




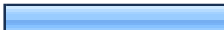
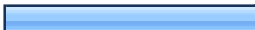




1. How many children do you currently have at Manly Vale Public School?

		Response Percent	Response Count
0		3.5%	5
1		56.7%	80
2		34.0%	48
3		5.0%	7
4		0.7%	1
5+		0.0%	0
answered question			141
skipped question			0

2. Currently attending Manly Vale Public School, you have...

		Response Percent	Response Count
Girl(s) only		35.5%	50
Boy(s) only		40.4%	57
Girl(s) and Boy(s)		20.6%	29
I don't currently have children attending Manly Vale Public School		3.5%	5
answered question			141
skipped question			0

3. There are currently two school hat options:- The wide-brimmed hat and the bucket hat. How do you feel about this?

		Response Percent	Response Count
It's fine that there is a choice		80.9%	114
There should be just one style - wide-brim		7.1%	10
There should be just one style - bucket hat		8.5%	12
There should be just one style - I don't mind which is chosen		3.5%	5
		answered question	141
		skipped question	0

4. The dress in grey school check

		Response Percent	Response Count
Needs change		5.7%	8
I'm neutral		27.7%	39
Should not change		66.7%	94
		Comments	27
		answered question	141
		skipped question	0

5. Currently the senior girls have the same summer uniform as the junior girls. How do you feel about this?

		Response Percent	Response Count
That's good		46.8%	66
I'm neutral		34.8%	49
They should have a different summer uniform from the juniors		18.4%	26

Comments 34

answered question 141

skipped question 0

6. How do you feel about the junior girls winter uniform?

	Needs change	Neutral	Should not change	Response Count
School tartan tunic	5.7% (8)	22.1% (31)	72.1% (101)	140
Grey tights	2.9% (4)	30.7% (43)	66.4% (93)	140
Long sleeve white polo	32.1% (45)	32.1% (45)	35.7% (50)	140
Red jacket	4.3% (6)	37.4% (52)	58.3% (81)	139

Comments 60

answered question 140

skipped question 1

7. Consider the current senior girls winter uniform.



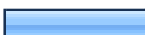
	Needs change	Neutral	Should not change	Response Count
School tartan skirt	7.2% (10)	34.1% (47)	58.7% (81)	138
White polo shirt	33.3% (46)	32.6% (45)	34.1% (47)	138
Red jacket	5.1% (7)	39.4% (54)	55.5% (76)	137

Comments 47

answered question 139

skipped question 2

8. Should grey tights be a required part of the senior girls uniform?



		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		44.6%	62
Neutral		33.1%	46
No		22.3%	31

Comments 28




answered question 139

skipped question 2




9. Should there be a stipulation regarding the polo shirt for the senior girls winter uniform?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes, it should be long sleeve only		27.3%	38
Yes, it should be short sleeve only		0.0%	0
No, the students/parents should be able to choose		72.7%	101
	Comments		26
	answered question		139
	skipped question		2

10. Should the senior girls have a different winter uniform to the junior girls?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		25.2%	35
I'm neutral		45.3%	63
No		29.5%	41
	Comments		19
	answered question		139
	skipped question		2

11. The junior and senior boys have the same summer uniform. How do you feel about this?

		Response Percent	Response Count
That's good		61.6%	85
I'm neutral		26.1%	36
The senior boys should have a different summer uniform from the junior boys		12.3%	17
Other (please specify)			18
answered question			138
skipped question			3

12. Consider the current junior and senior boys summer uniform

	Needs change	Neutral	Should not change	Response Count
Short sleeve white polo	13.0% (18)	13.0% (18)	73.9% (102)	138
Red shorts	5.8% (8)	20.4% (28)	73.7% (101)	137
White socks	7.2% (10)	13.8% (19)	79.0% (109)	138
Comments				29
answered question				138
skipped question				3




13. The senior boys winter uniform is the same as the juniors', unlike the senior girls who have a different winter uniform from the junior girls. How do you feel about this?

		Response Percent	Response Count
That's good		45.7%	63
I'm neutral		37.7%	52
They should have a different uniform from the juniors		16.7%	23
Comments			28
answered question			138
skipped question			3

14. Consider the current junior and senior boys winter uniform

	Needs change	Neutral	Should not change	Response Count
Long-sleeve white polo	15.9% (22)	26.8% (37)	57.2% (79)	138
Grey gabardine pants	5.8% (8)	25.4% (35)	68.8% (95)	138
Red jacket	2.9% (4)	21.0% (29)	76.1% (105)	138
White socks	7.3% (10)	16.8% (23)	75.9% (104)	137
Comments				36
answered question				138
skipped question				3

15. The requirement for "white" sneakers is rarely enforced as part of the sports uniform. How do you feel about this?

		Response Percent	Response Count
It should not be a requirement to wear white sneakers		47.1%	65
I'm neutral		26.8%	37
It should be a requirement to wear white sneakers		26.1%	36
	Comments		38
answered question			138
skipped question			3

16. Consider the girls summer sports uniform.

	Needs change	Neutral	Should not change	Response Count
Short sleeve white polo	7.4% (10)	18.4% (25)	74.3% (101)	136
Red skort	2.9% (4)	23.9% (33)	73.2% (101)	138
			Comments	29
answered question				138
skipped question				3

17. Consider the girls winter sports uniform

	Needs change	Neutral	Should not change	Response Count
White polo (long or short)	8.0% (11)	22.5% (31)	69.6% (96)	138
Red skort, or	3.6% (5)	25.5% (35)	70.8% (97)	137
Red track pants	35.8% (49)	30.7% (42)	33.6% (46)	137
Red jacket	3.0% (4)	28.9% (39)	68.1% (92)	135
			Comments	50
			answered question	138
			skipped question	3

18. Consider the boys summer sports uniform.

	Needs change	Neutral	Should not change	Response Count
Short sleeve white polo	8.0% (11)	9.5% (13)	82.5% (113)	137
Red shorts	3.7% (5)	13.2% (18)	83.1% (113)	136
			Comments	13
			answered question	138
			skipped question	3





19. Consider the boys winter sports uniform

	Needs change	Neutral	Should not change	Response Count
White polo (long or short)	8.7% (12)	10.9% (15)	80.4% (111)	138
Red shorts, or	5.1% (7)	13.2% (18)	81.6% (111)	136
Red track pants	34.8% (47)	17.8% (24)	47.4% (64)	135
Red jacket	4.4% (6)	19.9% (27)	75.7% (103)	136
			Comments	45
			answered question	138
			skipped question	3

20. How do you feel about the following statements?

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly agree	Response Count
There are too many uniform options	11.1% (15)	38.5% (52)	23.0% (31)	16.3% (22)	11.1% (15)	135
The uniform needs greater enforcement	8.8% (12)	16.9% (23)	26.5% (36)	27.9% (38)	19.9% (27)	136
Overall, the uniform is too casual	22.8% (31)	33.1% (45)	14.7% (20)	22.1% (30)	7.4% (10)	136
					Comments	42
					answered question	137
					skipped question	4

21. How should the changeover between summer and winter uniforms be handled?

		Response Percent	Response Count
There should be a definite changeover date.		31.9%	43
There should be a period where either uniform can be worn, depending on the weather.		44.4%	60
It should always be free choice year round on whether to wear winter or summer uniform.		17.0%	23
I don't mind.		6.7%	9

Comments 37

answered question 135

skipped question 6

22. Which part of the current uniform would you most like to see updated?

	Response Count
	101
answered question	101
skipped question	40



23. Does any aspect of the current uniform have you confused?

	Response Count
	81
answered question	81
skipped question	60

24. Please let us know any other comments or suggestions you may have.

	Response Count
	57
answered question	57
skipped question	84

25. Thank you for your time. If you would like to go into the draw for the prize of a bottle of wine and \$20 Warringah Mall gift voucher, please include your name and phone number below.

		Response Percent	Response Count
Name		100.0%	93
Phone		100.0%	93
	answered question		93
	skipped question		48

Page 3, Q4. The dress in grey school check

1	Only need skort and shirt, dress not necessary.	Jun 29, 2012 10:52 PM
2	The style and colours are nice. It looks smart too.	Jun 29, 2012 3:10 AM
3	I don't think it's necessary to change just for the sake of a different pattern...if worn smartly, it looks fine.	Jun 29, 2012 1:59 AM
4	Summer uniform looks smart	Jun 28, 2012 4:46 PM
5	I really like the summer dress for girls and is unique and distinctive to Manly Vale - DO NOT CHANGE	Jun 28, 2012 3:00 AM
6	Looks nice and is cool in summer	Jun 26, 2012 4:37 AM
7	It's distinctive and smart. No need to change :)	Jun 25, 2012 6:09 PM
8	Like it alot!	Jun 25, 2012 3:57 AM
9	With sport/physical activity being done often 4 times a week, perhaps thought could be given to something smart but more functional than a dress, eg culottes	Jun 24, 2012 3:50 AM
10	I like the checks and the colors - it is a lot smarter than some of the others I see	Jun 22, 2012 10:59 PM
11	My daughter will not wear the dress as she worries about the skirt blowing up and showing her undies. She feels more comfortable in the sports	Jun 21, 2012 6:40 PM
12	I like this uniform	Jun 21, 2012 3:11 PM
13	I like it, it's smart and stylish in good colours	Jun 21, 2012 12:26 AM
14	I like this one - looks nice, comfy and easy to wash	Jun 21, 2012 12:18 AM
15	Lovely uniform, needs no change	Jun 20, 2012 9:22 PM
16	every child I know chews the red tab!	Jun 20, 2012 4:07 PM
17	looks old fashioned	Jun 20, 2012 3:10 PM
18	I like the school dress and think the girls look lovely when in full school uniform.	Jun 20, 2012 1:14 AM
19	What ever is chosen should be 100% cotton	Jun 19, 2012 8:29 PM
20	Very smart. They all look great in these.	Jun 19, 2012 7:18 PM
21	Nice. I like it	Jun 16, 2012 12:29 AM
22	It's a nice uniform and distinctive from other schools	Jun 14, 2012 5:44 PM
23	I think it's a really nice style. Also, I have a ginger haired daughter who will join MVPS in 2014 and it's good that we will have an option for her that isn't bright red.	Jun 14, 2012 5:35 PM
24	Summer dress not necessary for girls. Skort/ short and top option would suffice. Dresses limit physical activity for girls, ie, playing at lunch time.	Jun 14, 2012 5:09 PM

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25	Looks great	Jun 14, 2012 3:52 PM
26	Looks smart	Jun 14, 2012 2:50 AM
27	This is a nice summer uniform for the junior girls. It looks neat and smart.	Jun 14, 2012 2:27 AM

Page 3, Q5. Currently the senior girls have the same summer uniform as the junior girls. How do you feel about this?

1	Only need skort and shirt, dress not necessary.	Jun 29, 2012 10:52 PM
2	Except that is not what is worn by the senior girls this really needs to be clarified in the bush telegraph if kept the same , they all go for the skirt or skorts	Jun 29, 2012 4:58 PM
3	I thought they had a senior skirt that they wear they could wear a skirt in the same material instead of the winter material in summer	Jun 29, 2012 4:42 AM
4	Changing uniforms for two years can be a costly expense with growing children. It's sometimes confusing to have different uniforms within the same (small) school.	Jun 29, 2012 1:59 AM
5	Perhaps a skirt and t shirt would be more sophisticated	Jun 28, 2012 10:15 PM
6	Actually they don't have the same uniform. They have a skirt & shirt	Jun 28, 2012 4:46 PM
7	I think older girls prefer a skirt	Jun 28, 2012 3:36 AM
8	If Senior girls want something a little different to junior girls, have the same blue/grey check material but in a skirt (not a dress) and with the Manly Vale polo shirt or other white shirt/blouse	Jun 28, 2012 3:00 AM
9	They need to be made to wear it	Jun 27, 2012 4:08 PM
10	I think the skirt they wear is great.. A lighter weight in summer would be good	Jun 27, 2012 12:20 AM
11	Parents don't need additional costs, girls already have so many more items to buy compared to boys	Jun 26, 2012 4:37 AM
12	They are still in primary school - I don't think the 'seniors' are really old enough to require a different uniform. It would also bring additional costs.	Jun 25, 2012 9:10 PM
13	I have never seen a senior girl wear the check dress. They prefer to wear the check skirt and polo shirt.	Jun 25, 2012 7:50 PM
14	I don't have a senior girl right now, so ought to leave the decision to those who do.	Jun 25, 2012 6:09 PM
15	The girls currently enjoy the seniority of the senior uniform and look forward to their change-over in Yr 5.	Jun 25, 2012 3:57 AM
16	The decision should be whether senior students, irrespective of sex have a different uniform and then is it the same all year round or change with summer and winter	Jun 24, 2012 3:50 AM
17	Why introduce extra expense	Jun 23, 2012 3:36 PM
18	I don't think they need to be more important than any other student	Jun 21, 2012 7:44 PM
19	The older girls may like to have some change, but from a financial point of view, it may not be practical. It's been great for us to 'hand' things down.	Jun 21, 2012 3:11 PM
20	My senior girl wears the winter skirt all year round at the moment. Might be nice to have a lighter fabric in summer. Maybe even modern culottes. If you have a tall girl like me the uniform shop does not hold sizes in the summer tunic to suit as she wears ladies size clothing.	Jun 21, 2012 12:08 AM

Page 3, Q5. Currently the senior girls have the same summer uniform as the junior girls. How do you feel about this?

21	But the senior girls don't wear it, they wear the skirt or skorts.	Jun 20, 2012 9:22 PM
22	if they have a different winter uniform then they should also have a different summer one too.	Jun 20, 2012 4:33 PM
23	They have a different winter uniform so the summer should be different, but very similar. I can understand that the senior girls do not want to look like the younger ones	Jun 20, 2012 1:14 AM
24	They are in still in primary school, not secondary school, and do not need to look different. I do not see the point of a different uniform for one year of school.	Jun 19, 2012 7:18 PM
25	no other public school appears to have a different uniform. why do our seniors need to be more important?	Jun 19, 2012 6:47 PM
26	Light weight summer skirt in the same fabric... but a light weight white short sleeve blouse would look nice/smart.	Jun 19, 2012 4:22 PM
27	Older girls generally seem not to wear a dress, so maybe have a skirt same material as dress	Jun 16, 2012 3:42 PM
28	I believe the few different variations of the uniform the better	Jun 15, 2012 12:02 AM
29	The senior girls should have a different uniform or some way to tell they are seniors (maybe a skirt in the summer uniform fabric?)	Jun 14, 2012 11:05 PM
30	It's good to be able to identify the senior kids and also for the seniors to feel more grown up and responsible	Jun 14, 2012 11:00 PM
31	It is odd though that they have a different winter uniform	Jun 14, 2012 5:44 PM
32	More differences create the "mottley crew" effect.	Jun 14, 2012 5:09 PM
33	Remember the cost to parents	Jun 14, 2012 3:52 PM
34	I thought the senior summer uniform was the tartan skirt??? If this is not correct then yes a skirt for the senior girls needs to happen.	Jun 14, 2012 2:27 AM

Page 4, Q6. How do you feel about the junior girls winter uniform?

