



UFS International

Introduction:

The school uniform is an important part of UFS International culture, serving to unite and create a common school identity. Wearing the school uniform gives the student a sense of belonging and a chance to show their pride in the school. The uniform serves to unite students as a UFS International community. It is thus required that parents who enrol their children at UFS International will ensure that their child/children's uniforms comply with the policy and are complete, clean and tidy.

Uniform Context:

1. Students are expected to wear the full school uniform to and from school, at all official functions and in public places. No item of school uniform must be worn with casual clothes or without shoes.
2. Students attending school incorrectly dressed are expected to produce a letter of explanation from their parents. This applies only to temporary situations with a short fixed term.
3. Permanent departures from the prescribed school uniform will be considered upon written request to the Governing Council (GC) with documentation in support of that request.
4. Non-compliance will be managed in terms of the school Code of Conduct.
5. All students are to wear hats during break times and in certain specified sporting and extramural activities.
6. Girls are not permitted to wear white ankle socks with navy tights, either one option should be worn.
7. All items of clothing must be clearly marked with the student's name.
8. No jewellery, make-up, nail polish or lip gloss may be worn.
9. Girls are permitted to wear studded earrings or sleepers (one in each earlobe).
10. Small and unobtrusive jewellery with religious symbols and medic-alert bracelets may be worn. A letter with a written explanation must be given to the relevant Principal who will then give permission to the student concerned.
11. **Hair for boys** must be kept above the collar, cut around the ears and neat on the top, back and sides. No highlights, gel or fashion statement haircuts, will be allowed. If hair is highlighted during the holidays, it must be cut short in order to eradicate such highlights.
12. **Hair for girls** must be neat and tied away from the eyes. Hair touching the shoulder should be tied up. All hair accessories must be navy or white. No highlights or colouring of hair will be allowed. If hair is highlighted during the holidays, it should be dyed to the student's natural colour before the commencement of the following term. Braiding must be simple, neat and appropriate. Long braided hair must be tied back. No coloured extensions/braiding will be allowed at school.
13. In order to reduce costs, items of uniform specific to the school, are available for purchase from the school only.

Dress Code:

Pre-Primary
Kiddies navy branded t-shirt
Collapsible navy branded cricket hat
Child's own shorts/pants/jacket/jersey

Grade 1-6: Primary (Girls)	
Summer	Winter
White branded golfer short sleeve	White branded golfer long sleeve
SMU School tartan skirt	SMU School tartan skirt
School navy hot pants for under skirts	
White anklet socks	Navy stockings/tights
Black school shoes	Black school shoes
SMU school softshell jacket/red school jersey	SMU school softshell jacket/red school jersey
Branded navy school cap	Branded navy school cap
	School scarf (optional)
Branded school tracksuit to be worn on days when students have PE (Physical Education) and for afternoon activities.	Branded school tracksuit to be worn on days when students have PE (Physical Education) and for afternoon activities.

Grade 1-6: Primary (Boys)	
Summer	Winter
White branded golfer short sleeve	White branded golfer long sleeve
Grey school short	Grey school long pants
Grey high socks	Grey high socks
Black school shoes	Black school shoes
SMU school softshell jacket/red school jersey	SMU school softshell jacket/red school jersey
Branded navy school cap	Branded navy school cap
	School scarf (optional)
Branded school tracksuit to be worn on days when students have PE (Physical Education) and for afternoon activities.	Branded school tracksuit to be worn on days when students have PE (Physical Education) and for afternoon activities.

Grade 7: Primary (Girls)	
Summer	Winter
White branded golfer short sleeve (optional)	White branded golfer long sleeve (optional)
White branded cotton shirt	White branded cotton shirt
SMU School tartan skirt	SMU School tartan skirt
School navy hot pants for under skirts	
Grey school long pants	Grey school long pants
White ankle socks	Navy stockings/tights
Black school shoes	Black school shoes
SMU school softshell jacket/red school jersey	SMU school softshell jacket/red school jersey
Branded navy school cap	Branded navy school cap
	School scarf (optional)
School navy blazer	School navy blazer
School red tie	School red tie
Branded school tracksuit to be worn on days when students have PE (Physical Education) and for afternoon activities.	Branded school tracksuit to be worn on days when students have PE (Physical Education) and for afternoon activities.

