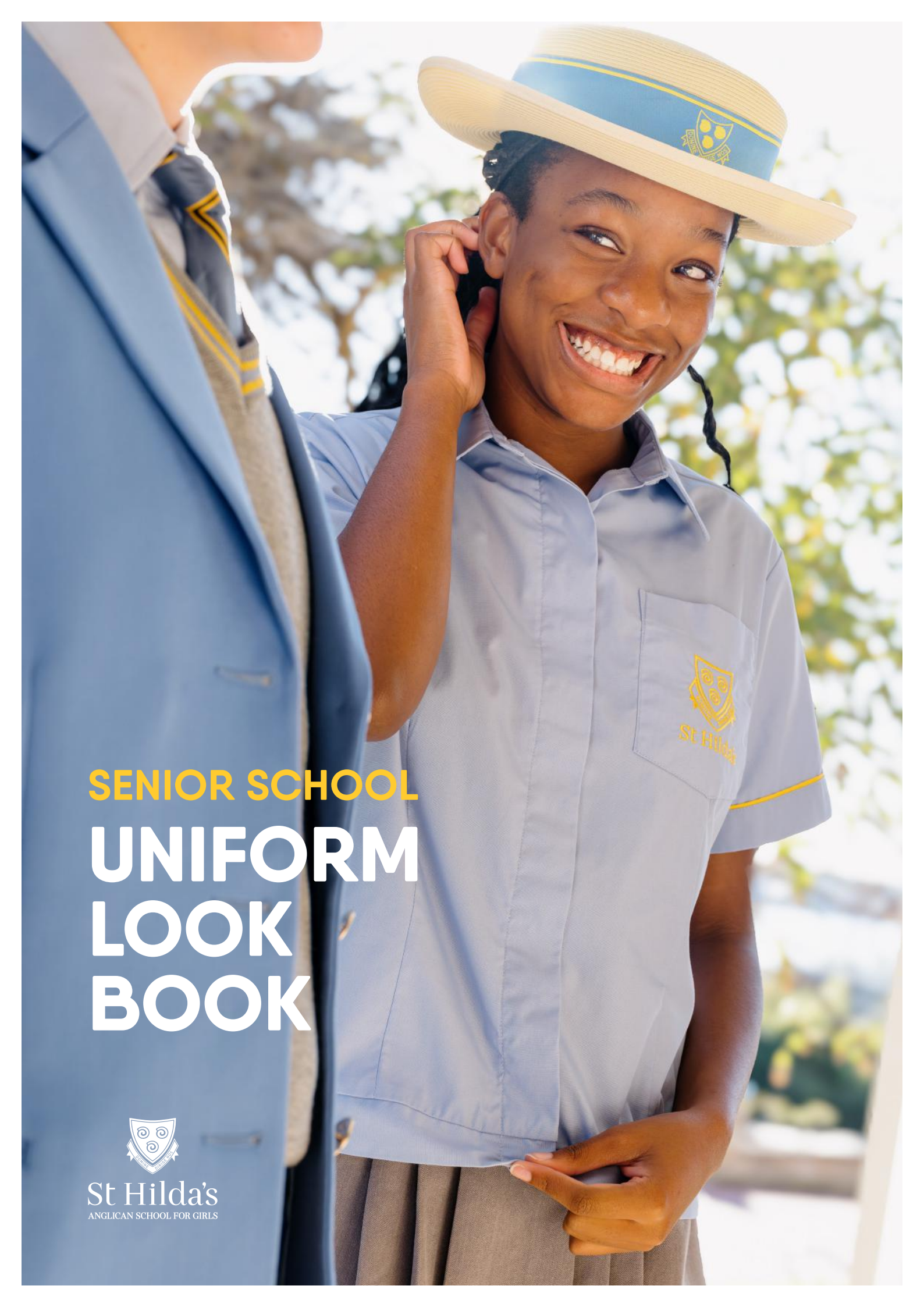




SENIOR SCHOOL UNIFORM LOOK BOOK



St Hilda's
ANGLICAN SCHOOL FOR GIRLS





FEEL PROUD IN YOUR UNIFORM

Girls, you all know how much I enjoy fashion. Every piece I put on, I wear with pride. How I present myself each day is important to me. And, I want you to feel this way about your school uniform.