1	Summer and winter uniform should be the same, i.e; short and shirt. Long pant and jacket option for cold days (but not red pants).	Jun 29, 2012 10:56 PM
2	Skivvy looks good	Jun 29, 2012 6:41 PM
3	Ugly !!!!!	Jun 29, 2012 4:58 PM
4	my girls wear school tshirt or skivvy if cold, they don't like the belts on dresses and sometimes find tights itchy especially on mild days	Jun 29, 2012 4:45 AM
5	The white polo neck tops look smarter with the tunic than the collared shirt.	Jun 29, 2012 3:12 AM
6	I feel it looks smart. If its comfortable and warm then that's the main thing.	Jun 29, 2012 2:01 AM
7	I think that either a polo or skivvy would be fine	Jun 28, 2012 3:02 PM
8	I think old red jackets were better quality. I'm not happy with the quality of the fleece jackets	Jun 28, 2012 3:38 AM
9	I like the winter uniform - again, its distinctive and unique to manly value - DO NOT CHANGE	Jun 28, 2012 3:01 AM
10	My only comment is that the Polo shirt looks a bit funny under the tunic. Maybe a turtle neck shirt instead	Jun 28, 2012 12:56 AM
11	I would prefer the either a plane white skivvy or a white long sleeved shirt	Jun 27, 2012 9:43 PM
12	A Plain White long sleeve tea shirt without a collar would look better under the tunic	Jun 27, 2012 4:53 PM
13	The shirt should be a nice white long sleeve cotton shirt with a scallop neck (Allambie Public wears one)	Jun 27, 2012 12:22 AM
14	uniform looks smart	Jun 26, 2012 4:38 AM
15	Looks adorable!	Jun 25, 2012 9:11 PM
16	The thing I love most about the girls winter uniform is that the long sleeve polo is used when they play sport too. It gives me more flexibility when organising the laundry!	Jun 25, 2012 6:09 PM
17	Easy to wear and put on but also smart.	Jun 25, 2012 4:01 AM
18	Long sleeved polo looks wrong under the smart tartan uniform - needs a crisp white l/s shirt.	Jun 25, 2012 3:58 AM
19	I think a white cotton blouse would be nicer and better for those not so cold days.	Jun 25, 2012 3:42 AM
20	My daughter complaints that the tights are itchy	Jun 25, 2012 2:22 AM
21	With physical activity 4 times a week a tunic and tights is pretty hard to function in. Running around the oval in tights with the crutch falling down round the knees is a reason the girls often don't want to wear the winter uniform. The physical activity is great but the uniform needs to reflect this amount of activity	Jun 24, 2012 3:52 AM
22	The red tartan is nice possibly a design change	Jun 23, 2012 3:38 PM

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23	I think white button up, collared shirts would look nicer than the long sleeved polo.	Jun 21, 2012 8:59 PM
24	It's smart and presentable It is able to go in the dryer It does not require ironing	Jun 21, 2012 6:40 PM
25	White looks nice, but is so hard to keep clean - esp with the Kindy kids!	Jun 21, 2012 3:18 PM
26	I was not aware that the long sleeve white sport polo shirt had been officially approved. I am against mixing a formal uniform (tunic) with a casual uniform (polo). It does not look smart, in my opinion. The current stock of tunics do not have a belt and this results in shapeless garment.	Jun 21, 2012 6:45 AM
27	White shirts get too dirty and hard to maintain. Kids look scruffy.	Jun 21, 2012 2:41 AM
28	Needs to be a plain white top, the polo shirt with collar looks too fussy and I'll fitting. I feel there is a bit too much red in the uniform in general, it would be nice if there was an option of a charcoal grey woollen cardigan or jumper.	Jun 21, 2012 1:40 AM
29	I like the uniform but think the jacket needs to be the same red	Jun 21, 2012 12:19 AM
30	I think this uniform looks smart.	Jun 21, 2012 12:09 AM
31	The collar on the polo shirt doesn't suit the tunic. It should be a skivvy or peter pan collar on the shirt.	Jun 20, 2012 5:12 PM
32	a girls collared blouse would look better than a polo	Jun 20, 2012 4:34 PM
33	white easy dirty at sleeves	Jun 20, 2012 4:15 PM
34	White is very hard to keep clean and smart	Jun 20, 2012 4:09 PM
35	white is not a good colour, gets too dirty easily!	Jun 20, 2012 3:11 PM
36	Red jacket: is that the polar fleece? If so, it's great. The older styles are confusing: too many options. Long sleeve polo: material not of great quality, but expensive. Looks messy. Tartan tunic: some have belt, some don't. I Think they all should have belt	Jun 20, 2012 4:54 AM
37	A turtle neck long sleeve looks better or collared with a neck tie piece	Jun 20, 2012 2:58 AM
38	i think that the red polo fleece jacket was a huge mistake.....the other jackets with a zip looked great and were warm.....so why change something that worked, without giving notice. now the school looks messy with different jackets	Jun 20, 2012 1:38 AM
39	I like the skivvie underneath the dress, or something more formal like a nice white peter pan collared shirt. The polo is too casual for a nice dress. Some children get hot in skivvies so there should be an option.	Jun 20, 2012 1:15 AM
40	i don't think the polo top suits the tunic style. the white skivvy looks so much nicer. i often get stopped in the street to say how lovely the uniform is when worn with the skivvy.	Jun 19, 2012 10:35 PM
41	It looks great with skivvy - I didn't know it was long sleeve polo.....	Jun 19, 2012 8:30 PM
42	The white polo is terrible. Its a sports shirt! Please introduce a plain white cotton, easy to buy, Midford shirt, that either has a rounded or pointed collar.	Jun 19, 2012 7:21 PM

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On very cold days, I think it is also fine to still wear the white skivvy if not on an excursion. Cannot stand the jacket. Please introduce a wool blend, unisex, red woollen jumper. They are all machine washable these days. We are not Americans and should not be wearing a baseball jacket.

43	It requires too much adult intervention to get dressed. And some girls (not all) find the stocking NOT warm enough and keep having to be "hitched" up cause they never quite fit right. Bring back pull on pants. Black or Grey or Red... dont care... most girls look very smart in slacks.	Jun 19, 2012 4:29 PM
44	The polo looks very scruffy compared to the skivvy.	Jun 19, 2012 4:10 PM
45	Which red jacket do you mean as there is not one shown in the picture.	Jun 17, 2012 2:38 AM
46	Polo looks daggy under tunic	Jun 16, 2012 12:35 AM
47	A white skivy under the uniform would look smart and be a much more economical option	Jun 15, 2012 9:04 PM
48	thought the uniform was white skivvy	Jun 15, 2012 8:48 PM
49	Would prefer skivvy or collared flannel shirt. Also would like the option of a red wool blend jumper.	Jun 15, 2012 3:14 PM
50	The polo shirt does not sit comfortably under the dress	Jun 15, 2012 12:03 AM
51	I'm not sure by what you mean by red jacket - there seems to be two options of red jackets currently??	Jun 14, 2012 11:01 PM
52	The long sleeve white polo looks untidy and it is ridiculous to have to purchase a school polo with a logo on it when you can't even see the logo under the tunic. I think a long sleeved white collared shirt looks much smarter.	Jun 14, 2012 5:47 PM
53	Winter uniform looks good but same goes for dresses being constrictive for girls' physical activity. White socks should also be an option as tights not healthy for girls to wear everyday.	Jun 14, 2012 5:15 PM
54	I don't think the red stripes on the collar work well with the tartan. Plain white turtle neck would look better, but I know the kids don't like wearing the turtle necks - maybe a plain white grandfather or smaller polo collar?	Jun 14, 2012 4:29 PM
55	The tunic's need to be consistent! I've recently bought two tunics and one has a belt, one doesn't, one is brightly coloured (red dominant) and the other is dull (grey dominant). It leads to problems of "I want one with a belt", "I only want to wear the coloured one", "Friend X doesn't have a dull dress" etc etc. I agree we should also be consistent with a long sleeve top but my children refuse to wear the long sleeve polo even though they will happily wear the short sleeve polo. They also refuse to wear a long sleeve blouse. They will wear a white long sleeve t-shirt or skivvy. Whichever long sleeve top is chosen, the children should be able to choose whether they wear long or short sleeves on any one day depending on the weather. Likewise for stockings vs socks.	Jun 14, 2012 3:15 AM
56	I think a white skivvy would look smarter. Collar doesn't suit under a tunic	Jun 14, 2012 2:52 AM
57	The tights could also be in colour black. The polo shirt could maybe be a blouse and perhaps a school jumper to be included.	Jun 14, 2012 2:30 AM

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58	I thought they were supposed to wear white skivvies under the winter dress. The fleece red jacket is too hot - the old style was better	Jun 14, 2012 2:19 AM
59	It looks fine except the tunic is expensive	Jun 13, 2012 10:17 PM
60	Not sure which red jacket you are talking about	Jun 13, 2012 9:29 PM

Page 5, Q7. Consider the current senior girls winter uniform.

1	The skirt is nice but not really necessary. Skort would be better.	Jun 29, 2012 11:01 PM
2	Maybe white blouses	Jun 29, 2012 6:42 PM
3	Not sure why the senior gils have ever had to have something different the boys dont and neither do most other schools	Jun 29, 2012 5:00 PM
4	I like it! It's warm and comfortable and not vastly different to the junior uniform for girls. Shows the school colours without being over the top with red!	Jun 29, 2012 2:06 AM
5	white polo shirt would look nicer/smarter if its a more shirt-like fabric rather than polo knitted material	Jun 28, 2012 7:00 PM
6	This uniform is used by the senior girls for both winter and summer	Jun 28, 2012 4:49 PM
7	You mean red fleece? Fine with it.	Jun 28, 2012 5:52 AM
8	White long sleeve shirt	Jun 27, 2012 9:43 PM
9	The top has no shape and would look better if it was fitted	Jun 27, 2012 4:53 PM
10	One winter uniform for all. Why is it different?	Jun 27, 2012 4:14 PM
11	I think there should be a white cotton shirt with scallop neck (Allambie public wear)	Jun 27, 2012 12:24 AM
12	Doesn't look as neat as the dress. If students want a senior uniform, it should be the same uniform for summer and winter however I don't think a senior uniform is necessary	Jun 26, 2012 4:43 AM
13	Could both senior and junior girls not have the option of either?	Jun 25, 2012 9:14 PM
14	The girls like to wear this skirt all year round.	Jun 25, 2012 7:50 PM
15	I don't have a senior girl right now, so ought to leave the decision to those who do.	Jun 25, 2012 6:09 PM
16	Again the tartan is let down by the casualness of the sports shirt. The school unfirom and sports uniform should be separate entities	Jun 25, 2012 4:01 AM
17	A white cotton blouse would look much nicer	Jun 25, 2012 3:45 AM
18	Perhaps trousers with the frequent physical activity.	Jun 24, 2012 3:55 AM
19	A white button up, collared long sleeve shirt would look nicer than the long sleeve polo	Jun 21, 2012 9:00 PM
20	I don't know when the skirt was introduced, but feel it is unecessary as they shouldn't need a different uniform	Jun 21, 2012 7:48 PM
21	As before - it is smart and easy care	Jun 21, 2012 6:40 PM
22	A formal skirt should be worn with a formal shirt/blouse or, again it looks untidy. Either have a casual uniform or a smart uniform otherwise the result is a mishmash.	Jun 21, 2012 6:48 AM
23	There needs to be a different style of top, the polo shirts do not wear well or	Jun 21, 2012 1:50 AM

Page 5, Q7. Consider the current senior girls winter uniform.

wash well. They look untidy and should be kept for sports day only. A cotton shirt/ blouse style would wear, wash look more groomed.

24	The white shirt would look better tucked in.	Jun 21, 2012 12:30 AM
25	polo tops look sloppy.	Jun 20, 2012 10:31 PM
26	The skirt is fine, but it would be nicer if all the girls wore the same uniform. The shirt really doesn't work with the skirt.	Jun 20, 2012 9:28 PM
27	Needs to be a more tailored shirt for the girls with a nice collar.	Jun 20, 2012 5:13 PM
28	senior girls should also have a white collared blouse. not a polo!	Jun 20, 2012 4:35 PM
29	again, not the color white for the shirts!	Jun 20, 2012 3:12 PM
30	I think the junior uniform/dress looks much more polished than the skirt with the casual polo top hanging out of it.	Jun 20, 2012 6:26 AM
31	See comments on question 6	Jun 20, 2012 4:55 AM
32	Shirt would look better with a neck tie or just a turtle neck. Jacket is not very stylish. A blaser would distinguish them better from junior school.	Jun 20, 2012 3:01 AM
33	the year 6 s have their own jacket.....so is it finacially effective for parents to buy a new jacket for year 5! i dont think so.....	Jun 20, 2012 1:40 AM
34	Polo shirt is too casual for the senior skirt. It would look better with a nice collared shirt.	Jun 20, 2012 1:18 AM
35	again, i don't think the polo top suits the style of the skirt.	Jun 19, 2012 10:36 PM
36	If the senior girls uniform is to be changed, please change the polo to a proper white shirt, with a wool mix, v-neck unisex jumper.	Jun 19, 2012 7:23 PM
37	Same comments as question 6.	Jun 19, 2012 4:29 PM
38	The polo looks scruffy. Should be a proper blouse.	Jun 19, 2012 4:11 PM
39	I don't think it looks as smart as the junior girls winter uniform, especially as no one wants to tuck the shirt in (which I understand!)	Jun 15, 2012 8:55 PM
40	See previous comment re jacket	Jun 14, 2012 11:03 PM
41	Again i think the polo shirt looks untidy and a white shirt would be smarter but at least you can see the logo.	Jun 14, 2012 5:50 PM
42	White socks should be an option, also short sleeves.	Jun 14, 2012 5:20 PM
43	White blouse would better match formality of skirt	Jun 14, 2012 4:30 PM
44	My children aren't at this age yet so I'm not really sure what they'll think. I gather they will like the differentiation of having a 'senior' uniform.	Jun 14, 2012 3:19 AM
45	Again perhaps the white polo could be a blouse and maybe a school jumper.	Jun 14, 2012 2:36 AM
46	Not sure why it needs to be different to the junior girls	Jun 14, 2012 2:24 AM

47 What red jacket?

Jun 13, 2012 9:30 PM

Page 5, Q8. Should grey tights be a required part of the senior girls uniform?

