

## **DRESS CODE POLICY**

Mindarie Senior College has a Dress Code Policy determined in consultation with parents and students. All students attending the College must wear the full College uniform and are not allowed to modify the uniform, nor wear it in an inappropriate way.

- Hats are not to be worn inside classrooms.
- Durags (head scarf) are not allowed to be worn.
- Leggings (including footless tights) are not allowed to be worn.
- Safe footwear is compulsory at Mindarie Senior College and must be appropriate for the activity. Students are to wear closed-in shoes. The following items of footwear are not permitted:
  - Ugg boots
  - o Crocs
  - Slides
  - Thongs
  - Backless shoes

The uniform can be ordered and purchased directly from <u>Tudor Uniforms</u> throughout the year. Tudor Uniforms also sell uniforms on College grounds during Thursday lunch times. (See Student Services for the exact location).

Students who are in breach of the College Dress Code Guidelines must report to Student Services upon arrival at the College. Alternatively, if the student forgets to do this, a staff member can send them directly to Student Services.

If a student is out of uniform, they have three options of support:

- 1. Borrow clean, washed uniform items belonging to Student Services; to be returned at the end of the day
- 2. Make immediate arrangements to have their uniform dropped off at Student Services
- 3. If an alternative arrangement cannot be made and the student refuses to follow staff instructions by borrowing spare uniform, they will be instructed to work from Student Services for the day

Uniform passes will only be issued to students in extreme cases, such as homelessness or major damage to the home resulting in the student's uniform being deemed beyond repair. In this instance, the College will endeavour to support the student(s) with replacement uniform, wherever possible. Failure to follow the College dress code process may result in further consequences being issued in consultation with parents/guardians.