

## Uniform Policy

This policy was created after consultation with school community groups which included staff, parents and students.

### 1 PURPOSE AND RATIONALE

At Clearwater Bay School we believe that the wearing of a school uniform allows children to develop a sense of community. The correct wearing of school uniform displays a sense of pride and belonging. In response to this, we have designed a uniform that is appropriate and functional to the needs of our students and curriculum as well as to Hong Kong's changeable weather conditions. An important element of our general high levels of expectation is a high standard of dress and personal presentation and all children are expected to attend school dressed neatly in their school uniform.

### 2 CLEARWATER BAY SCHOOL UNIFORM

There is **no** distinct Summer or Winter uniform as weather in Hong Kong is unpredictable and therefore the uniform collection can be worn all year round and item combinations selected depending upon the weather conditions.

There is a distinct PE and daily uniform and children must always wear a CWBS hat when playing outdoors. Photos of the uniform are available on the school website <http://www.cwbs.edu.hk>.

Girls' Daily Uniform	Boys' Daily Uniform
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Navy skort or trousers with school logo.</li> <li>• Striped short or long sleeved blouse with school logo (girl's cut).</li> <li>• White ankle socks (<i>must be visible above the ankle</i>)</li> <li>• Navy or black tights</li> <li>• Black leather shoes (<i>not slip-on styles</i>)</li> <li>• Vest</li> <li>• Windbreaker with detachable fleece jacket (<i>this can be worn with both the PE and daily uniform</i>)</li> <li>• Legionnaires or Australian style CWBS hat</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Navy blue shorts or trousers with school logo.</li> <li>• Striped short or long sleeved blouse with school logo (boy's cut).</li> <li>• Grey ankle socks (<i>must be visible above the ankle</i>)</li> <li>• Black leather shoes (not sport styles)</li> <li>• Vest</li> <li>• Windbreaker with detachable fleece jacket (<i>this can be worn with both the PE and daily uniform</i>)</li> <li>• Legionnaires or Australian style CWBS hat</li> </ul>
P.E. Kit (Boys and Girls) (To be worn on PE days only)	Other
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CWBS short or long sleeved house coloured T-Shirt</li> <li>• Navy blue PE shorts (<i>an optional sew-on house logo is available for purchase to be sewn onto the back pocket of PE shorts</i>)</li> <li>• White or mainly white trainers</li> <li>• White ankle socks (<i>must be visible above the ankle</i>)</li> <li>• Track-suit (optional)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Your child needs to wear a CWBS sun hat (<i>an optional sew-on house logo is available for purchase to be sewn onto the back of school hat</i>).</li> <li>• Long hair is to be tied back with blue, black or white hair-ties.</li> <li>• Jewellery should not be worn at school except watches. Children who have had their ears pierced may wear plain metal stud earrings.</li> <li>• Students should not bring/wear any items of value to school</li> </ul>

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### **3 PURCHASE OF UNIFORM**

The school currently provides premises for the uniform provider to sell uniform items to parents. Uniforms can also be ordered directly through the company by filling in an order form. The PTA will also take orders to the uniform shop and receive orders for collection. All order forms and opening hours will be available on the school website. At present our uniform provider is Aston Wilson.

<http://www.cwbs.edu.hk/community/parent-teacher-association>

School Uniforms are available for sale at The Aston Wilson Uniform Shop (tel: 2873 3006), which is located on the ground floor of CWBS. The shop stocks a full range of summer and winter uniforms for girls and boys in all sizes. It is open at the following times:

**Monday: 8:15am - 11:15am**  
**Wednesday: 1:30pm - 4:30pm**

At the beginning of each term, the uniform shop will be open at extra times and days. You will be notified of these times and days through the school website and newsletter.

### **4 INCORRECT WEARING OF UNIFORM**

Parents are asked to notify his/her child's class teacher if for some reason the correct school uniform is unable to be worn. Class teachers will put a reminder in the school diary if uniform is not worn correctly and will be followed up the phase leaders if necessary.