1	Not necessary	Jun 29, 2012 11:01 PM
2	should be optional as it gets hot especially now rooms are heated	Jun 29, 2012 4:48 AM
3	I think grey sox should be an option....who wants to have to wear tights when you are trying to be practical, sporty, comfortable etc. it should be an option.	Jun 29, 2012 2:06 AM
4	Maybe black leggings should be allowed as an alternative	Jun 28, 2012 3:40 AM
5	Should be the same as junior uniform	Jun 27, 2012 4:14 PM
6	Socks ok too	Jun 26, 2012 4:43 AM
7	I think if they are happy without tights it shouldn't be forced.	Jun 25, 2012 9:14 PM
8	but optional	Jun 25, 2012 7:50 PM
9	Black maybe?	Jun 25, 2012 3:46 PM
10	Although white socks should be ok in warmer times.	Jun 25, 2012 4:01 AM
11	Again the physical activity 4 times a week makes the tights difficult to wear yet legs get cold in only the skirt and short socks.	Jun 24, 2012 3:55 AM
12	you can hardly enforce juniours wear it if the seniors won't. They should be an example	Jun 21, 2012 7:48 PM
13	Tights keep legs warm but are annoying to wear as they slip down. Young girls shouldn't have to fuss with tights	Jun 21, 2012 6:40 PM
14	sometimes its too hot for tights	Jun 21, 2012 12:20 AM
15	grey tights or white socks	Jun 20, 2012 4:35 PM
16	The trick will be what do you replace them with??	Jun 20, 2012 5:49 AM
17	I don't like seeing the girls wear no stockings. You can buy thin grey ones, but wearing socks and shoes with the skirt looks messy.	Jun 20, 2012 1:18 AM
18	it's hard to enforce the juniors to wear something when the seniors who should be setting an example, won't wear them	Jun 18, 2012 5:15 AM
19	white socks	Jun 16, 2012 3:43 PM
20	To be consistent with the junior girls uniform	Jun 15, 2012 12:05 AM
21	Senior girls balk at wearing tights - they should have the option to wear short socks. They are still identifiable by other elements of the senior uniform	Jun 14, 2012 11:03 PM
22	Definitely for winter	Jun 14, 2012 8:34 PM
23	I think they should be able to wear white socks and black shoes if its warm.	Jun 14, 2012 5:50 PM
24	I would like the option of legging and socks instead of tights. We are very tall in our family and have problems with the fitting of tights.	Jun 14, 2012 5:39 PM
25	Tights are not healthy for girls to wear everyday.	Jun 14, 2012 5:20 PM

Page 5, Q8. Should grey tights be a required part of the senior girls uniform?

26	They look good but they're not appropriate on warmer days, and let's face it, Sydney's weather can be erratic at times.	Jun 14, 2012 3:19 AM
27	also tights in black.	Jun 14, 2012 2:36 AM
28	Some girls would prefer to wear socks - that should be acceptable	Jun 14, 2012 2:24 AM

Page 5, Q9. Should there be a stipulation regarding the polo shirt for the senior girls winter uniform?

1	Should be dependant on comfort/ weather.	Jun 29, 2012 11:01 PM
2	short sleeves are adequate with a jacket,it is just another purchase to make for a short time and sleeves get quite marked	Jun 29, 2012 4:48 AM
3	Kids being kids, forget their jackets at times and a long sleeve top would at least ensure their arms are covered in winter.	Jun 29, 2012 2:06 AM
4	Don't wanting to be wearing a long sleeve polo shirt if it's hot. Can still get hot days in winter and also some kids don't feel the cold	Jun 28, 2012 4:49 PM
5	would prefer a diferent style of long sleeve top though. Polo seems too summery, even in long sleeve.	Jun 28, 2012 5:52 AM
6	It should be a nice cotton shirt	Jun 27, 2012 12:24 AM
7	Different children will have different backgrounds and hence will need differing levels of protection from the cold.	Jun 25, 2012 9:14 PM
8	Different kids have different internal temperature levels!	Jun 25, 2012 6:09 PM
9	The polo shirts should not BE part of the senior girls winter uniform.	Jun 25, 2012 4:01 AM
10	In my opinion it should not be a polo shirt.	Jun 21, 2012 6:48 AM
11	No polo shirt. Should be only for sports day. sleeve length should be a choice.	Jun 21, 2012 1:50 AM
12	sometimes too hot for long sleeves or short sleeves preferred. Also expensive to have enough of both for every day	Jun 21, 2012 12:20 AM
13	You can have some very hot days at beginning and end of winter so would be impractical to just have long sleeve.	Jun 21, 2012 12:12 AM
14	It doesn't go with the skirt - something smarter would be better.	Jun 20, 2012 8:13 AM
15	However, I don't think the polo shirt with the skirt looks very good in the first place.	Jun 20, 2012 6:26 AM
16	The Polo doesn't look very smart with the checked skirt. Maybe a shirt would be better?	Jun 20, 2012 5:49 AM
17	None of my kids will ever wear a long sleeved polo even on the coldest days. There should be a choice.	Jun 20, 2012 5:09 AM
18	I don't like the polo shirt with the skirt.	Jun 20, 2012 1:18 AM
19	Please see above re a change from the polo shirt.	Jun 19, 2012 7:23 PM
20	It should be a proper long sleeve blouse as it is looks very scruffy.	Jun 19, 2012 4:11 PM
21	Often the girls prefer the short sleeve polo shirts all year round - very few ever wear long sleeve	Jun 14, 2012 11:07 PM
22	Especially for excursions	Jun 14, 2012 8:34 PM
23	Should be able to choose depending on weather. Though if representing the school then one style should be indicated.	Jun 14, 2012 5:20 PM

Page 5, Q9. Should there be a stipulation regarding the polo shirt for the senior girls winter uniform?

24	With Sydney's weather being erratic at times I think both options should be permissible.	Jun 14, 2012 3:19 AM
25	As long as the same type of polo or shirt is being worn i have no problem with long or short sleeve.	Jun 14, 2012 2:36 AM
26	It gets too expensive if you stipulate it needs to be one or the other.	Jun 14, 2012 2:24 AM

Page 5, Q10. Should the senior girls have a different winter uniform to the junior girls?

1	Not necessary	Jun 29, 2012 11:01 PM
2	As is currently	Jun 29, 2012 6:51 AM
3	For practical, financial reasons it should be the same or very similar (like now). We are such a small school I don't think we have the numbers to be segregating by grade.	Jun 29, 2012 2:06 AM
4	This is the only school where the seniors have a different uniform. It makes for lots of different uniforms in the one school and it looks messy	Jun 28, 2012 4:49 PM
5	If different to junior girls it should comprise a skirt in the same material as the junior girls with polo short or white shirt/blouse	Jun 28, 2012 3:02 AM
6	current skirt and cotton shirt	Jun 27, 2012 12:24 AM
7	if yes, then it should only be one uniform all year round...too expensive!!!	Jun 26, 2012 4:43 AM
8	See previous comments re: summer uniform - though I can perhaps see why older girls may no longer fit a pinafore style dress.	Jun 25, 2012 9:14 PM
9	Yes - the girls look forward to the seniority of a different uniform. And the junior girls can id who the senior girls are	Jun 25, 2012 4:01 AM
10	I think there are arguments either way and probably just needs a decision more based around whether senior students (male or female) need a different uniform and should it change with the seasons.	Jun 24, 2012 3:55 AM
11	I think all the girls should have the same uniform. We are not in high school	Jun 21, 2012 7:48 PM
12	Too much expense when it's not necessary.	Jun 21, 2012 12:30 AM
13	As stated before hard to cater for the larger girls in a tunic.	Jun 21, 2012 12:12 AM
14	Key is in the word "uniform"	Jun 20, 2012 9:28 PM
15	If it stays don't change it. Personally feel the girls uniform should be the same for all years..	Jun 20, 2012 2:23 AM
16	I don't think the senior girls should have a different uniform at all, but you may not be able to take the skirt away	Jun 18, 2012 5:15 AM
17	Not necessary. Best if the whole school has the "one look".	Jun 14, 2012 5:20 PM
18	Yes, i am happy with winter tunic we have now for junior and tartan skirt for senior.	Jun 14, 2012 2:36 AM
19	It gets expensive having to change uniforms. I have not spoken to the senior students about this though - it is important that they are comfortable in what they are wearing.	Jun 14, 2012 2:24 AM

Page 6, Q11. The junior and senior boys have the same summer uniform. How do you feel about this?

1	If the senior girls have a slightly different uniform to junior girls then need to apply consistency and make senior boys slightly different - grey shorts / pants perhaps instead of red for senior boys	Jun 28, 2012 3:04 AM
2	Don't imagine the boys care	Jun 26, 2012 4:45 AM
3	Again even the senior children are still children. They do not need a different uniform. Even less reason for boys than girls. It would merely add additional expense having to rebuy all the uniforms once the children hit the senior grades.	Jun 25, 2012 9:18 PM
4	I don't have a senior boy right now, so ought to leave the decision to those who do.	Jun 25, 2012 6:10 PM
5	It would be good for the senior boys to have some recognition too!	Jun 25, 2012 4:02 AM
6	I think the question is do seniors need a different uniform boy or girl	Jun 24, 2012 3:56 AM
7	I think it is helpful for the younger students to identify the older kids in the playground	Jun 21, 2012 6:41 PM
8	Grey shorts would be good,	Jun 21, 2012 1:58 AM
9	especially if the girls do!	Jun 20, 2012 4:37 PM
10	If the girls have something different, then the boys may want to differentiate themselves also.	Jun 20, 2012 1:22 AM
11	I believe the fewer variation to the uniform the better, the end result is smarter and more consistent for the school community. It is also easier for parents.	Jun 15, 2012 12:11 AM
12	should be standard - different for all seniors of the same	Jun 14, 2012 11:08 PM
13	Same reasons as for girls different uniforms - to identify them as seniors and give them more of a sense of responsibility	Jun 14, 2012 11:05 PM
14	The girls love having a senior uniform to graduate to, I don't think it matters as much to boys, but they may appreciate it.	Jun 14, 2012 4:32 PM
15	cost	Jun 14, 2012 3:54 PM
16	See previous comment	Jun 14, 2012 3:10 AM
17	I don't feel that the boys really mind as much as the girls do with different summer uniform. My only thought could be junior boys red shorts and senior boys say black shorts.	Jun 14, 2012 2:40 AM
18	Maybe Different coloured shorts	Jun 13, 2012 9:30 PM

Page 6, Q12. Consider the current junior and senior boys summer uniform

1	Definitely needs smartening up looks like a sports uniform	Jun 29, 2012 5:01 PM
2	Stricker rules to apply around the right length socks eg need to be ankle length	Jun 28, 2012 5:49 PM
3	Maybe black or grey shorts to distinguish from the sports shorts which are also red	Jun 28, 2012 4:50 PM
4	Sometimes new Polo Shirt can run in the wash (the red part of the Polo Shirt).	Jun 28, 2012 3:41 AM
5	Maybe grey socks as the white are really hard to keep clean	Jun 28, 2012 1:04 AM
6	Boys look smart in red/white	Jun 26, 2012 4:45 AM
7	White socks should change to grey - far more appropriate with black shoes. I like the white shirt but it is very impractical.	Jun 25, 2012 9:18 PM
8	It's unique and smart. I think they look great!	Jun 25, 2012 6:10 PM
9	i don't like the polyester material. cotton drill would be better.	Jun 24, 2012 8:15 PM
10	White polo is so hard to keep clean & I find it quite expensive to buy new ones.	Jun 21, 2012 3:22 PM
11	I like the red shorts for summer, I think the senior boys should have charcoal grey shorts and red for sport only. The polo shirt might be better if it was of a higher quality. They pill after only a few wears and washes, they are hard to keep clean, I always soak them in vanish stain remover soak and they only just come up ok.	Jun 21, 2012 1:58 AM
12	The red is bright and makes them stand out.	Jun 21, 2012 12:13 AM
13	The red shorts look odd on the boys, I would prefer grey	Jun 20, 2012 4:10 PM
14	not color white for shirts!	Jun 20, 2012 3:12 PM
15	A smarter different style of shorts would be an improvement.	Jun 20, 2012 8:14 AM
16	Many people have asked if this is a sports uniform. I think the perception is this uniform is very casual. I would prefer grey shorts for the boys uniform and perhaps a red polo that doesn't get as dirty as the white polo.	Jun 20, 2012 6:28 AM
17	Short/long white sleeve polo looks messy, quality of the material could be improved?	Jun 20, 2012 4:55 AM
18	Socks should be ankle socks and not the ultra short 'jogger' socks	Jun 20, 2012 2:23 AM
19	i have been at this school for many years and have seen many changes....when will we be happy?? the red shorts look great, however i feel that they should have stayed the knit fabric. They were comfortable, looked great and fitted all different shapes	Jun 20, 2012 1:42 AM
20	I don't like that the boys look like they are in sport uniform all the time.	Jun 20, 2012 1:22 AM
21	This is their sports uniform, and looks extremely sloppy. They should have a separate day uniform like the girls. Really bad for excursions. Grey short sleeve Midford school shirt with collar (tucked in), grey shorts, long grey	Jun 19, 2012 7:26 PM

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	socks with double red stripe at the top, pulled up. Very smart and easy to buy at Big W, or similar, except for the socks, which would need to be made for the uniform shop etc.	
22	Shorts are just too baggy and the style doesnt look smart.... happy with the colour.	Jun 19, 2012 4:29 PM
23	Change top to proper short sleeved white shirt. Looks scruffy.	Jun 19, 2012 4:12 PM
24	I like to idea of the polo shirt however they are impossible to keep/get clean. For kindy boys this is a big problem, after 1 and a half terms they are pilling, greying and stained despite much soaking and attempts with stain removal . At \$25 each it is expensive to continuously buy more when this happens	Jun 15, 2012 9:07 PM
25	White is a really impractical colour and quickly results in a grubby look. Grey socks would be better than white.	Jun 15, 2012 3:17 PM
26	Manly people prefer the material of the old shorts, it is the same as the girls skorts material which again maintains consistency.	Jun 15, 2012 12:11 AM
27	Maybe change colour of shorts to identify juniors Vs seniors? Or change sleeve colour? Look at other schools do for ideas	Jun 14, 2012 11:05 PM
28	Looks smart and comfortable for active boys although I think perhaps it would be good to distinguish the sport and school uniform by wearing different shorts. School should supply napsan to keep shirt and socks white- heehee!	Jun 14, 2012 3:10 AM
29	all good	Jun 14, 2012 2:40 AM

Page 7, Q13. The senior boys winter uniform is the same as the juniors', unlike the senior girls who have a different winter uniform from the junior girls. How do you feel about this?

