

## **Branyan Road State School Dress Code and Uniform Policy**

Branyan Road State School takes pride in how our students are presented to the wider community and wearing the uniform sends a positive message; not only must students be in the correct uniform, but they need to wear it appropriately.

The uniform policy has been developed in consultation with the school P&C and community.

The purposes of our uniform are:

- to identify students within our community.
- to remove the competitive element from dress style.
- to ensure non-Branyan Road State School people are quickly and easily identified by staff.

The school and sports uniforms are available from Shawline Embroidery, Inn Style Mensland and Lowes store at Stockland Bundaberg.

### **CLOTHING OPTIONS:**

- School polo shirt in purple with black trim and an embroidered school logo
- School sports shirts in house colours (only permitted to be worn on Physical Education lesson days or school sports day)
- *Summer:* School approved black shorts or skorts (netball skirts are not encouraged for modesty reasons)
- *Winter:* Plain long black pants (i.e: track pants, leggings)
- School jumper – Plain black or purple

### **SHOES:**

Enclosed shoes are compulsory. Black is preferred with white or black socks. Sports shoes are ideal.

### **HATS:**

Black, broad brimmed hat, 7cm brimmed bucket hat or legionnaire hat to be worn at all times when outdoors.



**HAIR:**

Only neutral hair colouring is allowed. Tracks, or designs cut into the hair are not allowed. Hair should not detract from the school uniform or how students are perceived within the wider community.

**NAILS:**

No nail polish or fake nails.

**JEWELLERY:**

Jewellery is limited to one ring (signet type ring, flat), a watch and studs or sleepers. Spacers, tapers, bracelets and visible necklaces are not permitted.

*If a student does not comply with the dress code; school staff may impose one of the following sanctions:*

- a) detention for the student.
- b) prevent the student from attending, or participating in, any activity for which the student would have been representing the school.
- c) prevent the student from attending any school activity until the uniform issue is resolved. The student will not be prevented from participating in *essential* curriculum activities as a result of non-compliance to the dress code, except where necessary for safety reasons.