

Ready Respectful Safe

Uniform Policy

UNIFORM

EXPECTATIONS

The correct College uniform is to be worn coming to and going from the College. The Xavier uniform requirements are available from the College Uniform Shop. **The Uniform shop is open at the College every Monday from 8.00am - 12.00pm and Thursday from 12.00pm - 4.00pm.**

Uniform is important for a number of reasons:

- It is a symbol of the College and a public declaration of its values, standards and beliefs
 - It creates a sense of collective and individual pride in students and their identification with the College
 - It is a symbol of equality among students
 - It demonstrates mutual respect
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- **Xavier College reserves the right to enforce these uniform guidelines and will make every effort to do so fairly and consistently.**
 - **Noncompliance with uniform rules will incur serious consequences**
 - **Old Style Blazer (plain black) can no longer be purchased this applies to either new or second hand.**

Please be aware of the correct uniform for your child's year when purchasing secondhand clothing.

The tables on the following pages show the specific uniform requirements for junior students Years 7-10 and senior students Years 11-12.

Shop for uniforms In store & online

Blacktown Mega Centre,
14 St Martina Crescent
Phone 8796 2100

Junior Uniform



Female	Male
Summer: Terms 1 & 4	Summer: Terms 1 & 4
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Junior Blouse - short sleeve with Crest on the pocket• College skirt/kilt/dress (optional) worn below the knee• College dress pants – black with red pinstripe (optional, phased in 2023)• Red or Black Woollen Pullover (optional)• White Socks - above the ankle when wearing the dress, skirt or kilt• Black socks when wearing the dress pants• Black leather Shoes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• School Shirt – short sleeve with crest, not tucked in• College Trousers• College Grey Shorts (Optional only in Terms 1 & 4)• Red or Black Woollen Pullover (optional)• Black Belt• Black/Grey Socks - above the ankle• Black leather Shoes
Winter: Terms 2 & 3	Winter: Terms 2 & 3
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Junior Blouse - short sleeve with Crest on the pocket• College skirt/kilt/dress (optional) worn below the knee• College dress pants – black with red pinstripe (optional, phased in 2023)• Red or Black Woollen Pullover (optional)• College Blazer * (Red Trim)• Black tights—40 Denier/70 Denier• Black socks when wearing the dress pants• Black Leather Shoes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• School Shirt – short sleeve with crest, tucked in Term 2 & Term 3• College Trousers (with black belt)• Red or Black Woollen Pullover (optional)• College Blazer * (Red Trim)• Black/Grey Socks - above the ankle• Black Leather Shoes• College Junior Tie
Sport (female and male)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• College Sport Shirt• College Shorts• College Tracksuit Jacket	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• College Tracksuit Pants• Xavier College Cap• Sport socks, above the ankle (any colour)• Athletic Shoes (any colour)
Accessories (female and male)	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Xavier College Bag• College or plain black scarf• College Beanie• Xavier Bucket Hat or cap

Senior Uniform



Female	Male
Summer: Terms 1 & 4	Summer: Terms 1 & 4
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • College skirt/kilt/dress (optional) worn below the knee • College dress pants – black with red pinstripe (optional, phased in 2023) • Senior Blouse with crest on the collar (phased in as of 2023 or as supplies become available) • Red or Black Woollen Pullover (optional) • White Socks - above the ankle when wearing the dress, skirt or kilt • Black socks when wearing the dress pants • Black leather Shoes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Senior Shirt with crest on the collar, not tucked in (phased in as of 2022) • College Trousers • College Grey Shorts (Optional only in Terms 1 & 4) • Red or Black Woollen Pullover (optional) • Black Belt • Black/Grey Socks above the ankle • Black leather Shoes
Winter: Terms 2 & 3	Winter: Terms 2 & 3
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • College Skirt/Kilt/Dress (optional) worn below the knee • College dress pants – black with red pinstripe (optional, phased in 2023) • Senior Blouse- with crest on the collar (phased in as of 2023 <u>or as supplies become available</u>) • Red or Black Woollen Pullover (optional) • College Blazer * (Red Trim) • Black tights—40 Denier/70 Denier • Black socks when wearing the dress pants • Black Leather Shoes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Senior Shirt with crest on the collar, tucked in (phased in as of 2022) • College Trousers (with black belt) • Red or Black Woollen Pullover (optional) • College Blazer * (Red Trim) • Black/Grey Socks - above the ankle • Black Leather Shoes • College Senior Tie
Accessories	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Xavier College Bag • College or plain black scarf • College Beanie • Xavier Bucket Hat or cap 	

BAGS

Students are only permitted to use the designated College backpack. If they are unable to fit extra equipment such as sporting gear or clothing into their College backpacks, students may bring a school sports bag. Both bags are available from the College Uniform Shop and only these College bags are to be used for all students.

HAIR

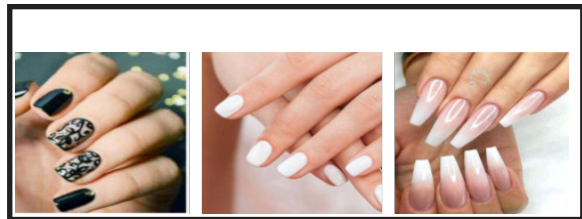
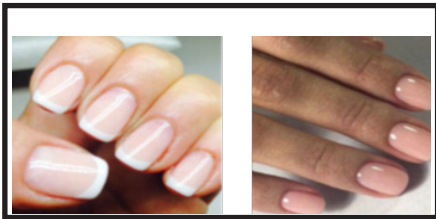
Hair is to be kept tidy. If longer than the base of the shirt collar the length of hair is to be secured back in a ponytail, bun braids, plaits, etc. Simple hair accessories in College colours may be worn. Extremes of hair fashion are not acceptable. Hair must be of consistent natural hair colour. Layers or undercuts must have minimal variation in length and the College reserves the right to have a student modify their hair if it does not meet the College standards and expectations.