1	Less variation is better.	Jun 29, 2012 11:04 PM
2	Long sleeve white shirt	Jun 29, 2012 6:44 PM
3	I have barely seen any boys wear the gabadene pants only the kindy boys this year,they all used to wear trackies	Jun 29, 2012 4:51 AM
4	I agree with having the same uniform. I may be generalizing, but I don't think the boys would mind all having the same attire. It's comfortable and warm and that's most important.	Jun 29, 2012 2:08 AM
5	It's nice to have that uniform consistency	Jun 28, 2012 4:52 PM
6	I see no reason for diferent junior/senior uniforms.	Jun 28, 2012 5:56 AM
7	Should be consistent - if senior girls is different to junior girls then senior boys needs to be slightly different to junior boys	Jun 28, 2012 3:05 AM
8	no senior uniform required	Jun 26, 2012 4:46 AM
9	See previous comments. I think all uniforms should be the same for senior and junior.	Jun 25, 2012 9:19 PM
10	I don't have a senior boy right now, so ought to leave the decision to those who do.	Jun 25, 2012 6:11 PM
11	They should have a different one if the decision is seniors, irrespective of sex, have a different uniform.	Jun 24, 2012 3:57 AM
12	The senior boys should have a seperate uniform if the senior girls do but I don't mind if neither do.	Jun 24, 2012 12:05 AM
13	I am not necessarily neutral as I think if girls have a difference in being a senior then the boys should too, not just the girls. But happy to have all children dressing the same as rest of school	Jun 22, 2012 11:04 PM
14	It looks fine the same and not changing it saves money. It suits all the boys no matter how old they are.	Jun 21, 2012 1:31 AM
15	Uniform should be the same for seniors and juniors	Jun 20, 2012 9:31 PM
16	The younger boys love being like the big boys.	Jun 20, 2012 8:15 AM
17	Maybe they should have something to look forward to like the girls to make them feel like they are seniors? Don't know what though.	Jun 20, 2012 5:13 AM
18	The uniform should remain the same for boys and girls throughout all the years at school. Difference based only on gender and season, not age.	Jun 20, 2012 2:23 AM
19	No dont think they should be different. Also i dont think the boys should be made to wear the long pants. Most boys i know are very happy wearing shorts all the time. Families have enough costs with having to buy a different uniform for the final years	Jun 20, 2012 1:45 AM
20	Just please change from the white polo shirt. Please introduce a grey long sleeve shirt with collar, tucked in, with a red v-neck wool-mix unisex jumper. School crest on the right chest area.	Jun 19, 2012 7:28 PM

Page 7, Q13. The senior boys winter uniform is the same as the juniors', unlike the senior girls who have a different winter uniform from the junior girls. How do you feel about this?

21	It looks smart	Jun 17, 2012 2:40 AM
22	if the girls have a different one maybe the boys should too	Jun 15, 2012 11:07 PM
23	Pale grey n black long trousers	Jun 15, 2012 6:23 AM
24	should be standard - different for both boys and girls or same for both	Jun 14, 2012 11:09 PM
25	It is odd that the girls have a different uniform and the boys dont - they should either both have a different uniform or both have the same uniform	Jun 14, 2012 5:52 PM
26	cost	Jun 14, 2012 3:55 PM
27	See previous comment re like that senior and junior uniforms are the same	Jun 14, 2012 3:11 AM
28	again if a change i think just colour eg grey long pants junior and black long pants senior.	Jun 14, 2012 2:42 AM

Page 7, Q14. Consider the current junior and senior boys winter uniform

1	Maybe just shorts or track pants if cold	Jun 29, 2012 11:04 PM
2	The boys always look smart.	Jun 29, 2012 3:15 AM
3	short sleeve polo should be an option as well as grey or red shorts for the pants	Jun 28, 2012 5:50 PM
4	Looks lovely..... very smart.	Jun 28, 2012 4:52 PM
5	the boys winter uniform is hard to enforce as most boys do not want to wear long pants or long shirts	Jun 28, 2012 3:07 PM
6	My son seems to want to wear shorts even in mid-winter	Jun 28, 2012 5:56 AM
7	Grey socks	Jun 28, 2012 1:05 AM
8	Long sleeve white shirt	Jun 27, 2012 9:45 PM
9	Boys get hot easily. Maybe they need the option of summer uniform too.	Jun 26, 2012 4:46 AM
10	Should be grey socks. White shirt looks nice but impractical.	Jun 25, 2012 9:19 PM
11	It's smart and mirrors the grey tights worn by the girls. I'm happy with it.	Jun 25, 2012 6:11 PM
12	Polo looks too sloppy with gaberdine pants	Jun 25, 2012 4:03 AM
13	Long sleeve, button up, collared shirts would look nicer than the long sleeve polo.	Jun 21, 2012 9:01 PM
14	Red new pants with zips preferred to grey trousers.	Jun 21, 2012 3:27 AM
15	Grey socks	Jun 21, 2012 2:00 AM
16	The long sleeve polo shirt just looks scruffy and my son refuses to wear it. The grey trousers are nice, but no one wears them, so they should make it compulsory or dispense with them.	Jun 20, 2012 9:31 PM
17	My boys NEVER wear long sleeves or pants, even in the height of winter. They only ever wear the red shorts.	Jun 20, 2012 5:15 PM
18	red jacket - please back to old. Because the old was better also I believe that as this is a public school it is not right to being spending a lot of money changing uniforms ! Please have consideration ! We will simply ignore changing to new uniforms when we have hand me downs ready to go from the past.	Jun 20, 2012 3:14 PM
19	no white shirts, they get too dirty	Jun 20, 2012 3:13 PM
20	I like the long grey pants but the style is pretty daggy! Mine will only wear the long pants on specific occasions though. Shorts all year round.	Jun 20, 2012 5:13 AM
21	Long or short sleeved school polo acceptable dependent on temperature or activity	Jun 20, 2012 2:23 AM
22	the polo fleece jackets need to go back to the original jackets (as my boys say.....polo fleece is for babies and old men)	Jun 20, 2012 1:45 AM
23	I rarely see boys in the grey pants. They wear the red shorts all the time.	Jun 20, 2012 1:23 AM

Page 7, Q14. Consider the current junior and senior boys winter uniform

24	The white polo shirt should come in 100% cotton	Jun 19, 2012 8:33 PM
25	Would prefer a grey shirt, red jumper, grey socks. Please see above.	Jun 19, 2012 7:28 PM
26	Change top to a proper white shirt. This looks scruffy.	Jun 19, 2012 4:12 PM
27	The uniform looks smart especially when on excursions.	Jun 17, 2012 2:40 AM
28	although should be able to have choice of short sleeve polo shirt	Jun 16, 2012 3:44 PM
29	I like to idea of the polo shirt however they are impossible to keep/get clean. For kindy boys this is a big problem, after 1 and a half terms they are pilling, greying and stained despite much soaking and attempts with stain removal . At \$25 each it is expensive to continuously buy more when this happens	Jun 15, 2012 9:07 PM
30	Prefer grey socks. Prefer different colour polo	Jun 15, 2012 3:18 PM
31	As before	Jun 15, 2012 6:23 AM
32	my son prefers to wear shorts and short sleeve polo all year which I am happy with.	Jun 15, 2012 1:50 AM
33	We would prefer the pants in a softer material, more like tracksuit bottoms or alternatively being able to wear the red tracksuit bottoms daily. I can't get my son to wear his gray pants.	Jun 14, 2012 5:41 PM
34	I like this uniform :)	Jun 14, 2012 3:11 AM
35	just a thought again a possible jumper.	Jun 14, 2012 2:42 AM
36	What re jacket	Jun 13, 2012 9:31 PM

Page 8, Q15. The requirement for "white" sneakers is rarely enforced as part of the sports uniform. How do you feel about this?

1	Never knew white sneakers were a requirement	Jun 29, 2012 11:08 PM
2	Just state no black ones	Jun 29, 2012 6:45 PM
3	as white as possible but depends on what people can manage at the time of purchase	Jun 29, 2012 4:54 AM
4	When you adhere to the uniform rules regarding white sneakers, it is very frustrating to see kids in non white sneakers especially as they can cost up to \$70! The rule should either be enforced for everyone or dropped.	Jun 29, 2012 3:18 AM
5	I think the fact that the children wear practical sport shoes is more important than what colour they are. Especially since they probably double up and wear them at home and on weekends. They are not part of the formal uniform so it's fine .	Jun 29, 2012 2:13 AM
6	Not practical	Jun 28, 2012 10:18 PM
7	sneakers suitable for sports come in so many different colours, therefore white should not be compulsory	Jun 28, 2012 5:52 PM
8	I think black sneakers would be a better option..... much more practical and easier to find in the stores	Jun 28, 2012 4:53 PM
9	White sneakers for sports uniform should be enforced	Jun 28, 2012 3:06 AM
10	Didn't know that the requirement was white sneakers for sports	Jun 28, 2012 1:06 AM
11	You buy what fits and it's not always white	Jun 26, 2012 4:48 AM
12	Shoes are expensive. For sport they should be able to wear what they have.	Jun 25, 2012 9:22 PM
13	White sneakers get dirty very quickly and my kids won't then wear them outside of school. There's no room in my budget to purchase multiple pairs of sneakers, so even if the school decides to make white sneakers part of the uniform, I will probably flout it (sorry!). Money doesn't grow on trees ;)	Jun 25, 2012 6:15 PM
14	I think it doesn't matter what colour as long as it is sneakers.	Jun 25, 2012 3:50 PM
15	Looks far smarter if they are all wearing the similar colour sneakers - eg PSSA touring groups would look more competitive and unified as a squad (Yes - I know - even the Rugby players wear different shoes!!!!)	Jun 25, 2012 4:05 AM
16	It is almost impossible to buy only white sneakers....and they look totally dirty in a couple of wears. Could consideration be given to the black sneakers/runners now available.	Jun 24, 2012 3:57 AM
17	However I don't mind if majority of the sneaker is white and it has a black or red Colour or a small % of another Colour on it. If you only want white it certainly limits our choice in a sneaker	Jun 22, 2012 11:06 PM
18	Not completely tennis white, but at least white background sneakers should be worn.	Jun 21, 2012 9:04 PM
19	I try to purchase white sneakers each year, however, it is difficult to always find sneakers without some kind of colour or marking in the required size	Jun 21, 2012 6:45 PM

Page 8, Q15. The requirement for 'white' sneakers is rarely enforced as part of the sports uniform. How do you feel about this?

20	If it is a uniform rule, it should be enforced. Otherwise do not make a stipulation.	Jun 21, 2012 6:52 AM
21	The children wear them for the whole day when they have sports which looks a bit scruffy. They should either carry them to school and just change for sports or have the black school shoes which double as runners that are available now.	Jun 21, 2012 1:39 AM
22	I think mostly white is good	Jun 21, 2012 12:23 AM
23	This is a public school it is not right to being spending a lot of money of this. When a family can't afford to buy then their kids look different and get teased. Please think thru all these changes and the money cost. Please have consideration !	Jun 20, 2012 3:18 PM
24	I think it would be good to wear white shoes when "off site" for sport eg. PSSA.	Jun 20, 2012 5:53 AM
25	Who wears white sneakers?	Jun 20, 2012 5:15 AM
26	White only sneakers for sport etc. No coloured or blatantly 'designer' style. Removes the Target v Nike peer pressure issues.	Jun 20, 2012 2:24 AM
27	Sneakers these days are in many different colours and don't think it is important.	Jun 20, 2012 1:25 AM
28	It should be enforced whether it remains white or changes to black.	Jun 19, 2012 4:14 PM
29	could be stipulated no brightly coloured sneakers but generally they are white/grey/black	Jun 16, 2012 4:03 PM
30	having the option to wear 'black' sneakers is functional for both inside and outside play.	Jun 15, 2012 1:52 AM
31	If you are going to have a rule it should be enforced.	Jun 15, 2012 12:11 AM
32	very difficult to get all white (or even almost all white) sneakers	Jun 14, 2012 11:11 PM
33	Black sneakers are a better fit with the uniform and can also be worn as school shoes.	Jun 14, 2012 11:06 PM
34	I think the uniform whatever it is should be enforced.	Jun 14, 2012 6:09 PM
35	White sneakers are not usually the best sport shoe.	Jun 14, 2012 5:24 PM
36	I think that we need to remember that we are a public school and as such cater for all different socioeconomic groups. I want to be able to buy my child the best sports shoes (with regards to support) that I can afford. If they don't happen to be white, so be it.	Jun 14, 2012 3:29 AM
37	no problem	Jun 14, 2012 2:48 AM
38	But not a complete white but not a brightly coloured shoe. Some colours in the sneaker should be OK remembering the different sizes, widths and needs, it would be impossible for everyone to have the same sneakers	Jun 13, 2012 9:34 PM

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1	This is a comfortable/ practical uniform	Jun 29, 2012 11:08 PM
2	Sort or shorts are necessary for girls if we expect them to do gym, dance, upside down things and in order for them to climb on equipment without feeling in any way self conscious.	Jun 29, 2012 2:13 AM
3	red shorts could be an option	Jun 28, 2012 5:52 PM
4	This seems to be worn by girls all the time, not just on sports days.	Jun 28, 2012 6:02 AM
5	girls like it	Jun 26, 2012 4:48 AM
6	It's smart and distinctive. No need to change!	Jun 25, 2012 6:15 PM
7	Easy and comfortable to wear.	Jun 25, 2012 4:05 AM
8	Very Practical	Jun 25, 2012 4:05 AM
9	This is a great uniform. The girls are comfortable and have no inhibitions when wearing the skorts	Jun 21, 2012 6:45 PM
10	Quality of shirt needs to be looked at.	Jun 21, 2012 2:04 AM
11	I think the girls should be allowed to wear shorts if they prefer	Jun 21, 2012 12:23 AM
12	It's quite a heavy material and the girls get very hot in them. They also find it difficult to pull them up when they are hot and sweaty.	Jun 21, 2012 12:16 AM
13	It's good and the pragmatic approach of letting them wear it to school works well.	Jun 20, 2012 9:34 PM
14	same reasons about cost	Jun 20, 2012 3:18 PM
15	not white	Jun 20, 2012 3:14 PM
16	The shirt has been changed many times through out the years that i have been at the school.....this is the best thus far.....why change when it looks great	Jun 20, 2012 1:47 AM
17	Good as is	Jun 20, 2012 1:25 AM
18	Cotton polo shirt option please	Jun 19, 2012 8:35 PM
19	Looks good.	Jun 19, 2012 7:30 PM
20	It is a pity though the fabric is quite heavy weight for our summers. Is there not a slightly lighter weight fabric?	Jun 19, 2012 4:30 PM
21	White very impractical	Jun 15, 2012 3:20 PM
22	It is smart and very popular for all - no need to change	Jun 14, 2012 11:11 PM
23	Why is the child modelling the uniform wearing black shoes???? The uniform is white shoes.	Jun 14, 2012 6:09 PM
24	Red shorts should also be an option.	Jun 14, 2012 5:24 PM
25	Comfortable and practical.	Jun 14, 2012 3:29 AM

