

UNIFORM LIST AND EXPECTATIONS 2023



Loreto
COLLEGE BALLARAT | EST. 1875

SUMMER UNIFORM

COMPULSORY ITEMS - Term 1 and Term 4

- **College Summer Dress** (blue with gold and white stripes crested) – (knee length)
- AND / OR
- **College Summer Shorts** (Loreto navy)
 - **College Short-Sleeved White Shirt** - shirt is designed to be worn out over shorts or tucked in

PLUS

- **College Blazer** (Loreto blue with gold and white braid)
- **College V-necked Jumper** (Years 7-12: Loreto blue with gold and white stripe)
- **College Socks white with Loreto colour stripe** (full socks only NOT sports socks)
- **Black lace-up leather school shoes**
- **College Wide Brim Hat (Navy with logo)** - Sunsmart hat for all outside events and activities

OPTIONAL ITEMS

- Black leather belt *if required on shorts* (black is the only colour belt permitted)
- **College V-necked Vest** (Loreto blue with gold and white stripe)
- **College Cardigan** (Year 11-12 only - Loreto blue with gold and white stripes)
- **College Year 12 Vest** (Loreto blue with white stripe and Year 12 logo)



WINTER UNIFORM

COMPULSORY UNIFORM - MAY 1ST TO END OF TERM 3

- **College Winter Skirt** (Loreto blue with gold and white stripes - pleated) Medium length – knee length
- Navy Winter Tights

AND / OR

- **College Winter Trousers** (Loreto navy) - hemmed to correct length, not cuffed
- Navy Winter Socks (plain navy only)

PLUS

- **College Blazer** (Loreto blue with gold and white braid)
- **College Long-Sleeved Shirt** (white with Loreto College button and Loreto crest) - shirt must be tucked into both trousers and skirt
- **College V-necked Jumper** (Loreto blue with gold and white stripe)
- Black lace-up leather school shoes

OPTIONAL WINTER UNIFORM ITEMS

- Black leather belt - *if required on trousers*
- **College Winter Soft Shell Coat** (Loreto blue with logo) *The coat should not be worn in class.*
- **College Winter Scarf** (Loreto blue with gold and white stripe)
- **College V-necked Vest** (Loreto blue with gold and white stripe)
- **College Cardigan** (Year 11-12 only - Loreto blue with gold and white stripes)
- **College Year 12 Vest** (Year 12 only - Loreto blue with white stripe and Year 12 logo)
- Navy blue gloves



SPORTS UNIFORM

COMPULSORY

- **College Polo Shirt** (royal blue and gold with Loreto logo)
- **College Sports Shorts** (navy blue with LC logo)
- **College Track Pants** (navy blue with LC logo)
- **College Rugby Jumper** (navy blue with Loreto stripes and logo)
- **College Sports Socks** (white with Loreto colours)
- Cross Trainer /Athletic shoe with white/cream undersole.
- **College Wide Brim Hat with logo** (or optional College Sport Hat below for outside PE class and sport)

OPTIONAL

- **College Sport Hat - white peak cap with crest** (for competition sport & PE class only)
- **Navy 2XU Long Skins with LC Logo** (for competition sport & PE class only)
- **Loreto Lycra Crop Shorts with LC Logo** (for competition sport & PE class only)
- **Loreto Polar Fleece Vest with Loreto logo** (for competition sport & PE class only)
- **Loreto Sports Bag - navy with crest** (for extra sport, co-curricular equipment etc only)
- Specific sport uniforms for co-curricular sport such as rowing

NOTE: The rules associated with wearing and changing into Sport Uniform may alter according to regulations such as Covid. Please refer to the specific College directions at these times. Track Pants should always be worn over the top of skins other than PE class or sporting activity throughout the year.



