

CHATSWOOD HIGH SCHOOL **POLICY ON UNIFORM COMPLIANCE.**

Background.

Comment has come from staff and parents about the perception that Chatswood High School students are poorly turned out. While we may not agree with this perception, there are some students who persistently wear inappropriate clothing. Rather than target the entire school, which is too big a task to succeed, this policy suggests that we target only those students who are grossly out of uniform, get them to comply and then move on to the next group and so on.

Procedure.

1. In 2004 the school is made aware of the fact that we will be targeting uniform, by way of a warning to comply. This would occur at the first assembly on Day 1.
2. From Week 1 teachers in Roll Call identify the student whose uniform complies the least. This student is then sent to the Head Teacher responsible.
3. Where the uniform is grossly unacceptable, the Head Teacher will contact the student's parents advising that the student is being sent home because they are out of uniform. This call can also serve to emphasise OH&S regulations (in relation to footwear) and safety issues (being able to identify strangers in the school when every student is in correct uniform).
4. "**Grossly out of uniform**" is defined as a student dressed in a way which gives no indication of being a member of Chatswood High School because the clothing worn is too casual to be regarded as school uniform.
5. Where a student is in poor uniform, but not grossly unacceptable, the Head Teacher should keep a record, counsel the student and if the student is sent again in the same week, then the student should be placed on after school detention. Over time, recidivists' parents should be contacted and advised that uniform is not acceptable.
6. Students who are persistently grossly out of uniform would have their names passed on to the relevant Deputy. These students would then be given a formal warning of suspension, followed by actual suspension if they do not comply.
7. Where parent identify legitimate reasons for students being out of uniform, the student would be issued with a uniform exemption note.

Evaluation.

If this proposal is successful, we should see a decline in students who are grossly out of uniform. If this happens, it would be appropriate to identify the next target group (Eg Students in non-acceptable footwear) and work on them. If the theory works, by pushing from the top on a selected group and counselling others sent to Head Teachers, we should improve uniform compliance and identify those who wilfully refuse to wear school uniform.

Areas of Responsibility.

Roll Call	Teacher	Room	Head Teacher
C1	J. Lambert	88	D. Grover
C2	R. Mercer	58	D. Grover
C3	I Lui	90	D. Grover
C4	G. Hatcher	99	H. Willis
C5	V Szakacs	84	S. Myers
C6	C. Siepen	120	M. Williams
C7	D. Graham	43	T. Kramer
C8	R. Terrell	151	HT TAS
C9	D. Swarts	102	H. Willis
F1	P Tompson	127	M. Williams
F2	T Ruckendorfer	118	H. Willis
F3	C. Schneider	78	S. Myers
F4	H. Irwin	116	T. Kramer
F5	L. Haylock	83	S. Myers
F6	S. Hanson	85	D. Grover
F7	R. Chin	134	HT TAS
F8	M. Simon	91	D. Grover
F9	L Symonds	108	T. Kramer
H1	M. Sieniarski	147	HT TAS
H2	E. Allcott	17	H. Willis
H3	N. Lloyd Green	101	H. Willis
H4	D. Hanny	121	M. Williams
H5	P Doherty	139	HT TAS
H6	C. Raper	Library	S. Myers
H7	P Marsh	129	M. Williams
H8	S. England	100	H. Willis
H9	A. Sarroff	135	HT TAS
W1	K. Martinelli	117	T. Kramer
W2	D. Gauld	68	S. Myers
W3	V. Bennett	109	T. Kramer
W4	S. Graham	142	HT TAS
W5	K. McDonald	39	T. Kramer
W6	S. Fernandez	92	D. Grover
W7	K. Johnston	122	M. Williams
W8	C. Fitzgerald	130	M. Williams
W9	W. Reato	Library	S. Myers
Breakfast			

Allocation of Rooms:

D. Grover	- 6	H. Willis	- 6	S. Dempsey	Office Week A
S. Myers	- 6	M. Williams	- 6	P. Rogers	Office Week B
J. Torr	- 6	T. Kramer	- 6		