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26	Sneakers would look nicer if white	Jun 14, 2012 3:12 AM
27	all good	Jun 14, 2012 2:48 AM
28	The kids are comfy and it looks nice. Maybe the top should be a bit more practical for sports	Jun 13, 2012 10:20 PM
29	Shorts should not be allowed in the option as it makes them look untidy	Jun 13, 2012 9:34 PM

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1	Don't like the red track pants, grey is better	Jun 29, 2012 11:08 PM
2	Red track suit pants makes the kids look like they are from a special school	Jun 29, 2012 5:03 PM
3	girls do not like the red tracksuit pants,if they are too long I have heard they are skuffing easily and zippers are busting,they are an expensive option	Jun 29, 2012 4:54 AM
4	Maybe a school track suit could be used for sport?. Predominently black with some red stripes and logo. Sometimes the red is a bit too fullon!	Jun 29, 2012 2:13 AM
5	the red track pants are awful especially when teamed with the red jacket	Jun 28, 2012 3:08 PM
6	All the girls which I know don't like the red track pants. I think the girls should be allowed the grey track pants	Jun 28, 2012 3:44 AM
7	The red pants look terrible	Jun 27, 2012 9:46 PM
8	The red track pants do not look good especially worn with red jackets. Too much red.	Jun 27, 2012 4:58 PM
9	red track pants to be phased in over period of time as many already have grey	Jun 26, 2012 4:48 AM
10	Red track pants are a problem. Need to consider sizing and possible need to alter garments to fit (without too much effort). This isn't possible with the red track pants due to the zip at. The leg.	Jun 25, 2012 9:22 PM
11	prefer grey track pants as it looks like too much red	Jun 25, 2012 7:50 PM
12	Yes, I love this too. At the moment, my kids are still wearing the grey track pants (sorry, money doesn't grow on trees!)... But I can't wait for them to grow out of them so I can switch to the new red track pants!	Jun 25, 2012 6:15 PM
13	The red track pants are so baggy they look ridiculous on slim children. We need a slim line option so the kids don't look like clowns.	Jun 25, 2012 3:52 AM
14	I like the red track pants but they do not seem to be very durable. My daughter fell over and has a hole in the knee. I think simple track pants - classic style - without elastic band round the ankles would be great.	Jun 25, 2012 2:29 AM
15	the red pants are not very nice on the girls, but if you introduce a new style you need it to be clear that it is for sport only and not a replacement for the tartan dress	Jun 21, 2012 7:51 PM
16	My year 5 daughter and her peers dislike the new track pants. They are choosing not to wear them and are going to school each day with cold, bare legs. This may not be a problem in the future as the next generation of students grow up with the new style	Jun 21, 2012 6:45 PM
17	Red track pants would be OK if they were made to fit properly. They have a far too long crotch making them look oversized and baggy.	Jun 21, 2012 5:09 AM
18	Red pants look terrible.	Jun 21, 2012 2:45 AM
19	There is so much red, especially with the red hat too. Would it be worth considering a different colour somewhere?	Jun 21, 2012 2:04 AM
20	The red track pants are difficult to enforce as the older children especially	Jun 21, 2012 1:39 AM

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	don't really like them. There everyday uniform doubles as a sports uniform anyway so you may as well keep them in the grey gaberdine pants.	
21	the red pants are AWFUL. everyone hates them (sorry!)	Jun 21, 2012 12:23 AM
22	Red pants don't work, you cannot hem because of the zip and they are bulky.	Jun 20, 2012 10:34 PM
23	The kids don't seem to like to red pants, mine refuses to wear them!	Jun 20, 2012 4:13 PM
24	red track pants - change back to old girls don't like. and more importantly again the money ! and then kids can't afford get teased.	Jun 20, 2012 3:18 PM
25	not white	Jun 20, 2012 3:14 PM
26	She would rather walk the plank than wear the red track pants..it will not happen..and she's devastated that the grey track pants are no longer.	Jun 20, 2012 5:15 AM
27	Only comment on red track pants: they are quite big and don't fit very well. My daughter is in kindy, I got size 4 but they are gigantic and keep falling down I think there should be only one option for track pants (no red skort) in winter	Jun 20, 2012 4:57 AM
28	Red track pants are horrible. Allambie heights have much nicer sports pants for girls.	Jun 20, 2012 3:06 AM
29	i dont like the red track pants.....i think they should be for sport and i ll say it again the jacket need to go back to the orginal bomber style jacket with a zip	Jun 20, 2012 1:47 AM
30	The red track suit pants is too much red. The design is wrong and looks like the girls are wearing a nappy. A bootleg design is more appropriate, my girls said they would rather freeze!	Jun 20, 2012 1:25 AM
31	New red trouser picks up stains very easily	Jun 19, 2012 8:35 PM
32	I really do not like the jacket. The fleece would be fine except it is currently the wrong colour red. The jacket looks like an American baseball jacket.	Jun 19, 2012 7:30 PM
33	Tried to do the right thing and buy red track pants. Tried 3 times but now mine will NOT wear them as they are so baggy and the drawstring is a pain for the smaller kids to do up. Also - whilst the feel nice on the inside, mine says they tickle all the time and annoying.	Jun 19, 2012 4:30 PM
34	The new red track pants look very baggy and scruffy. The grey looked much better.	Jun 19, 2012 4:14 PM
35	They should be able to wear Grey tracksuit pants or Red	Jun 18, 2012 5:02 PM
36	I think the grey track pants for girls were much nicer	Jun 18, 2012 5:18 AM
37	Does it really need to be separated into summer and winter? The only difference is the choice to wear tracksuit. Uniform is red short and white shirt (either long/short) and option to wear tracksuit/jacket if cold	Jun 16, 2012 4:03 PM
38	I don't know any girls who want to wear the new red pants, they'd rather wear the skort. Grey trackpants without the elastic wasn't an option?	Jun 15, 2012 9:07 PM
39	Current red track pants are unattractive, would prefer fleece.	Jun 15, 2012 3:20 PM

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40	Hate the red trackpants	Jun 15, 2012 6:27 AM
41	See previous comments re jacket	Jun 14, 2012 11:06 PM
42	Red track pants are useless for girls as they are both non functional for sports And extremely messy looking girls much better off with dance pants that can be used and something the girls are willing to use	Jun 14, 2012 9:13 PM
43	As far as I am concerned the winter uniform is still grey track pants. The red pants appeared out of nowhere with no consultation not even a note to parents advising them of a change to the uniform. They were just there one day with a brief mention in the newsletter. Most of the girls don't like them and many are refusing to wear them. I think the fact that they were brought in without any discussion or advice is really disappointing, particularly as they are so unpopular.	Jun 14, 2012 6:09 PM
44	The red track pants are a bad fit.	Jun 14, 2012 5:24 PM
45	Red track pants have not been embraced by many children.	Jun 14, 2012 4:19 AM
46	The red pants are not well fitted - on some children they are way too long and you see them flapping on the ground, on other children, such as my own who are tall and slim, if the waist fits the legs are too short etc. I think grey tracksuit pants as per previous years are fine especially because we could shop around and buy the style that best fitted our children. Perhaps you could modernise the uniform look, ie open ankle not elasticised no stripe down the side,so that we have a brief when we do shop around. I do believe the grey pants look good and are easy to do. The children are happy to wear them too. I do think the red pants look good - when they fit - so suggest that if you do decide to continue with these pants that you find a better cut. Currently the crutch is way too low (or waist too high).	Jun 14, 2012 3:29 AM
47	not worried about short or long sleeve polo. My children refuse to wear the red track pants - they do not like them. Maybe a school jumper.	Jun 14, 2012 2:48 AM
48	The red track pants are horrible and my girls refuse to wear them. As a result they are still wearing their skort in the depths of winter. I am EXTREMELY unhappy about this change. They also look terrible as the reds clash.	Jun 14, 2012 2:27 AM
49	THE RED TRACK PANTS ARE RIDICULOUS. They should not have been brought in without consultation from the parents. Possibly the top should be more practical for sports.	Jun 13, 2012 10:20 PM
50	I think a black track pants would look much better. Need to fins out which red jacket	Jun 13, 2012 9:34 PM

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1	Manly Vale stands out in a crowd	Jun 26, 2012 4:50 AM
2	My son is very happy with this uniform, so am I!	Jun 25, 2012 6:16 PM
3	perhaps a stiffer fabric for the boys shorts. cotton shorts rather than the soft current	Jun 21, 2012 9:05 PM
4	All good.	Jun 20, 2012 9:51 PM
5	not white	Jun 20, 2012 3:14 PM
6	However, I think the boys sports uniform should be distinct from their everyday uniform. I think this could be achieved by having the boys wear grey school shorts.	Jun 20, 2012 6:33 AM
7	An alternative shirt could be worn for sport.	Jun 20, 2012 3:59 AM
8	Looks fine.	Jun 19, 2012 7:31 PM
9	Other than the shorts being super baggy.... keep the combination.	Jun 19, 2012 4:31 PM
10	This uniform suits the summer climate whilst always looking smart.	Jun 17, 2012 2:44 AM
11	I like to idea of the polo shirt however they are impossible to keep/get clean. For kindy boys this is a big problem, after 1 and a half terms they are pilling, greying and stained despite much soaking and attempts with stain removal . At \$25 each it is expensive to continuously buy more when this happens	Jun 15, 2012 9:08 PM
12	as mentioned previously I prefer the material of the old shorts, it is the same as the girls skorts material which again maintains consistency.	Jun 15, 2012 12:13 AM
13	all good.	Jun 14, 2012 2:51 AM

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1	Don't like the red track pants	Jun 29, 2012 11:08 PM
2	the red track pants are horrible!	Jun 29, 2012 10:22 PM
3	As above	Jun 29, 2012 2:14 AM
4	grey tracksuits were better looking for both girls and boys	Jun 28, 2012 3:09 PM
5	Red track pants cannot be shortened because of the zips!	Jun 28, 2012 3:46 AM
6	the red track pants don't fit well and they seem expensive to buy for one day per week for a very short season.	Jun 28, 2012 1:27 AM
7	My son thinks the red track pants look awful. Maybe grey	Jun 28, 2012 1:08 AM
8	I do not like the red track pants.	Jun 27, 2012 4:59 PM
9	red track pants to be phased in over time as some already have grey pants	Jun 26, 2012 4:50 AM
10	Red track pants are a problem as they cannot easily be altered.	Jun 25, 2012 9:23 PM
11	still prefer grey track pants and find both my sons will only wear shorts in winter, along with most other boys.	Jun 25, 2012 7:51 PM
12	Red track pants are too baggy for slim children they look ridiculous	Jun 25, 2012 3:53 AM
13	a non-polar fleece jumper should be optional	Jun 24, 2012 8:18 PM
14	Love the colour but not how they fit.	Jun 21, 2012 5:10 AM
15	I like the new red pants, they look smart, the red, red ,red is alot, could another colour be considered? Charcoal fleece with red trim. Or the addition of navy blue.	Jun 21, 2012 2:10 AM
16	We wore shorts in the winter in the UK so why wear long Pants here?	Jun 21, 2012 1:42 AM
17	still hate the track pants.	Jun 21, 2012 12:24 AM
18	There's a lot of unbroken red with track pants and jackets together	Jun 21, 2012 12:18 AM
19	red track pants - change back to old ones please our son too small and its design means get put up unless tailored. so money. Also of course my generic comment about money and exclusion of kids who can't afford these unnecessary uniform changes.	Jun 20, 2012 3:22 PM
20	not white!	Jun 20, 2012 3:14 PM
21	I think these red pants are dreadful. Perhaps it's the colour - it might be better to have a more neutral colour, given there is already red in the boys' jackets. (There's a bit too much red now.)	Jun 20, 2012 6:33 AM
22	As above..no way my boys will wear the red MC Hammer pants..sorry!	Jun 20, 2012 5:16 AM
23	See comments to q. 18	Jun 20, 2012 4:57 AM
24	Pants are horrible.Alternative shirt for sport would be good.	Jun 20, 2012 3:59 AM
25	When wearing the red jacket with red pants it is too much red. I love the red	Jun 20, 2012 1:28 AM

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generally but when combined... Black would be better.

26	Although there needs to be a smaller size pant for smaller boys. The size 4 are too long for my kindergarten boy.	Jun 19, 2012 7:39 PM
27	Keep the fleece (in the right red), get rid of the jacket.	Jun 19, 2012 7:31 PM
28	Red Track Pants comment applies to boys as written for girls	Jun 19, 2012 4:31 PM
29	The grey track pants looked much nicer.	Jun 19, 2012 4:14 PM
30	they should be able to wear red or grey tracksuit pants.	Jun 18, 2012 5:02 PM
31	These are awful. They are too casual and make our pupil's look like a sports team. The boys should always wear the grey pants and change into shorts/tracksuits for sport.	Jun 17, 2012 2:44 AM
32	Same comment as for girls	Jun 16, 2012 4:04 PM
33	I like to idea of the polo shirt however they are impossible to keep/get clean. For kindy boys this is a big problem, after 1 and a half terms they are pilling, greying and stained despite much soaking and attempts with stain removal . At \$25 each it is expensive to continuously buy more when this happens	Jun 15, 2012 9:08 PM
34	I see too many boys shivering in class in shorts! They might be fine running around, but it doesn't help them concentrate in class	Jun 15, 2012 9:07 PM
35	older boys are not keen on wearing long pants	Jun 15, 2012 1:52 AM
36	Red pants and red jacket?? Not a good look	Jun 14, 2012 11:07 PM
37	These are. Better suited to boys as can pull over shorts	Jun 14, 2012 9:15 PM
38	Same comments as for the girls regarding the introduction of red pants, but I can't comment on whether the boys like them or not or find them practical. They certainly look far better on the boys than the girls.	Jun 14, 2012 6:10 PM
39	The zipper at the leg bottom make them unable to be hemmed. This makes them look baggy.	Jun 14, 2012 5:25 PM
40	Red track pants have not been embraced by many childred	Jun 14, 2012 4:20 AM
41	The red pants are not well fitted - on some children they are way too long and you see them flapping on the ground, on other children, such as my own who are tall and slim, if the waist fits the legs are too short etc. I think grey tracksuit pants as per previous years are fine especially because we could shop around and buy the style that best fitted our children. Perhaps you could modernise the uniform look, ie open ankle not elasticised no stripe down the side,so that we have a brief when we do shop around. I do believe the grey pants look good and are easy to do. The children are happy to wear them too. I do think the red pants look good - when they fit - so suggest that if you do decide to continue with these pants that you find a better cut. Currently the crutch is way too low (or waist too high).	Jun 14, 2012 3:29 AM
42	The red track suit pants are "growing" on me but I think I prefer the grey with vertical stripe track suit pants better. Another thing is that the red track suit pants are really, really long and impossible to take up :(Jun 14, 2012 3:13 AM

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43	not worried if polo short or long sleeve. Red track pants not good. Maybe a school jumper.	Jun 14, 2012 2:51 AM
44	Red pants clash with red jackets. The fleecy jackets are not comfortable for the kids - bring back the old jackets!	Jun 14, 2012 2:29 AM
45	I don't like the red pants. It looks cheap and messy. I think the black with the red and white would look good. Plus there are so many variables of red it would look terrible	Jun 13, 2012 9:35 PM

Page 10, Q20. How do you feel about the following statements?

