commencement of
the school day and staff will arrange for the student to be given a uniform slip. These will be accepted for specified and temporary
reasons rather than long-term waivers of the uniform expectations.

UNIFORM SHOP IS SITUATED ON THE ILLAWEENA CAMPUS
The Uniform shop is located at the Illaweena Campus. For Uniform Shop opening times please check with Administration or our
school’s latest newsletter or via our website on www.strettonsc.eq.edu.au (newsletters). There is also EFTPOS available for your
convenience. Uniform Shop opening hours may vary to demand.
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Shoes
- Black, fully enclosed hard leather lace-up school shoes are to be worn with the formal uniform.
- Lace-up (or Velcro for Prep) athletic style sport shoes are required for the sports uniform.
- No skate shoes, slip-ons, boots, coloured laces, ballet type, volley’s or Dunlop Volley’s, canvas or suede shoes will be accepted. These shoes do not provide sufficient protection when students are participating in learning experiences or in the playground.

Jewellery
A watch and one earring (plain sleepers or studs) per ear for pierced ears are the only jewellery items permitted to be worn at school. No other jewellery is acceptable. Other piercings or facial studs, including tongue studs of any kind are not to be worn to the College. Clear alternatives are not acceptable or permitted. No other accessories are to be worn. Parents of students who for religious, cultural or health reasons may need to modify the uniform code are required to make an appointment with the Campus Principal for further discussion.

Hair and Makeup
All students at the College are to be well groomed and the following must be adhered to:
- Hairstyles must be neat, clean, tidy and well-maintained
  - Students with long hair are encouraged to tie their hair back with a navy or maroon hair tie. Long hair is to be tied back for practical lessons.
  - It is unacceptable for hair to be coloured or dyed a non-natural colour.
  - Extreme hairstyles such as mohawks, tracks, rats’ tails or shaved sections are not permitted.
  - Accessories are not permitted. These include but are not limited to bandanas, beanies, other brightly coloured headwear. Only SSC colour hair ribbons/bows/scrunchies/ clips are permitted. These are available from the Uniform shop.
  - Eyeliner, eye shadow, mascara and other makeup is not permitted.
  - Nail polish is not permitted.
  - Tattoos, if present, must be covered by the school uniform.

Consequences of noncompliance with Dress Code
Students will be asked to remove items that are not part of the College uniform. Consequences for students not in correct uniform without an explanatory note might mean contact home to parents, prevention from partaking in school activities, or detention. Repeat offences an item may be temporarily held in safe keeping at the office until 3:00pm.

If a student does not comply with a dress code for school students, developed under section 360 of the Act, the school principal, working within the DET Policy and Procedure - Student Dress Code, may impose the following appropriate disciplinary consequences:
1. Detention of the student for a period of 20 minutes in time
2. Prevent the student from attending, or participating in any activity for which the student would have been representing the school;
3. Prevent the student from attending, or participating in, any school activity that, in the reasonable opinion of the school principal, is not part of the essential educational program of the school.
4. If a student continues to be out of uniform and fails to complete the detention, this will be considered as 'wilful disobedience' and as such students may be suspended from school.

Workplace Health and Safety
Due to Workplace Health and Safety regulations students’ footwear must provide adequate protection and cover the entire foot. Footwear selection must also take into account the health benefits of growing children wearing supportive footwear to minimise future health risks.
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## Sports Uniform

Atlantic blue and maroon polo shirt with navy sport shorts  
White Stretton socks with navy and maroon trim  
Athletic style sport shoes (athletic style) lace up.

## Winter Uniform

Knit Pullover only to be worn with Formal Uniform (1-12)  
Navy Fleece Jumper with Maroon trim and Stretton logo is ONLY to be worn with Sports Uniform/Tracksuit  
Navy Stretton school tracksuit (jackets may be purchased separately)  
Tracksuit jacket/Fleece jumper are NOT to be worn with Formal Uniform (Year 1-12)  
Navy Stretton Scarf (optional) with Stretton logo (Years 7-12). No other scarves permitted

## School Bag

Stretton State College School Bag only (Backpack/Sports bag/Satchel varieties) – compulsory  
N.B. SSC Backpacks (Senior/Junior) have a lifetime warranty against manufacturing fault.

## School Hat

Stretton State College Panama Hat (Girls Year 7-12)  
Stretton State College Boys Formal Hat (Boys Year 7-11)  
Stretton State College Sun Safety Hat or Cap (Year 7-12). (no other hats/caps are permitted)

## Formal Shoes and Socks – Boys and Girls

### Acceptable

- Girls socks
- Boys socks prep – Year 3

### Unacceptable

- Boys Socks Year 4 - 12

## Sports Uniform Shoes and Socks

### Acceptable

- Athletic style sport shoes

### Unacceptable

- Non-athletic style shoes
Bags

Acceptable

Unacceptable

Hats and Ribbons

Acceptable

Unacceptable

Uniforms

Acceptable

Year 7-12
Formal Uniform
(Boys tie Years 10-12)

Years 7 – 12
Sports Uniform

Prep Uniform

Year 1 - 3
Formal and sports uniform

Year 4 – 6
Formal and sports uniform

Year 7-12
Elwoodena Sport only
Prep – Year 6
Year 4 – 12

Illaweena Sport only
Prep – Year 6
Year 4 – 12

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