



9<sup>th</sup> September, 2022

Dear parents and caregivers,

**Consultation – school uniform**

As you would be aware, over the last 3 years our school has been working through the process of reviewing our current school uniform. This has been led by our P&C and based on feedback from community in areas such as affordability, quality of fabrics and sun safety. We thank them for their work in this space.

The Department of Education School Uniform policy states that uniform should include items that are affordable, comfortable, made from easy-care fabrics, appropriate for activity and suitable for all body shapes. Parents and carers must be given sufficient time to purchase items and schools may need to give parents up to three years to change more costly items. This has been kept in mind with the re-design of our uniform. Additionally, decisions about school uniform requirements must comply with work health and safety, and anti-discrimination legislation.

There have been numerous opportunities to have your say, with a previous survey as well as P&C meetings. If you have not done so already, please take the time to complete the survey using the QR code on the page following this letter. Uniform samples & artwork samples will be available for community consultation beginning 9am Monday 12th September 2022, and ending 9am Monday 19th September 2022.

Our school supports the wearing of full school uniform, which promotes a sense of belonging for students and creates a positive identity for our school community.

With warm regards,

Renee Beach  
Principal



# Cudgen Public School

## UNIFORM IMPROVEMENT SAMPLES

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### POLO SHIRTS –

Our new sample polo shirts are made from 50/50 Protex fabric which is 50% cotton 50% polyester. This keeps the shirts in great condition but also the inner cotton layer keeps our children nice and cool. The shirts have a UPF50 rating.

### SHORTS –

Our new sample short is made from the same fabric as our sample polos - 50/50 Protex. The shorts are a comfortable fit with a RHS zipped pocket, LHS insert pocket and have a corded drawstring in the waistline.

### JUMPER –

Our sample artwork Jumper is a  $\frac{3}{4}$  zip high collar fleece windcheater with side zip pockets.

### SKIRT –

Our sample artwork Skirt has 4 knife pleats at the front and back. 2 adjustable side tabs and a RHS zip pocket.

Fabric for this skirt is currently being manufactured but will be similar to the current tartan fabric we use.

### DRESS –

With much conversation we have decided to implement a school dress into our uniform options. The dress has a front zip closure, knife pleats, action back & half back belt. The dress will be made from the same fabric sourced for our school skirts.

### HATS –

Our sample hats will be made from a quality fabric. The fabric is designed to be 'scrunched' into pockets and bags without losing their shape. We have the option of a double sided coloured hat that would represent your house colour, or a plain bottle green. Our school logo will be screen printed on the front.

### SCHOOL BAGS –

Our school bags will remain the same style however our school logo will be updated to reflect the new design.



# Cudgen Public School UNIFORM IMPROVEMENT

## QR CODE FOR SURVEY

**Thank you for taking the time to participate in our survey in relation to our current school uniform.**

**In the survey you will find questions and options in relation to current styles, and improved styles that we have been working really hard to produce. You will also find feedback about our current uniform items in each question.**





# Cudgen Public School UNIFORM IMPROVEMENT ARTWORK SAMPLE POLO SHIRT



**Protex Unisex Polo Shirt**  
with contrast piping,  
collar with contrast tipping  
& undercollar





# Cudgen Public School UNIFORM IMPROVEMENT ARTWORK SAMPLE SHORTS



**Protex Unisex Shorts**  
Longer leg with insert and zip pocket



# Cudgen Public School UNIFORM IMPROVEMENT ARTWORK SAMPLE SCHOOL DRESS





# Cudgen Public School UNIFORM IMPROVEMENT ARTWORK SAMPLE SCHOOL SKIRT





# Cudgen Public School UNIFORM IMPROVEMENT ARTWORK SAMPLE SCHOOL BAG





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## UNIFORM IMPROVEMENT

### ARTWORK SAMPLE

### SCHOOL JUMPER