1	The simpler the uniform and less options the better	Jun 29, 2012 11:14 PM
2	Girls need to wear dresses on non sport days, not sports uniform,the style of top under these dresses should not be enforced at a public school	Jun 29, 2012 4:58 AM
3	Only footwear is an issue.	Jun 29, 2012 3:21 AM
4	If you were to enforce the uniform...who is the enforcer?????? Parents or teachers.	Jun 28, 2012 4:57 PM
5	I think it is hard to enforce winter uniforms with boys who are more active in the playground than girls and therefore do not feel the cold.	Jun 28, 2012 3:17 PM
6	Kids are there to learn and play. Casual is good.	Jun 28, 2012 6:07 AM
7	its getting better	Jun 27, 2012 3:44 AM
8	Best part about MVPS is choice. All in uniform that they are most comfortable in means a better learning environment.	Jun 26, 2012 5:02 AM
9	A casual feel is appropriate for primary school. Not being uncomfortable in clothes assists te children to pay attention in class and therefore learn. I think the children at MVPS do an excellent job in wearing the correct uniform.	Jun 25, 2012 9:30 PM
10	I understand that some parents want to have smarter uniforms – such as shirts and blazers – but I disagree. I love our school, everything about it, and there's absolutely no reason for it to change its uniform just because the kids at Pittwater House look smarter – who cares? If parents do care, then they should send their kids to Pittwater House! That said, I do appreciate the suggestion that some blazers could be purchased for communal use at public events. If this would placate the parents who want smarter uniforms, then great! But there's no reason why the rest of us should have to spend even more money on uniform purchases for our primary-school-aged kids. The school is doing great at Naplan tests, my kids are happy, it's a friendly school with a great headmaster – that's all that matters. (and it's why everyone wants to come here!)	Jun 25, 2012 6:25 PM
11	As we do our sporting uniform well and it is a good choice - we need to have a smarter option in our wardrobe for the necessary occasions and excursions eg band, choir, debating, Bear Pit	Jun 25, 2012 4:15 AM
12	I think uniforms need to be practical, easy for children to put on themselves and comfortable. It should be a way for children to identify themselves as part of their school community and to feel equal. The current uniform is smart but comfortable and the sports uniform is more casual as surely it should be...	Jun 25, 2012 4:13 AM
13	Currently the girls uniform is difficult to wear with physical activity days and so many opt for the "sports" uniform most days. This is a functional choice so perhaps any change to the school uniform should consider the functions required. If it was easy to wear and do activities in, then I think a greater proportion of girls would wear the "uniform" on days other than Friday. Some schools have culottes for non-sport days but this gives a greater freedom of movement and shorts for sport. Clear decisions of when the uniform is to be worn, eg excursions, school photos, etc would also assist.	Jun 24, 2012 4:05 AM
14	I don't mind a casual uniform for young children. It is comfortable and practical.	Jun 24, 2012 12:12 AM

Page 10, Q20. How do you feel about the following statements?

15	Rarely a day goes by when there is not some physical activity scheduled. My daughter wears her sports uniform more often than not	Jun 23, 2012 3:46 PM
16	Overall I am happy with boys uniform, however the girls seem to have a lot of choice which could be a little overwhelming. At first I thought uniform was quite casual but then I thought further and felt that I want my child to be comfortable at school and to wear things that are practical.	Jun 22, 2012 11:10 PM
17	I am a strong believer that uniforms should be comfortable and practical. They should not require ironing or have unnecessary features like ties etc Kids are a long time grown up - let them dress comfortably and be free to play and learn	Jun 21, 2012 6:49 PM
18	Overall the uniform is very nice and the school's approach to enforcement is pragmatic which I appreciate. My only concern is that the myriad of options mean the school doesn't look smart when taking part in outside events, this could be easily solved by disallowing the senior skirt and having an official "excursion" uniform which is strongly enforced.	Jun 20, 2012 9:51 PM
19	sports uniform on sports days only should be enforced, all other days girls wear dress and tights and black shoes	Jun 20, 2012 4:42 PM
20	I don't believe the P&C has the right to be causing costs to parents in a public school. Things were fine as they were. Leave everything as it is please. Not only do changes to uniform cost money but when parents can't afford to change they will get teased for being different !!	Jun 20, 2012 3:28 PM
21	Uniform should be smarter.	Jun 20, 2012 8:19 AM
22	I think the girls' senior uniform and the boys' uniform (not very distinguishable from the everyday uniform, except for the shoes) are too casual compared to other schools.	Jun 20, 2012 6:37 AM
23	I like the casualness of the Manly Vale uniform. As long as everyone looks the same it is striking. Love the blazers for special occasions for the leaders. Casual is good with the option to go smart when needed.	Jun 20, 2012 5:21 AM
24	The current uniform fits the excellent culture and atmosphere at the school.	Jun 20, 2012 2:25 AM
25	we are a public school.....our kids look fabulous in the polo shirts and red shorts (when i started the uniform was grey shorts with red only for sport) they stand out in a crowd and above all the are kids how like to play. Our uniform encourages kids to be kids and to play	Jun 20, 2012 1:55 AM
26	In the boys, yes it is too casual. However the girls is lovely.	Jun 20, 2012 1:33 AM
27	The girls uniform is good, with a few exceptions re the polo shirt and jacket. The boys NEED a grey day uniform to match the girls. They look SO sloppy.	Jun 19, 2012 7:40 PM
28	I think the school has worked hard to enforce uniform for important occasions and overall the students look smart enough	Jun 19, 2012 2:19 AM
29	The focus should be more on learning and sport than appearance so whatever a child feels most comfortable wearing to learn and stay active, they should be allowed to wear.	Jun 18, 2012 5:12 PM
30	On none sports days our children should be in formal uniform.	Jun 17, 2012 2:46 AM

Page 10, Q20. How do you feel about the following statements?

31	Children at primary school should be comfortable and able to play. This uniform allows this.	Jun 15, 2012 9:10 PM
32	I'd like to see every one wearing the same thing at the same time, but I think teachers have better things to do.	Jun 15, 2012 9:07 PM
33	I think there should be greater enforcement of only wearing sports uniform on sport days.	Jun 15, 2012 3:24 PM
34	Uniform needs to be smartened up - so often we have been questioned if it is a sport day. Great to be simple and easy (no ironed shirts etc) but could do with a spruce up.	Jun 14, 2012 11:17 PM
35	I think we have a really pleasant school uniform but the proper wearing of it is not at all enforced and needs to be enforced by the school.	Jun 14, 2012 6:19 PM
36	Only one uniform is required.	Jun 14, 2012 5:32 PM
37	Especially lately, I've been unsure about what is the correct uniform! Grey track pants or not, is the short sleeve top OK, a skivvy? etc etc. We, the parents (via Bush Tele) AND children (via assemblies), need to be told exactly what the uniform is and when to wear which one.	Jun 14, 2012 3:49 AM
38	I think it would be helpful to send out a coloured sheet with the current summer/winter/sport uniforms and jackets for girls and boys so it is clear what the uniform is. Perhaps offer a % off purchases when you bring in a phased out pieces of uniform to purchase the current one. Old jumpers, jackets, tracksuit pants could perhaps be donated to charity- with patches of some sort covering the emblems.	Jun 14, 2012 3:30 AM
39	I feel as long as the school uniform is worn out of the school eg excursions and when the children are performing. when out the sports uniform should not be worn- unless at sporting functions. If it is explained and enforced sport uniform for sports and school uniform for non sports days and out of school functions all should be good. This also includes black school shoes for the uniform and sport shoes for the sport uniform.	Jun 14, 2012 3:07 AM
40	The most important thing is that the kids are comfortable and they can run around and play without worrying what they are wearing. At this point in time this need is not being met as the girls HATE the red pants and are freezing in winter as a result!	Jun 14, 2012 2:42 AM
41	The kids look fine. They should feel good and proud about what they are wearing and only be pulled up if it is disrespectful to the school or others. But we need to be mindful of cost if there are too many options and requirements. I like when the school specifies the uniform to be worn on particular outings.	Jun 13, 2012 10:24 PM
42	No too many options, just no confirmation on what the uniform is. It definately needs enforcement eg in high schools they get a demerit. The uniform should be comfortable for the kids and they should feel proud of it	Jun 13, 2012 9:43 PM

Page 10, Q21. How should the changeover between summer and winter uniforms be handled?

1	Only one uniform is necessary for summer and winter.	Jun 29, 2012 11:14 PM
2	Term 2 and 3 winter uniform	Jun 29, 2012 6:47 PM
3	Some kids don't feel the cold as others do.	Jun 29, 2012 3:21 AM
4	There should probably be a changeover of about two weeks in this unpredictable weather!	Jun 29, 2012 2:18 AM
5	the weather patterns are changing in australia and when the changeover dates are is still very warm and therefore if there was to be a definite "changeover period " then there should be a timeframe as to when it should occur	Jun 28, 2012 3:17 PM
6	my kids don't feel the cold and get very hot inside. Both of them only wear short sleeve Tshirts and most of the time shorts or skorts. They don't like to wear long trousers and/or long sleeves and I think their preference should be respected	Jun 28, 2012 3:50 AM
7	Some kids feel cold and others are really warm so they should dress accordingly.	Jun 27, 2012 5:06 PM
8	Excursions should require consistent uniform	Jun 26, 2012 9:54 PM
9	Best part about MVPS is choice. All in uniform that they are most comfortable in means a better learning environment. Weather is so changeable, kids need to have flexibility. this assists them to be more responsible.	Jun 26, 2012 5:02 AM
10	Some children may not need full winter uniform (especially long sleeve polo) and parents should not be forced to purchase this if they do not have to. Sydney weather is very unpredictable and children should be able to dress in the most comfortable option.	Jun 25, 2012 9:30 PM
11	Spring and Autumn should be either uniform periods. Different kids have different internal temperature levels and while some get really hot, others get really cold. Winter and Summer terms – well, everyone should be on the same page for those.	Jun 25, 2012 6:25 PM
12	As weather can be variable there needs a changeover period of grace to suit.	Jun 25, 2012 4:15 AM
13	Weather should dictate	Jun 24, 2012 10:52 PM
14	A changover date is impractical as Sydney weather is so changeable. Common sense is a better indicator	Jun 21, 2012 6:49 PM
15	That's a hard one, a defining way would be keeping it to the term. Summer terms 1 and 4 and Winter terms 2 and 3.	Jun 21, 2012 2:20 AM
16	Keep it simple for everyone.	Jun 20, 2012 9:51 PM
17	sometimes the winter days are too hot for girls tunic	Jun 20, 2012 4:18 PM
18	The kids never want to wear long trousers unless all their mates are.	Jun 20, 2012 8:19 AM
19	Hard for me to say as all my kids have only ever worn summer sports uniform except on special occasions when other is specified.	Jun 20, 2012 5:21 AM

Page 10, Q21. How should the changeover between summer and winter uniforms be handled?

20	I believe a "changeover" period is good, but it should be clearly definite and only last the first few weeks of the term	Jun 20, 2012 4:59 AM
21	A short changeover period would be good.	Jun 20, 2012 2:25 AM
22	i think there should be a date, however is hard to enforce, considering a lot of the kids wear summer all year round.	Jun 20, 2012 1:55 AM
23	Winter uniforms should be enforced as sometimes boys don't wear it just because they are worried friends won't be. If everyone wore it it wouldn't be a problem.	Jun 19, 2012 7:41 PM
24	Whilst free choice at school - excursions, combined sports events etc,.. should ALWAYS be stipulated and adhered to.	Jun 19, 2012 4:35 PM
25	Should be a term change over as there is now but a bit of leeway if it is too hot. You can't put a girl in tights when it is over 20C as happened at the beginning of this term.	Jun 19, 2012 4:18 PM
26	term 2 and 3 winter uniform	Jun 16, 2012 4:10 PM
27	The weather can change from day to day in that first period after Easter holidays, parents should decide which level of clothing is suitable for the temperature	Jun 15, 2012 9:07 PM
28	boys are not keen on wearing long pants as they often get warm playing during lunch/recess	Jun 15, 2012 1:57 AM
29	The weather at the start of the second term can still be very hot, too hot for the winter uniform	Jun 15, 2012 1:43 AM
30	Definite date but there must be some flexibility as my son finds long pants and shirts "too hot", even now in winter.	Jun 14, 2012 11:17 PM
31	If there is no difference between summer and winter, then only the addition of jackets or choice of long or short sleeves is required.	Jun 14, 2012 5:32 PM
32	The basic summer uniform should be allowed to be worn all year. My kids refuse to wear long sleeves and long pants. As long as they have a jumper, I can't see the problem.	Jun 14, 2012 3:58 PM
33	However if there was an unseasonably hot/cold day I would always suggest to my children to wear the appropriate clothes for that day for their health and wellbeing - irrespective of what the uniform rules are.	Jun 14, 2012 3:49 AM
34	A definite date but in winter long or short sleeves can be worn according to personal choice	Jun 14, 2012 3:30 AM
35	I would just say that I have no issue with short or long sleeves.	Jun 14, 2012 3:07 AM
36	You can't control the weather. Some winters come much later than others.	Jun 14, 2012 2:42 AM
37	The high schools have a two week change over and then it's enforced. If we have extremes whether then either uniform should be able to be worn but this needs to be enforced as a child wearing track pants on a hot day is not appropriate, just because the child likes to wear them.	Jun 13, 2012 9:43 PM

Page 10, Q22. Which part of the current uniform would you most like to see updated?