Grade 7: Primary (Boys)	
Summer	Winter
White branded golfer short sleeve (optional)	White branded golfer long sleeve (optional)
White branded cotton shirt	White branded cotton shirt
Grey school short	Grey school long pants
Grey high socks	Grey high socks
Black school shoes	Black school shoes
SMU school softshell jacket/red school jersey	SMU school softshell jacket/red school jersey
Branded navy school cap	Branded navy school cap
School belt	School belt
	School scarf (optional)
School navy blazer	School navy blazer
School red tie	School red tie
Branded school tracksuit to be worn on days when students have PE (Physical Education) and for afternoon activities.	Branded school tracksuit to be worn on days when students have PE (Physical Education) and for afternoon activities.

Form 1-5: High School (Girls)

Summer	Winter
White branded cotton shirt	White branded cotton shirt
SMU School tartan skirt	SMU School tartan skirt
School navy hot pants for under skirts	School navy hot pants
Grey school long pants	Grey school long pants
White anklet socks	Navy stockings/tights
Black school shoes	Black school shoes
SMU school softshell jacket/red school jersey	SMU school softshell jacket/red school jersey
Branded navy school cap	Branded navy school cap
	School scarf (optional)
School navy blazer School red blazer for head girl/deputy head girl (F5)	School navy blazer School red blazer for head girl/deputy head girl (F5)
School red tie School navy tie for head girl/deputy head girl (F5)	School red tie School navy tie for head girl/deputy head girl (F5)
Branded school tracksuits may only be worn after the academic day has ended in preparation for afternoon activities.	Branded school tracksuits may only be worn after the academic day has ended in preparation for afternoon activities.

Form 1-5: High School (Boys)

Summer	Winter
White branded cotton shirt	White branded cotton shirt
Grey school long pants	Grey school long pants
Grey high socks	Grey high socks
Black school shoes	Black school shoes
SMU school softshell jacket/red school jersey	SMU school softshell jacket/red school jersey
Branded navy school cap	Branded navy school cap
School belt	School belt
	School scarf (optional)
School navy blazer School red blazer for head girl/deputy head boy	School navy blazer School red blazer for head girl/deputy head boy
School red tie School navy tie for head girl/deputy head girl (F5)	School red tie School navy tie for head girl/deputy head girl (F5)
Branded school tracksuits may only be worn after the academic day has ended in preparation for afternoon activities.	Branded school tracksuits may only be worn after the academic day has ended in preparation for afternoon activities.

Sport Kit - Interschool	Girls	Boys
Hockey	Branded sport dress, navy high socks	Branded golfer, branded box shorts, navy high socks
Netball	Branded sport dress	n/a
Cricket	Branded golfer, branded box shorts (Primary School) / white longs (High School), navy high socks, white branded cricket hat	Branded golfer, branded box shorts (Primary School) / white longs (High School), navy high socks, white branded cricket hat
Athletics/Cross country	Branded vest, branded box shorts	Branded vest, branded box shorts
Soccer	Branded golfer, branded box shorts, navy high socks	Branded golfer, branded box shorts, navy high socks
Basketball	Branded vest, branded baggy shorts	Branded vest, branded baggy shorts
Volleyball	Branded vest, branded box shorts	Branded vest, branded baggy shorts
Table tennis	Branded golfer, branded box shorts	Branded golfer, branded baggy shorts
Swimming	Swimming unitard, with white branded swimming cap	Swimming jammers, with white branded swimming cap
Shoes	Sneakers (student's own)	Sneakers (student's own)

Sport Kit - Interhouse	Girls	Boys
Interhouse sport/afternoon sport training/PE	House shirt ((Indlovu/Ingwe/Libhubesi), white drawstring sport shorts	House shirt ((Indlovu/Ingwe/Libhubesi), white drawstring sport shorts
Swimming	Swimming unitard, with branded house swimming cap	Swimming jammers, with branded house swimming cap
Shoes	Sneakers (student's own)	Sneakers (student's own)

*Additional sporting equipment will be required from time to time (mouthguards, shin pads etc) depending on the sport chosen by your child. These will be communicated to you for availability.