



Hāwera High School

Uniform Policy

Hawera High School is a uniform school and we promote the wearing of our uniform with pride.

Uniforms create and reinforce identity, help develop self-esteem and an awareness of appropriate dress standards.

Parents are expected to outfit their child in the applicable uniform.

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Uniform

Hawera High School has uniform regulations for all students.
Below are the uniform requirements for each year level.

Boys' style Uniform	
Year 9 to Year 11	Year 12 and Year 13
Navy shorts with HHS label	Navy shorts with HHS label
Blue polo shirt with HHS name and crest	Blue dress shirt with HHS name and crest
Navy jersey with HHS name and crest	
Navy school knee high socks (may not be worn with sandals)	



Girls' style Uniform	
Year 9 to Year 11	Year 12 and Year 13
Tartan skirt with kick pleat – knee length	Navy skirt with kick pleat – knee length
Blue polo shirt with HHS name and crest	Blue blouse with HHS name and crest
Navy jersey with HHS name and crest	
Navy ankle socks with HHS emblem / black tights (may not be worn with sandals)	

Uniform Standards

It is an expectation that every student who attends Hawera High School:

- Will wear the correct school uniform at all times, including travel to and from school
- Will keep their school uniform and footwear in a clean and tidy condition
- Will clearly name all uniform items (It is useful to have a unique or secret means of identifying items of clothing)
- Will wear the correct school uniform at formal school occasions or when representing the school on school sports and cultural trips

By enrolling your child at Hawera High School you are indicating that you accept the school uniform as determined by the Board of Trustees. The Principal and staff have delegated to them the rights to take all reasonable steps to ensure the school uniform is worn correctly and with pride. Students wearing non-regulation uniform risk having the item confiscated for a period of time.

Optional Uniform Items

- Navy blazer with Hawera High School name and crest (Year 12 and Year 13)
- Navy dress trouser (boys/girls)
- School jacket with Hawera High School name and crest
- School tie (worn only with senior uniform dress shirt or blouse)
- School scarf
- School cap or brim hat with Hawera High School name and crest

Formal Uniform

To be worn at formal school occasions or when representing the school on school sports and cultural trips:

- Navy blazer with Hawera High School name and crest
- Navy dress trouser (boys/girls) or navy blue skirt (girls)
- Blue dress shirt (boys) or blouse (girls) with Hawera High School name and crest
- School tie
- Black dress shoes with navy school socks (boys) or tights (girls)

Physical Education Uniform

The following items are worn by students when they are participating in Physical Education:

- Hawera High School Physical Education shirt
- Hawera High School Physical Education shorts or dark shorts
- Non-marking sports or gym sneakers (must not have black soles)

Note: If your child participates in sports representing the school they may require further sports uniform items. All rugby, football and hockey players are expected to wear the Hawera High School sports sock.

Footwear

Students must wear plain black **polishable** shoes or black, brown or blue sandals with a back strap. Students must wear closed in shoes during Technology and ideally, Science lessons, for Health and Safety reasons.

Footwear cont...

The images below show acceptable and unacceptable footwear examples which can be purchased from various shoe retailers like Hannahs, The Warehouse and NumberOneShoes.

Acceptable Footwear Styles



Unacceptable Footwear Styles



Personal Appearance / Grooming

- One flat ring
- Necklaces must be worn under shirt/blouse at all times
- Students with pierced ears may only wear ONE plain stud or sleeper in each ear
- No tongue, nose, eyebrow, lip, cheek piercings or stretchers
- No bracelets or anklets on arms or legs (with the exception of a Medic Alert Bracelet)
- No facial hair - boys must be clean shaven at all times
- Hair should be of a natural colour
- Natural looking make up. Nail polish should be discrete and a natural colour
- Tattoos - students are encouraged to wear a uniform item that covers the tattoo at all times

Note: Students with long hair must secure their hair in Technology lessons while working with machines. Students must be prepared to, and be able to, remove all jewellery items during Physical Education and Technology lessons for Health and Safety reasons.

How to Purchase the School Uniform

- **Argyle Schoolwear**, is our main provider of school uniform. They supply all new standard uniform items through the **ArgyleOnLine website**. (www.argyleonline.co.nz) Please refer to the *Uniform Checklist Forms* and *ArgyleOnLine Ordering Instructions and FAQ* on the school website for further details.
- Parents/Caregivers will find this system quick, easy and efficient to use. You will be able to pay by **credit or debit card, direct credit, cheque or request a WINZ quote**. Orders are delivered directly to your home, unless stated otherwise, and the Customer Service Team is available on 0800 11 00 59 to answer any queries you may have. ArgyleOnLine also have LIVE CHAT available so their operators can assist while you are online.
- The **Hawera High School Uniform Shop** will hold a range of uniform sizes for fitting purposes only. We will also supply Year 12 and Year 13 Blazers, Unisex Jackets, Physical Education Shirts and Shorts and Football/Hockey/Rugby Socks. These, and some second-hand uniform items can be purchased using cash, eftpos or cheque. The Hawera High School Uniform Shop is open during term time on the following days: **Tuesday 8.00am-9.00am/Wednesday 1.30pm-2.00pm/Thursday 3.10pm-4.10pm**
- Parents/Caregivers are reminded that if your child is leaving the school, or has outgrown their current uniform, the Hawera High School Uniform Shop may purchase any second-hand uniforms that are in good condition.