1	Get rid of the dresses.	Jun 29, 2012 11:14 PM
2	Jacket	Jun 29, 2012 8:47 PM
3	a definite sports uniform to school uniform	Jun 29, 2012 5:05 PM
4	White polo shirts, please make them a darker colour.	Jun 29, 2012 3:48 PM
5	Winter track pants for girls and boys. not sure if the red track pants are a success.	Jun 29, 2012 6:58 AM
6	I don't like the new red trackpants	Jun 29, 2012 4:58 AM
7	None.	Jun 29, 2012 3:21 AM
8	Red track pants. I question how much the children like the bucket hat? It certainly doesn't protect their head and face as much as the wide brimmed. But how about a cap option? At least it stays on the head for running.	Jun 29, 2012 2:18 AM
9	the white polo shirts, get too dirty, which over time can look a little scrappy	Jun 29, 2012 12:57 AM
10	I feel very strongly about the hats. The buckets hats are useless sun protection. My son has fair skin yet I can't get him to wear the broad brimmed hat 'because no one else does'. I think it should be enforced that everyone has to have proper sun protection - get rid of that ridiculous floppy hat that doesn't even cover their faces! It's a duty of care issue!!!	Jun 28, 2012 10:31 PM
11	Hats and jackets	Jun 28, 2012 10:19 PM
12	senior girl's skirt	Jun 28, 2012 8:37 PM
13	All	Jun 28, 2012 8:08 PM
14	none - its fine the way it is	Jun 28, 2012 7:03 PM
15	Black shoes and the right length white socks should be enforced, this would tidy up the uniform a great deal.	Jun 28, 2012 5:57 PM
16	Senior girls uniform and black shoes	Jun 28, 2012 4:57 PM
17	Polo shirts ,sports pants for girls winter dresses ...	Jun 28, 2012 7:09 AM
18	Gaberdene grey pants.	Jun 28, 2012 6:07 AM
19	red track suit pants	Jun 28, 2012 3:50 AM
20	Perhaps a blazer or jumper instead of the fleece?	Jun 28, 2012 3:07 AM
21	I think the boys uniform is great I'm just not a fan of the new red sports trousers.	Jun 28, 2012 1:31 AM
22	Nothing	Jun 28, 2012 12:01 AM
23	The new red tract pants.	Jun 27, 2012 5:06 PM
24	a sports uniform with the polos and the day to day uniform with white cotton blouses	Jun 27, 2012 3:44 AM

Page 10, Q22. Which part of the current uniform would you most like to see updated?

25	Black school shoes to be worn on days where sports shoes are not required.	Jun 26, 2012 9:54 PM
26	white socks to change on grey colour	Jun 26, 2012 5:46 AM
27	I have always liked the MVPS uniform. Great colour and flexibility so everyone can be happy wearing it.	Jun 26, 2012 5:02 AM
28	White socks. Rest is up to date, but could do with a bit more thought re: practicality.	Jun 25, 2012 9:30 PM
29	the red track pants back to grey, although my son wont wear track pants preferring shorts in winter, yet my daughter would wear track pants in winter.	Jun 25, 2012 7:56 PM
30	None of it. It's all fine.	Jun 25, 2012 6:25 PM
31	Skort	Jun 25, 2012 3:52 PM
32	The Senior girls need to have a summer skirt or skort in the Grey check with an associated shirt. The Senior girls need to have a better option than the sports shirt to wear with it eg a white shirt with owl emblem. The junior girls need to have a brushed cotton white shirt for under their winter tartan tunic - the sports shirt just looks wrong. Boys overall need to have a cotton shirt introduced as an option to wear when a smarter uniform is required eg on excursions, choir, band etc	Jun 25, 2012 4:15 AM
33	Not too keen on the new trackpants.... Thought the grey ones were nicer as well as warmer for winter.	Jun 25, 2012 4:13 AM
34	replace girls winter polo with a cotton blouse and change red track pants to something not so baggy and clown like	Jun 25, 2012 3:56 AM
35	The girls summer dress and winter tunic to allow them to do the physical activity component of school with ease. Tights are just plain difficult to do physical activity in. Running in ordinary black school shoes can also be difficult - what about considering the black runners now available as shoes for uniform sport and non-sport	Jun 24, 2012 4:05 AM
36	my daughter won't wear the new red winter pants, says she looks like a red traffic light with the red jumper, so I have no option but to keep her in the grey tracksuit pants	Jun 24, 2012 3:54 AM
37	track pants-the girls should be an open bottom leg and preferably not red	Jun 24, 2012 12:12 AM
38	red track pants	Jun 22, 2012 3:06 AM
39	shirt	Jun 21, 2012 9:21 PM
40	The shirts for both boys and girls might look nicer in just button up, collared style instead of the polos. Polo shirts just for sports day etc.	Jun 21, 2012 9:07 PM
41	I think the uniform is fine as is. I would like the seniors to be made wear the same uniform as the juniors	Jun 21, 2012 7:57 PM
42	Nothing	Jun 21, 2012 7:18 PM
43	The red hats fade very quickly. A better supplier may help?	Jun 21, 2012 6:49 PM
44	The white polos look great and are rather smart, but I do find them hard to	Jun 21, 2012 3:45 PM

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	keep nice & clean. Because of the stripe & embroidery I can only buy from the school, which can become quite expensive.	
45	Girls winter top option. I am strongly against the long sleeve polo shirt option. I would like to see the skivvy or a white blouse.	Jun 21, 2012 6:58 AM
46	Track pants	Jun 21, 2012 5:19 AM
47	Red pants and white shirts. Would rather have grey pants and red shirts	Jun 21, 2012 2:47 AM
48	The polo shirt, I would love to see what other choices there could be and discussed	Jun 21, 2012 2:20 AM
49	The wearing of trainers should be confined to actual sports or dance lessons and changed afterwards	Jun 21, 2012 1:59 AM
50	new track pants	Jun 21, 2012 12:25 AM
51	Nothing.I think it is great the way it is.	Jun 20, 2012 10:57 PM
52	The red track suit pants, don't like them at all.	Jun 20, 2012 10:49 PM
53	red track suit pants!! Grey were better. white tops look fresh but are hard too keep clean	Jun 20, 2012 10:42 PM
54	Long sleeve polo shirt	Jun 20, 2012 9:51 PM
55	Girls winter sport uniform	Jun 20, 2012 9:32 PM
56	The red.	Jun 20, 2012 5:54 PM
57	I think we need to stop letting the students wear out of date uniform - such as the old hats with the 'MV' on them instead of the logo, or the old style jumpers. Make sure everyone has the same.	Jun 20, 2012 5:20 PM
58	junior and senior girls white polos updated to blouses.	Jun 20, 2012 4:42 PM
59	white polo necks	Jun 20, 2012 4:20 PM
60	The summer junior girls uniform	Jun 20, 2012 4:18 PM
61	fix the things mentioned and please don't break anything more. It was all fine before.	Jun 20, 2012 3:28 PM
62	color change in shirts	Jun 20, 2012 3:16 PM
63	The tracky pants - get rid of them!	Jun 20, 2012 8:19 AM
64	I would really like to see the boys' red shorts updated and the new red long pants be changed. I don't think they look 'smart' enough for a school uniform, albeit a sports uniform.	Jun 20, 2012 6:37 AM
65	Style of boys long grey pants.	Jun 20, 2012 5:21 AM
66	White polo shirt (expensive, material not great quality, looks messy)	Jun 20, 2012 4:59 AM
67	None of it.	Jun 20, 2012 2:25 AM

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68	the grey track pants.....needs to be looked at (i know we have gone to red, but i think they are aimed at the younger ones) we need to find a pair of track pants that will suit all shapes and ages	Jun 20, 2012 1:55 AM
69	Senior girls summer. I don't like that they wear their winter skirt all year round. I think a skirt in the same fabric as the summer dress would be lovely with a white shirt.	Jun 20, 2012 1:33 AM
70	skivvy for the girls winter uniform	Jun 19, 2012 10:39 PM
71	The fabrics that are available for things like the white polo shirts and grey tights have to be available in a natura fabric for comfort.	Jun 19, 2012 8:38 PM
72	all jackets should be the same.	Jun 19, 2012 7:41 PM
73	The jacket needs to be changed to a wool blend, unisex, v-neck jumper with the school crest on it. Keep the red fleece for sport, just in the right red. Boys need a proper grey day uniform for summer and winter. Please see comments above. Polo shirts are sloppy and should only be worn for sport.	Jun 19, 2012 7:40 PM
74	Red Track Pants and Red Jacket (material issues ... way too hot - would like to see the reintroduction of the lighterweight "windcheater"	Jun 19, 2012 4:35 PM
75	Change to a white blouse or shirt when it is not a sports day. Change back to skivvy for girls winter or long sleeve white blouse/shirt. The skivvy looks smart. The red track pants look baggy and scruffy. May be we need a different supplier.	Jun 19, 2012 4:18 PM
76	none	Jun 18, 2012 5:12 PM
77	I think the current uniform is fine as it is. The older girls should be made wear the correct uniform and the seniors should stop thinking they are better than the rest of the school and wear the same uniform as everyone else	Jun 18, 2012 5:26 AM
78	long Pants	Jun 17, 2012 3:50 AM
79	Red tracksuit trousers and jacket (not american baseball)	Jun 17, 2012 2:46 AM
80	I like it as is	Jun 16, 2012 4:10 PM
81	girls winter polo under tunic	Jun 16, 2012 12:46 AM
82	boys shorts	Jun 15, 2012 11:11 PM
83	I quite like it overall apart from the difficulty with the white fabric! the girls have had the same uniform since I was in yr one at MVPS in 1982 so maybe an update could be condered but overall it is OK	Jun 15, 2012 9:10 PM
84	My daughter likes wearing a dress, and they look smart but I think it is unfair that the girls have such a different sports/normal uniform, but the boys is interchangeable, I'd prefer to seethe girlsin something closer to the sports uniform which they could wear for both	Jun 15, 2012 9:07 PM
85	A school shirt rather than the polo for boys on the days are not sports. The addition of a wool/blend jumper	Jun 15, 2012 3:24 PM
86	Long pants for boys	Jun 14, 2012 11:08 PM

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87	Track pants for girls should be abolished and replaced with dance pants	Jun 14, 2012 9:18 PM
88	none	Jun 14, 2012 9:03 PM
89	The girls winter tracksuit pant - as they simply refuse to wear the same as the boys - so they wear the skort all winter no matter how cold - must find a girl friendly trackie pant...	Jun 14, 2012 8:39 PM
90	I think the girls winter uniform should be a white shirt under the tunic - the school polo underneath is pointless, expensive and looks untidy. And an alternative needs to be found for those red pants, something practical that the girls will wear.	Jun 14, 2012 6:19 PM
91	I would like the option of a jumper/sweater for the winter. Currently the kids need to wear their jacket inside if it's really cold.	Jun 14, 2012 5:43 PM
92	No dress option for girls.	Jun 14, 2012 5:32 PM
93	could consider a white collared shirt for formal occasions rather than polo - ie with prefects' blazers	Jun 14, 2012 4:36 PM
94	The senior girls have a winter skirt, then they should have a summer one as well as girls are wearing the winter fabric in summer because they don't want to wear the junior girls uniform . In some ways I wish they never introduced the senior girls skirt and all the girls were in the same uniform	Jun 14, 2012 4:06 AM
95	The consistency. Not three different winter tunics all available at the shop at the same time - either belt or no belt, grey dominant or red dominant. Red pants or grey pants. Whatever, but make it clear!	Jun 14, 2012 3:49 AM
96	Removal of the red track suit pants replaced with the old grey with stripe ones. Boys have grey shorts (same material as winter pants) for summer to distinguish it from sports uniform. Removal of new red jacket as it's colour is different from the shorts.	Jun 14, 2012 3:30 AM
97	I feel the red track pants need changing.	Jun 14, 2012 3:07 AM
98	The red slacks.	Jun 14, 2012 2:42 AM
99	People to buy new hats when old hats are faded and worn. The old hats look terrible.	Jun 13, 2012 10:53 PM
100	The Red Tracksuit pants	Jun 13, 2012 10:24 PM
101	Senior boys to have white shirts with ties on Mondays(if no sport). If sport then they should be able to change.	Jun 13, 2012 9:43 PM

Page 10, Q23. Does any aspect of the current uniform have you confused?

1	There was never really clear guidelines as to what was expected.	Jun 29, 2012 11:14 PM
2	No	Jun 29, 2012 8:47 PM
3	No	Jun 29, 2012 3:48 PM
4	dont like polo tops under dresses	Jun 29, 2012 4:58 AM
5	No.	Jun 29, 2012 3:21 AM
6	Can the junior girls wear sox or tights ?	Jun 29, 2012 2:18 AM
7	No. I love the uniform. I love the red colour - it is so cheerful. However I do wonder about the sense of having white shirts for boys... Although they do look handsome in it when its clean ;-)	Jun 28, 2012 10:31 PM
8	No	Jun 28, 2012 10:19 PM
9	boy's long pants?? gray or red??	Jun 28, 2012 8:37 PM
10	Not at all	Jun 28, 2012 8:08 PM
11	no	Jun 28, 2012 7:03 PM
12	I am a Year 2 parent and I actually had no idea what the "sports" uniform was, turns out my son wheres the sports uniform all year round! Cleraly the right uniform needs to be clearly communicated and enforced.	Jun 28, 2012 5:57 PM
13	Most of it	Jun 28, 2012 4:57 PM
14	No . I just find it very casual compared to other schools !	Jun 28, 2012 7:09 AM
15	Girls wear sports uniform all the time, which is fine... But maybe they don't need the dresses too	Jun 28, 2012 6:07 AM
16	When my son first started was unsure of what length of white socks were required but it does not seem to matter.	Jun 28, 2012 4:10 AM
17	No	Jun 28, 2012 1:31 AM
18	No	Jun 28, 2012 12:01 AM
19	I really liked the grey track bottoms the school had previously, they were warm and comfortable.	Jun 27, 2012 5:06 PM
20	no	Jun 27, 2012 3:44 AM
21	The school rule about when to change from winter to summer and back could be clearer.	Jun 26, 2012 9:54 PM
22	no	Jun 26, 2012 5:46 AM
23	Don't know why you want to phase out the newer fleece jacket. It is much warmer, wears and washes better and looks good and is comfortable. Also it doesn't fade. It should definately stay.	Jun 26, 2012 5:02 AM
24	No.	Jun 25, 2012 9:30 PM