In practical classrooms, WHS laws require that hair be covered or tied back at all times.

Boys are required to be clean shaven.

MAKEUP

Makeup is not to be worn to school by junior girls. Makeup may be worn by senior students if applied in a light and natural manner. Girls will be asked to remove makeup immediately. Only clear or French tip nail polishes will be permitted. Nails must be kept in a natural length and shape (not pointed).



DRESS CODE FOR BOYS

- The College blazer is worn to school in Terms 2 and 3, into Tutor Group and from school. For extra warmth, the boys are to wear the Red or Black Woollen Pullover (optional)
- Xavier jumper, under the blazer. The blazer has a RED trim.
- Senior boys (Years 11-12) are expected to wear the Xavier Senior shirt in summer and in winter and must be tucked in during Term 2-3.
- Junior boys (Years 7-10) are expected to wear the Xavier junior shirt in summer. (This shirt is short sleeved and is an out shirt, which does not need to be tucked in) In Terms 2 & 3 the shirt is tucked in.
- In Years 7 & 8 during Terms 2 and 3, the junior shirt is worn. (This shirt is a white long-sleeved shirt, which needs to be tucked in and the sleeves to remain secured and unrolled).
- Boys wear College grey trousers in both winter and summer. Boys have the option of wearing the College grey shorts in summer (Terms 1 and 4 ONLY).
- Senior boys must wear a plain black belt all year. Junior boys are required to wear a plain black belt in Terms 2 and 3 when they wear the junior tie and their shirt is tucked in– no fashion buckles are permitted on the belt.
- Boys are required to wear black or grey school socks which are visible above the ankles.
- Boys are required to be clean shaven.
- The Year 12 jacket does not replace the College blazer.
- In Terms 2 and 3 boys wear the College tie.

DRESS CODE FOR GIRLS

- The College blazer is worn to school in Terms 2 and 3, into Tutor Group and from school. For extra warmth, the girls are to wear the red Xavier jumper, under the blazer. The blazer has a RED trim on the cuffs.
- The skirt is available to students in Year 7 & 8 and will be phased in to replace the kilt over 5 years.
- Girls must wear the kilt/skirt/dress below the knee. Kilts and skirts should not be rolled at the waist and students will be asked to adjust the hem if necessary to ensure that the kilt or skirt is maintained below the knee.
- Girls are required to wear white socks in summer which are visible above the ankles. Black stockings are to be worn with the girl's kilt, skirt and dress in winter terms.
- Girls may wear simple hair accessories in school colours of black or red only.

Acceptable Skirt Length



Acceptable Dress Length



Unacceptable Skirt Length



JEWELLERY

- Ear: One stud or standard sleeper (plain silver or gold only) may be worn in each ear for BOTH male and female students.
- Other piercings: No visible body piercings are to be evident. Tongue rings/studs, spacers are strictly prohibited.
- Keeping a piercing open will not be accepted as an excuse.
This means that 'clear' studs are NOT to be worn as they are visible.
- No band aids are to be used to cover piercings.



SPORTS UNIFORM

- Sport uniform is only to be worn during PDHPE practical lessons, on allocated sport days, or at sport carnivals.
- The official school sport uniform, consisting of the Xavier College sport shorts, Xavier College tracksuit, red Xavier polo shirt and black Xavier cap, socks visible above the shoes, are the only sporting attire permitted and should not be mixed with the school uniform or any other sport attire. Students can choose to wear the tracksuit jacket and/ or tracksuit pants depending on the weather.
- The red or black school jumpers can only be worn as an additional layer of warmth underneath the tracksuit jacket on sport days.
- Students are not permitted to wear any other sport attire.
- If for some reason students are unable to wear their full Xavier College sport uniform on sport days then they are required to wear their full school uniform to school, bring an explanatory note from parents. Students may be required to complete non-sport activities in place of sport.
- Students will NOT be permitted to represent the College in a sporting activity if they are not in their full sport uniform.
- Students must wear appropriate footwear for sport, PDHPE and any other physical activity. The footwear is to be running shoes or cross trainers. For Workplace Health and Safety standards, Rabens (laced or unlaced), cloth casual shoes, Vans, canvas gym boots or Converse boots are not permitted. These types of footwear offer no support for the feet and can result in injury that would have been unlikely with correct joggers or trainers.

OTHER JEWELLERY

- Simple/discreet gold or silver chain around the neck with an appropriate religious symbol may be worn.
- Chains should not be visible in winter.
- One plain ring, wristwatch and gold or silver bracelet may be worn.
- REMOVAL OF JEWELLERY - For safety reasons, all jewellery should be removed for sport or practical subjects.

BODY ART (TATTOOS)

- No body art to be visible.

MUFTI ATTIRE / GENERAL ATTIRE

- Mufti/general attire is worn on specific occasions e.g. Year 12 retreat, field study, theatre excursions and mufti days at school.
- Students are to be neat and tidy.
- Shirts and outerwear must be of an acceptable length and size and are not to include T-Shirts with inappropriate expressions.
- No tops, which leave the **stomach area** or **lower back** exposed are to be worn.
- No singlet tops are to be worn. All students must wear sleeved shirts/blouses.
- Normal school bag.
- Closed in shoes must be worn - no sandals or thongs (these are WH&S requirements and are not negotiable).
- No Leggings or tights are to be worn.
- Normal uniform expectations regarding hair, jewellery and makeup will be enforced.

Parents / Guardians need to be aware that students who attempt to wear clothing other than that deemed appropriate, will complete their learning in the Xavier Centre for the day or their parent/carer can drop off suitable clothing.

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