

WIERDA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL

"RESPECT FOR ALL"

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UNIFORM & APPEARANCE - 2023

We have a cost effective and comfortable uniform that is predominantly available from chain stores and the school.

Primary School – From Gr.1

In *summer*, all pupils wear:

Blue Golf Shirt with the name of the school embroidered (Buy at school). Blue Short's or <u>long</u> blue denim pants (neat without bleach or tears). (Buy at retail store) Navy DriMac with name of school embroidered. (Buy at school). Navy Jersey (Buy at retail store) Shoes: Bare feet or Navy, grey, black or blue Tekkies or black school shoes and Navy or Black short Socks.

In *winter*

Royal Blue Golf Shirt with name of school embroidered (Buy at school). Navy or white long sleeve shirt underneath. (Buy at retail store) Dark long blue Denim pants. (neat without bleach or tears). Navy jersey. (Buy at retail store) Navy DriMac with name of school embroidered. (Buy at school). Scarfs and gloves hinder learners when they work and gets lost. No Scarfs and gloves allowed. Shoes: Navy, grey, black or blue Tekkies or black school shoes and Navy / Black Socks.

School bag: Backpack with sturdy dividers. NO Caddi's

High School – from Gr.7

FORMAL UNIFORM

Grey long pants (Buy at retail store) Boys may wear Grey short pants with long grey socks. (Buy at retail store) White short sleeve buttoned shirt. (Buy at retail store) Navy or Black short Socks and black school shoes. Navy Jersey. (Buy at retail store) Navy blazer with school badge on the pocket (Buy badge at school) (Compulsory for Gr.12). Drimac <u>NOT</u> allowed with Formal uniform. Tie (Buy at school) (Compulsory for Gr.12)

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FRIDAYS

Blue Golf Shirt with the name of the school embroidered (Buy at the school). In winter Navy or white long sleeve shirt underneath. (Buy at retail store) Long blue denim pants (Neat without tears or bleach, etc.).(Buy at retail store) Navy Drimac with the name of the school embroidered (Buy at school). Navy Jersey. (Buy at retail store) Navy, grey, black or blue Tekkies or black school shoes. Navy or black Socks. (Buy at retail store) Blazers <u>NOT</u> allowed with Friday uniform.

<u>Gr.1 - 12</u>

Girls Hair

All hair must be brushed. If hair is long enough to be tied back, it must be tied back neatly in a ponytail. Braids are allowed, Braids shorter than collar length must be kept off and out of the face / braids longer than collar length must be tied. No beads or decorations in the hair. Hair must be clean and neat. Fringes may not touch the brows.

If hair is worn short, it must be neat and not hang over the lowest fold of the collar.

No loose trials may hang over the eyes or ears.

Hair may not be partly shaved.

Long and braided hair must be neatly tied back.

Those with long hair must use plain navy hair accessories.

Hair is not allowed to be stacked to high on your head, to make it difficult for others to see. Extreme hairstyles are not allowed.

Girls may wear plain studs in their ears. One earring per ear allowed at school. No nail polish allowed. No make-up allowed.

BOYS HAIR

Hair must be clean and combed.Hair must not have discernable steps.When combed forward, fringes are not allowed to touch the eyebrow.Hair on top may be a maximum length of 2 fingers.Hair over the ears and collar is not allowed.No dying or bleaching of hair.No highlights. Braided hair is not allowed. No dreadlocks.Extreme hairstyles are not allowed.

Sideburns may not be longer than the middle of the ear and face must be clean shaven at all times.

Boys may not wear any piercings. Boys must be clean shaved.

THE ABOVE REGULATIONS WILL BE USED AS A GUIDELINE AND THE FINAL DECISION AS TO THE ACCEPTABILITY OF ANY PARTICULAR HAIRSTYLE WILL REST WITH THE SCHOOL'S MANAGEMENT.

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