I know, what you're thinking. "But Mrs Johnston, a school uniform is so boring."

But here is the thing. A uniform is so much more than something you put on each morning. Let me tell you why.

Wearing a uniform tells us something about your tribe. It tells the outside world that you are proud to be a St Hilda's student. It tells your community that you present yourself with pride. It shows your parents that you are grateful for their emotional (and financial) investment in you. And it shows respect to those who walked in your shoes before you, our Old Scholars, who are still passionately loyal to our School.

This Look Book will give you a few tips on how to make sure your uniform looks in top shape and ensures you're not caught out by any nasty uniform infringement conversations. We've also included a couple of uniform hacks to make it easier to keep your uniform looking good.

Let's work together to ensure our uniform standards continue to be upheld, instilling the pride we all share in our wonderful school.

Go Saints! I know you will make me proud.

Mrs Johnston

MRS JOHNSTON'S TIPS

TIP 1 CLEANING YOUR BOATER



Did you know that you can clean your boater in the dishwasher? Place it on the top rack and run it through the glass cycle. You'll be surprised how it comes out looking like new.

TIP 2 KEEP THOSE SHOES SHIP- SHAPE!



It's always best to use a good quality brown shoe polish to keep your shoes looking great, however, for those times where you're on the run, a bit of moisturiser on some paper towel will also give them a little bit of extra shine!

TIP 3 HEM IT



The length of your skirt does matter. Check your skirt each term to make sure it reaches just above your knee. If it doesn't, it's time to take down the hem or go up a size.

TIP 4 CONNECTING YOUR BOATER AND YOUR HEAD



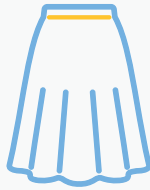
Did you know your boater is supposed to be worn on your head when you're travelling to and from school, including when you visit Gill Street Cafe? Not in your hands as a clutch, in your bag or thrown on the back seat of the car? That's including when you are dropped off and picked up from school.

TIP 5 REALISING THERE IS A BUTTON AT THE BOTTOM OF YOUR SHIRT



Did you know that there is a button and a buttonhole at the bottom of your school shirt? It's there for a reason. It reminds us that each morning they need to come together. Remember to glance down and check each morning, so that your shirt is not flapping in the breeze.

TIP 6 ROLLING YOUR SKIRT UP IS SO LAST YEAR



When you reach Year 8 to 10, you will notice the trend of skirt rolling entering the uniform vocabulary. This is your moment to defy the trend and be independently you. Following the rolling trend is boring.

TIP 7 A SCARF IS NOT A REPLACEMENT FOR A TIE



In winter months, sometimes girls can confuse a scarf with a tie. They are two very different pieces of uniform. The tie is compulsory, the scarf is optional (not a replacement). Remember your tie each day. It will save you a lot of time avoiding teachers who can see the missing tie from a distance!

TIP 8 ACCESSORISE!



Mrs Johnston loves her earrings. But she earned the right to wear them by sticking to the rules when she was at school.

WHAT'S PERMITTED?

- ✓ One small pair of gold or silver stud earrings in the lower lobe.
- ✓ Watches or fitbits with brown, black, blue, white, gold or silver bands.
- ✓ School regulated ribbons, scrunchies or headbands

WHAT'S NOT PERMITTED?

- ✗ Necklaces
- ✗ Hoop earrings, diamond earrings or dangly earrings
- ✗ Piercings other than in the lower earlobe
- ✗ Coloured scrunchies, elastics or ribbons
- ✗ Nail polish
- ✗ Tattoos
- ✗ Hair dye

TIP 9 BLAZER RECOVERY



You're in a rush and you've scrunched your blazer into your school bag before you head home. Trouble is those creases are a curse. Pop it on a coat hanger and have a long, hot shower. Presto - wrinkles removed.

TIP 10 WE ARE HERE TO HELP



Ever had one of those days? Scrunchie has gone missing, there's only one brown shoe in your sports bag, your tie was left on the bus.

