

# Uniform



**McAuley  
Community  
School**

A Catholic school  
in the Mercy tradition



**We are  
McAuley  
Community  
School.  
A place  
to thrive.**

We are a place of belonging built on the Mercy tradition and values of **respect, compassion, gratitude, courage** and **creativity**.

Our sense of **belonging** to a community begins with pride in our self and our uniform.

Our uniform policy was designed in consultation with families in our **community**.



## Mix and match



The popular **short sleeve polo shirt** combined with **shorts**.



The **long sleeve polo shirt** teamed with the brushed cotton lined **tracksuit pants** for comfort.

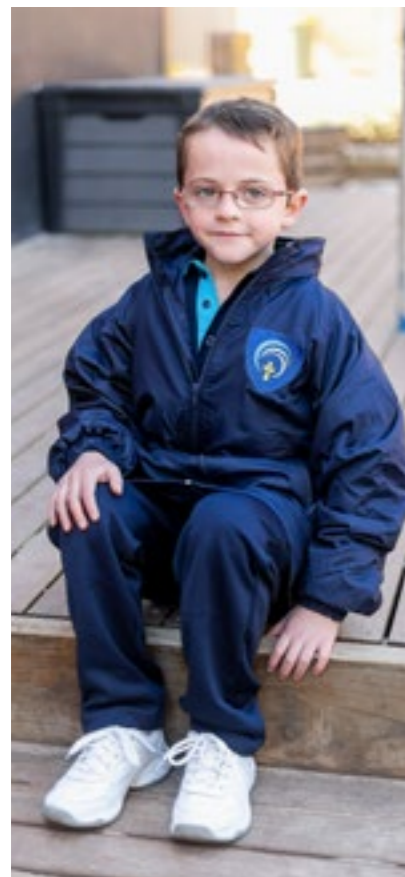


There is a choice of two optional jackets as voted by parents; the softer style water resistant **wet weather jacket** (above left) lined with lightweight micro polar fleece or the shorter style water repellent **stadium jacket** (above right). Featuring a thick polar fleece lining, this style is more popular with older children. Both jackets have hideaway hoods for rainy days.

There is a requirement to wear **predominantly white sport shoes** with white laces and we recommend The Athlete's Foot at Marion to supply our families with a professional shoe fitting service for a choice of Asics, Ascent and New Balance that meet our uniform policy.

Mention you are from our School and they will show you a choice of white shoes, available in lace or velcro and the option of mesh or a synthetic leather upper. A number of styles are orthotic and width friendly, to suit growing feet.

**We appreciate your cooperation** in adhering to this important aspect of the uniform policy.



We chose the Australian owned company Perm-A-Pleat Schoolwear with its ethical manufacturing commitment to design our new contemporary uniform called Smart Play.

What is Smart Play? It is a uniform concept designed to be a **practical, comfortable unisex uniform** for active students. It consolidates and reduces the number of items and allows children to focus on learning and play.

Both types of polo shirts and shorts are made from a revolutionary textile that is **chemical free with a 50% cotton knit** on the inside for comfort. It also offers **UPF 50+** and 98% UVR protection. Easy wash in cold water and drip dry.

**Items are interchangeable** so children can wear their long sleeve polo shirt with their shorts on a cool day. Or choose to wear their tracksuit pants with their short sleeve polo shirt if they are more comfortable that way.

Did you know our mesh shorts and tracksuit pants are both elasticised at the waist with a drawstring too for all day comfort? There is a left-hand inset pocket and a right-hand zip pocket which means no more lost lunch money!

Stay comfortable and warm in this great selection for cooler days featuring the long line **zip jumper** (second from right) with brushed cotton lining and a long-lasting polyester outer.

The wide brim **Bucket Hat**, with adjustable toggle, offers maximum sun protection. Made from microfibre, means it can be scrunched into a school bag at the end of the day. It's quick wash and dry too.



# Accessories



Shoulder length hair is to be tied back with a **navy or yellow** elastic, ribbon, scrunchie or bow. Headbands are also permitted in these colours.

The **school socks** are not pictured, though are a practical cushioned foot sport sock in navy blue with a sky-blue trim at the top.

## Did you know your child's new school backpack bag is made from 100% recycled PET bottles?

21 x 500ml bottles in fact. Perm-A-Pleat Schoolwear have introduced the new eco-textile, Duralon.

With strength and durability in mind, it also delivers in so many other areas: free from any harmful contaminants like PVC, 73% stronger than nylon, **lightweight, water resistant and breathable** which reduces the effects of moisture and odour on the inside of the bag.

The full range of the uniform is available to try at the school office, to decide the best size and options for your child. Take this checklist with you as a handy reference. Optional items are marked with an \*

CATEGORY	ITEM	SIZES AVAILABLE									
		2C	4C	6C	8C	10C	12C	14C	16C	S	M
TOPS	Short sleeve polo shirt	2C	4C	6C	8C	10C	12C	14C	16C	S	M
	Long sleeve polo shirt	2C	4C	6C	8C	10C	12C	14C	16C	S	M
	Zip jumper	2C	4C	6C	8C	10C	12C	14C	16C	14A	16A
	Stadium jacket*	4-6		6-8		8-10		10-12		12-14	
	Wet weather jacket*	2C	4C	6C	8C	10C	12C	14C	16C		
BOTTOMS	Shorts	2C	4C	6C	8C	10C	12C	14C	16C	S	M
	Tracksuit pants	2C	4C	6C	8C	10C	12C	14C	16C	14A	16A
ACCESSORIES	Bucket hat	XS-S		S-M		M-L		L-XL			
	Socks	5-8		9-12		13-3		2-8		8-11	
	School backpack bag	23L									

**To order your child's uniform and pricing, go to [www.mcs.catholic.edu.au/your-enrolment/school-uniform](http://www.mcs.catholic.edu.au/your-enrolment/school-uniform)**

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