COMPULSORY ACCESSORIES

The following accessories are compulsory or permitted as required:

- **College School Bag** – compulsory regulation backpack style (Loreto blue with gold crest)
- **College Sport Bag** - for sport equipment, clothing and co-curricular activity use only. Not to be used in place of College School Bag. (Navy with gold crest)
- **College Science / Art Coat** – compulsory protective item (Year 7 -10 – navy with gold crest)
- Bicycle helmet - compulsory if riding to school
- White or navy blue hair ribbons, or Loreto white ribbon (other colours NOT permitted)

The following accessories are permitted for regulated occasions:

- Loreto House Colour Ribbons (permitted for House events only)
- Year 12 Jumpers (not be worn to or from school at any time)
- **JEWELLERY** - The only permissible jewellery is a watch and a maximum of two sleepers or plain studs in each ear. Due to OHS, no dangling earrings, bracelets, rings or necklaces can be worn, unless for medical reasons. (Please refer to Mobile Device Policy for Smart Watches)



UNIFORM EXPECTATIONS

Uniform expectations must be read in conjunction with the Loreto College Uniform Policy.

At Loreto College we expect our students to wear our College uniform with pride and in its entirety. The uniform must be worn at school, when representing our College and when travelling to and from school. When students are in College uniform they must wear it correctly.

Wearing a school uniform is essential for many reasons. It promotes:

- a sense of pride and belonging to our College community;
- a positive college image;
- a positive self-image;
- identification and security within our College and the wider community;

Our uniform also:

- provides a lower cost to families in the long term by providing economical, serviceable and safe clothing;
- assists our College in meeting the Sun Smart guidelines;
- meets Occupational Health and Safety requirements.

Wearing our College uniform helps students to develop a sense of self-discipline, self-respect and responsibility. It is the responsibility of parents to provide a uniform for their daughter and all uniform items must be clearly labelled with your child's surname.

Summer and Winter Uniform

The College Winter Uniform is to be worn from 1st May to the end of Term 3, and at the Principal's discretion in the event of extreme weather. The summer and winter items are not to be inter-mixed.

College Blazer

- The blazer is the outer garment that must be worn to and from school on all days (*except on days when the Ballarat temperature is forecast to be 28 degrees or more, as published on SIMON, students are not required to wear the blazer*)
- The blazer must be worn to all school excursions and functions such as Assembly and Mass
- The College Winter Soft Shell Coat must be worn over the College Blazer. It can not be worn to or from school in place of the College Blazer. The coat should not be worn in the classroom.

Uniform Shoes

Black lace-up leather shoes are the only shoes permitted. T-bars, raised heels, decorative colours, "ballet slippers" etc are not permitted.

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Sport Uniform for Notified Relaxed Uniform Days (such as Interaction and Carnival days)

There are specified dates on the school calendar where students and parents are advised the compulsory Sport Uniform can be worn all day, The compulsory Sport Uniform only is permitted. The Loreto lycra 2XU long skins and Loreto lycra crop shorts are NOT permitted – these specific items are for PE class and competition sport use only. The lycra skins are not permitted to be worn to or from school on any occasion, if they are worn to and from school for any specific reason, the Loreto track pants or sport shorts must be worn over the top.

The academic uniform and the sport uniform should not be mixed in any way.

College Uniform Items

Where a specific College uniform item is available, no other generic item is permitted to be worn. This includes permitted accessories such as winter scarf, winter soft shell coat, lycra skins.

Winter Tights

Navy winter tights are the only tights permitted. Sheer stockings are not permitted

Hairstyles (Cuts, styling and colours), Makeup and General Appearance

Hairstyles (cuts, styling and colours) makeup and general appearance that is clearly not natural and distract from the overall uniform presentation of the student are not permitted. Hair should be tidy and worn away from the face. Long hair (below shoulder length) should be tied up. OH&S requirements may stipulate that hair must be tied up securely for some subjects.

Tattoos & Facial Piercings

Tattoos are not encouraged for students at any time. Facial piercings are not permitted.

Infringements

It is the responsibility of all College community members (students, parents and teachers) to ensure the uniform is worn correctly. If a student is not in the appropriate uniform, the parent / carer must provide the student with a written note of explanation for that day only. Uniform infringements will incur a penalty. This may include students being sent home or jewellery/items confiscated.

Uniform Supplier

Loreto College uniform is manufactured by Noone (Australia's premier school uniform specialists). Loreto College garments will bear the Loreto Crest or LC and are available from Crockers Schoolwear (4 Armstrong St Nth, Ballarat) or online at <https://www.noone.com.au/school/loreto-college/shop> only.