Rather than wait for a uniform infringement, come and see the Student Wellbeing Centre and they will help you fix that uniform challenge.

SENIOR SCHOOL SUMMER & WINTER

SUMMER UNIFORM

- Grey skirt or full-length tailored grey trousers
- Pale blue overblouse with crest and yellow piping
- Boater
- Blue ankle socks
- Blazer with House badge (optional in cooler weather)
- Jumper (optional in cooler weather)
- Brown lace-up shoes



FORMAL SUMMER UNIFORM

Girls wear regulation summer uniform as above with blazer and tie



WINTER UNIFORM

- Grey skirt or full-length tailored grey trousers
- Blazer with House badge
- Pale blue overblouse with crest and yellow piping
- Tie
- Grey tights or blue ankle socks
- Jumper (optional)
- Scarf and gloves (optional)
- Brown lace-up shoes



FORMAL WINTER UNIFORM

Girls wear regulation winter uniform as above (no scarf or leavers' jumper)



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ST HILDA'S STUDENT**



SENIOR SCHOOL SPORTS

- Pale blue micro-fibre tracksuit pant
- Pale blue sports jacket
- Pale blue and yellow hoodie
- Bumblebee polo shirt
- Navy shorts with yellow and blue stripe or navy skort
- Blue ankle socks
- Navy sports cap with crest
- House polo shirt
- St Hilda's bathers
- House swim cap
- Sneakers



PHYS ED CLASSES

Bumblebee polo shirt, navy shorts with yellow and blue stripe or navy skort, blue ankle socks and sports sneakers.

INTERHOUSE CARNIVALS OR EVENTS

House shirt, navy shorts with yellow and blue stripe or navy skort, blue ankle socks and sports sneakers.

IGSSA TRAINING AND GAMES

Uniform is determined by the PE department staff. Please refer to the Sports Handbook for full details.





UNIFORM POLICY

- Students must wear the correct uniform at all times. The uniform can be purchased from the Uniform Shop. Every item is a regulation item – a specified brand and colour including items such as socks and hair ribbons.
- The regulation length for skirts is knee length
- Students wear boaters to and from school in Terms 1 and 4.
- Students wear blazers to and from school in Terms 2 and 3.
- Formal occasions include St Hilda's Day, award ceremonies and one-off events as determined by the School.
- Students wear blazers to Chapel, assemblies, and other formal functions in Terms 2 and 3. No jumpers are worn on these occasions as the outer layer.
- Summer formal function attire will be determined according to weather conditions.
- On excursions, and when students are in public, summer uniform must be worn for Terms 1 and 4, and winter uniform in Term 2 and 3, unless advised otherwise.
- Students are required to wear their House badges throughout the year.
- If students have a cocurricular sport activity before school, they may travel to school in their PE uniform, but must change prior to the commencement of class.
- If students have IGSSA sport or dance after school they are permitted to travel home in their PE uniform.
- Hair must not be dyed beyond natural colourings. It must be neat and tied back once it reaches the collar of the uniform.
- Hair ribbons must be regulation stripe. Headbands and cloth scrunchies must be regulation blue. Hair ties, snap clips and bobby pins must be the same colour as the student's hair colour. I.e. black hair requires black hair tie, but must be worn in conjunction with a regulation blue stripe ribbon.
- Make-up and nail polish must not be worn
- Braids or body markings such as henna or visible tattoos are not permitted.
- No facial piercings permitted.
- One pair of small gold or silver studs, no larger than 4mm in diameter, with one worn in the first piercing of each lower ear lobe, is permitted. These studs are available through the Uniform Shop.
- Watches / Fitbits with plain bands are allowed i.e. brown, black, blue, white, gold or silver. Smartwatches are not permitted.
- Religious necklaces, e.g. crucifix, require written permission from the Director of Senior School. If approved they must be worn under the School uniform. They are not to be in sight and are to be removed during any physical activity and/or lessons, which could potentially be a health/safety hazard.
- Please ensure that each article of clothing is clearly marked with the current owner's name.



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