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25	the senior girls winter skirt is different to the juniors winter uniform but the senior girls summer uniform is the same as the juniors. the senior girls wear the winter skirt all year round to show they are seniors so it would be good to have that skirt as the summer uniform also.	Jun 25, 2012 7:56 PM
26	No.	Jun 25, 2012 6:25 PM
27	No	Jun 25, 2012 3:52 PM
28	No	Jun 25, 2012 4:13 AM
29	no	Jun 25, 2012 2:33 AM
30	No	Jun 24, 2012 4:05 AM
31	no	Jun 22, 2012 3:06 AM
32	no	Jun 21, 2012 9:21 PM
33	no	Jun 21, 2012 9:07 PM
34	No	Jun 21, 2012 7:18 PM
35	The Summer/Winter cross over. Shoes - the White sneakers are hard to police - I think we just need some clarity with regards to both these areas. Raincoats for middle/seniors? Can they wear anything or is there a school 'approved' one?	Jun 21, 2012 3:45 PM
36	Every aspect currently as is reflected by the creative combinations evident in the playground.	Jun 21, 2012 6:58 AM
37	what colour shoes must be worn	Jun 21, 2012 5:19 AM
38	Until now I thought the red long pants were an alternate to the grey pants in winter. I did not realise it was sports uniform only.... Is that right??	Jun 21, 2012 3:33 AM
39	The shrunken and faded hats some students wear. The uniform needs to be clean tidy and in good repair. It sets a standard and creates school and individual respect.	Jun 21, 2012 2:20 AM
40	Do they wear sports for music and movement?	Jun 21, 2012 2:14 AM
41	Yes. The changeover to the red sports pants, I'm not sure if it is mandatory or going to be mandatory. I'm also not sure whether there is a date where they have to wear the winter uniform.	Jun 21, 2012 1:59 AM
42	no	Jun 21, 2012 12:20 AM
43	No	Jun 20, 2012 10:57 PM
44	None	Jun 20, 2012 10:49 PM
45	no	Jun 20, 2012 10:42 PM
46	Are grey tights a requirement for winter uniform or are socks also an option? Are girls allowed to wear long socks?	Jun 20, 2012 9:51 PM
47	no	Jun 20, 2012 9:32 PM

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48	No, I don't like any of it.	Jun 20, 2012 5:54 PM
49	The long, red pants I didn't realise were meant for sports only. I thought the boys could choose grey ones or red ones. The red ones are not a good look I must say. Both my boys refuse to wear them.	Jun 20, 2012 5:20 PM
50	n/a	Jun 20, 2012 4:20 PM
51	no. only why we are wasting money on new changes that are insuperior to previous uniforms ?	Jun 20, 2012 3:28 PM
52	no	Jun 20, 2012 3:16 PM
53	No	Jun 20, 2012 5:21 AM
54	The change between summer and winter uniform is confusing. Some girls wear red shorts/skorts with grey tights, for example; the passage from one to the other should be more clear/definite; plus there should be only one type of red jacket option	Jun 20, 2012 4:59 AM
55	Only the Junior/Senior girls choice which I feel is unnecessary.	Jun 20, 2012 2:25 AM
56	there are way to many choices and way to many changes have been made over the years. This is why the school may look scruffy.	Jun 20, 2012 1:55 AM
57	the changeover from summer to winter is confusing.	Jun 19, 2012 10:39 PM
58	Obviously I had the white skivvy rather than the white long sleeve polo Ooops	Jun 19, 2012 8:38 PM
59	I did not realise the long sleeve polo was to be worn with the girls winter day uniform. I thought it was still a white skivvy?	Jun 19, 2012 7:40 PM
60	No really... other than currently kids "appear" to wear whatever uniform they please... as kids get older, this is very hard to enforce the "right" uniform on the "right day"	Jun 19, 2012 4:35 PM
61	no	Jun 18, 2012 5:12 PM
62	no	Jun 18, 2012 5:26 AM
63	No	Jun 17, 2012 2:46 AM
64	I think there should be the option that you can choose to wear the winter uniform (in winter) but if not can continue to wear the generic uniform. Boys in particular are happy to wear the shorts year round and only if super cold or in younger years do they wear the long pants. Long pants should only be worn in winter.	Jun 16, 2012 4:10 PM
65	no	Jun 16, 2012 12:46 AM
66	With boys i think the grey v's red pants has confused some people.	Jun 15, 2012 9:10 PM
67	no	Jun 15, 2012 3:24 PM
68	Yes - senior girls never wear the summer uniform	Jun 14, 2012 11:17 PM
69	Jackets and lonmg pants for boys	Jun 14, 2012 11:08 PM

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70	Yes. The track pants	Jun 14, 2012 9:18 PM
71	no	Jun 14, 2012 9:03 PM
72	The red pants! I don't understand how the uniform can be changed without advising parents. We get notes about all sorts of things but not about something as important as a change in the uniform???	Jun 14, 2012 6:19 PM
73	It took me a while to work out which days they are allowed to wear the red tracksuit bottoms.	Jun 14, 2012 5:43 PM
74	Perhaps why it was so confusing.	Jun 14, 2012 5:32 PM
75	What is considered the full school uniform.	Jun 14, 2012 4:06 AM
76	The consistency. Not three different winter tunics all available at the shop at the same time - either belt or no belt, grey dominant or red dominant. Red pants or grey pants. Whatever, but make it clear!	Jun 14, 2012 3:49 AM
77	Yes- see comment for 20 re coloured sheet for uniforms. Also, the playground is full of such a variety of different uniforms it's difficult to know what's acceptable	Jun 14, 2012 3:30 AM
78	Only that i thought senior summer skirt was the uniform for seniors. Please dont change this if you do please keep it as a skirt.	Jun 14, 2012 3:07 AM
79	The change to the red slacks was a bit of a shock as it was completely unexpected. They are not very nice and clash with the red jackets.	Jun 14, 2012 2:42 AM
80	Why you brought in the red tracksuit pants without consultation	Jun 13, 2012 10:24 PM
81	YES!!!! The red jacket. It used to be the basketball type of jacket and now its the other jacket. My opinion is the seniors should have the basketball jacket in Year 5 and then the other one with names on it in Year 6 and K-4 should have the fleecy jacket.	Jun 13, 2012 9:43 PM

Page 10, Q24. Please let us know any other comments or suggestions you may have.

1	Less options, one uniform for boys and girls regardless of it being summer or winter. At the moment there is never a day when the whole school is in the one uniform.	Jun 29, 2012 11:14 PM
2	bring back the grey track pants, the red ones look a bit silly, too much red!	Jun 29, 2012 10:24 PM
3	summer skirt for senior girls	Jun 29, 2012 4:58 AM
4	Just the hat. Feel VERY strongly about this from a safety aspect. So many skin cancers in Australia now!	Jun 28, 2012 10:31 PM
5	I feel as long as kids wear black shoes it doesn't matter if they are trainers or not	Jun 28, 2012 10:19 PM
6	how about boy's tartan checked pants same as girl's checked pattern!! red top(jacket) & red pants are not suitable (just my feeling)	Jun 28, 2012 8:37 PM
7	Don't change the uniform all the time.	Jun 28, 2012 8:08 PM
8	n/a	Jun 28, 2012 7:03 PM
9	I love the red. You take the children on an excursion and they are easily seen. We get a lot of comments from the general public about the colour. I'd just like to see it smartened up a bit... sometimes it's just toooooooooooooo casual.	Jun 28, 2012 4:57 PM
10	I think generally all the kids look lovely in the uniform. I also think as its Primary School the uniform shouldnt be to strict and I thought the grey track pants for winter for sport were great.	Jun 28, 2012 1:31 AM
11	None	Jun 28, 2012 12:01 AM
12	The red pants are fantastic but should only be used for sports. Its great that grey track pants are being phased out!	Jun 27, 2012 3:44 AM
13	MVPS is a small public school with a variety of children. I don't agree with over formalising the uniform or making the kids wear uncomfortable clothes in an effort to smarten up the uniform. Overall its practical and comfortable.	Jun 26, 2012 9:54 PM
14	don't like new red sport pants	Jun 26, 2012 5:46 AM
15	1. Specify which uniform for excursions, photos etc., but keep daily life flexible. 2. Band/choir specific uniform if some feel that they need to look smarter, but leave everything else the same. The MVPS uniform looks good and if the children are comfortable and happy (which I think they are), this will promote a positive learning environment. I have never seen a MVPS student out of uniform.	Jun 26, 2012 5:02 AM
16	A general plea for sizing. Not all children are tall - my son is too small for most of the uniform - and my younger son will be even smaller when he starts. If the aim is a school of smartly dressed children then ensuring correct sizing is part of this.	Jun 25, 2012 9:30 PM
17	I think the uniforms are all good except I prefer grey trackpants to red and I think the senior girls summer uniform should be different to the juniors although wearing the winter skirt in summer would reduce extra uniform costs by wearing the same skirt in both summer and winter which is what is happening now.	Jun 25, 2012 7:56 PM

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18	Just to thank you for involving parents in this way. The survey was easy to complete and well-worded. Great job!	Jun 25, 2012 6:25 PM
19	Pictures of the correct uniform used to hang in the Uniform shop - and when this is all finalised - we should reintroduce them to avoid confusion. A winter unisex jumper with the owl logo would look really smart.	Jun 25, 2012 4:15 AM
20	I think a vest would be a great option. I have noticed that children run around with no jumpers/coats even though it is cold.	Jun 25, 2012 2:33 AM
21	I really like the red fleece jackets. I think they look far smarter than the older style ones and kids seems to prefer them. Hope they stay	Jun 24, 2012 4:05 AM
22	Rarely a day goes by when there is not some physical activity scheduled. My daughter wears her sports uniform more often than not. Perhaps there should be just one uniform that is smart enough to cover both sport and non sport occasions.	Jun 23, 2012 3:46 PM
23	Senior red jackets shd not hv their names printed on the back.My daughter never used her jacket after she left primary sch because of that.Wh is a shame and a waste.The jacket is still new (only used in Year 6) and is a good warm one wh can be used in autumn and winter otherwise if not for the names of the students at the back. Thank you for listening.	Jun 22, 2012 7:52 PM
24	None	Jun 21, 2012 7:18 PM
25	Please, please do not try and make the uniform more "fancy"- we are not a private school. Let the kids be comfortable to learn and play	Jun 21, 2012 6:49 PM
26	Please resolve these issues asap with clear expectations so our children look uniform in their attire.	Jun 21, 2012 6:58 AM
27	Any change to uniform should only be with the majority vote, not just those who are most present at school. Consideration must be made to cost to families who have purchased uniforms and/or plan to hand on uniforms. Thanks for asking.	Jun 21, 2012 3:33 AM
28	A sign outside the Uniform shop saying what uniform is meant to be worn at that time, updated as the seasons change. New Mums get very confused, as it does seem to be a bit arbitrary.	Jun 21, 2012 1:59 AM
29	None	Jun 20, 2012 10:57 PM
30	None	Jun 20, 2012 10:49 PM
31	Well done the P and C for trying to sort this out, will happily support whatever decisions you make.	Jun 20, 2012 9:51 PM
32	Please make options available at a retail store, it is practically impossible to get to the school to buy items and there is always a long queue. It would be better to be able to buy the items at Lowes	Jun 20, 2012 4:18 PM
33	I do thank people for the time they spend to think about uniforms BUT I don't believe the P&C or school has the right to be causing costs to parents in a public school. Things were fine as they were before. (please see two changes back mentioned in this survey so no confusion) Leave everything as it is please. Not only do changes to uniform cost money but when parents cant afford to change they will get teased for being different !!	Jun 20, 2012 3:28 PM

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34	Bring back the grey trackies. You could have a standard colour & style in the uniform shop. Just not gathered at the cuff!	Jun 20, 2012 5:21 AM
35	When/if weather is really cold, is there something they can wear on top of red polar fleece?	Jun 20, 2012 4:59 AM
36	A strict and consistent adherence to School Uniform policy related to representing the school individually, in teams or groups, at functions, concerts, matches etc. on or off the premises.	Jun 20, 2012 2:25 AM
37	i think we need to remember, we are not a private school so there is no need for blazers and shirts with ties. Our kids will be those type of clothes soon enough. We need to make sure that our kids are comfortable as well as look good. I feel there is no need to separate the seniors from the juniors via clothing. Year 6 are special.....therefore they stand out in there on jackets.	Jun 20, 2012 1:55 AM
38	When notes go home stating: full school uniform that everyone is on the same page that it is not the sports uniform. Also when it does say full school uniform and then the teachers tell the children to wear sport. They need to communicate that to the parents rather than the kids telling us. It sends mixed messages.	Jun 20, 2012 1:33 AM
39	The uniform colours are great, and easy to work with. The bones of the uniform are smart, just need help with the boys, plus a change from the jacket to a unisex jumper. I do not think we need to complicate matters by having separate senior boys and girls uniforms. We are not a fee-paying private school, and the uniform should be kept to the basic requirements, especially as they wear them for such a short time.	Jun 19, 2012 7:40 PM
40	Much appreciate the opportunity to comment..... good luck, uniform choices will never please everyone.	Jun 19, 2012 4:35 PM
41	We strongly feel that the focus should be on learning and sport rather than keeping up appearances. It is much easier to sit on the floor or run around the playground in tracksuit/shorts than a dress/skirt. The child should be allowed to wear whatever part of the uniform that they feels most comfortable in to help them focus and stay active, with the exception of special events where the uniform could be enforced.	Jun 18, 2012 5:12 PM
42	none	Jun 18, 2012 5:26 AM
43	Keep the uniform simple, not too many options. Have a changeover date that you move into the winter uniform (if you wish to wear it) otherwise can continue to wear summer. It is a public school and if you enforce 2 separate season uniforms it places a financial burden on some families. It is great we have a uniform but there should be some flexibility	Jun 16, 2012 4:10 PM
44	feel if you try to change and make it too formal the kids won't want to wear it, they should be comfortable and never sure of when sports days are as they seem to change so often the kids wear sports uniform and shoes nearly everyday for this reason	Jun 15, 2012 11:11 PM
45	I purchased the grey pants in kindy and think my son wore them a handful of times-as lots of kids are very active at lunch/recess I feel that children should be able to choose to whether they wish to wear shorts or long pants.	Jun 15, 2012 1:57 AM
46	The uniform is there to unify the student body, to break down barriers between students and between the teachers and students. The uniform	Jun 15, 2012 1:43 AM

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	should be simple and easily accessible to everyone. There is a significant cost to parents for the current uniform and I would like see this concidered before any further changes made. I like the current uniform, any additional variations only make the uniform more confusing for parent and more costly at a time budgets are stretched.	
47	Thanks for going to the effort to consult + we look forward to clarification on any changes	Jun 14, 2012 11:17 PM
48	Thank you for the opportunity to voice our opinions.	Jun 14, 2012 6:19 PM
49	Too much choice leads to confusion and lack of adherence.	Jun 14, 2012 5:32 PM
50	Personally I think there are more important things to spend time on, the uniform is fine.	Jun 14, 2012 3:45 PM
51	A school sport only top for summer and winter would be a good option.	Jun 14, 2012 4:22 AM
52	As mentioned, please ensure both the parents AND the kids are told what they should wear and when. This will save the frequent and horrible morning disputes over which uniform they should / want to wear.	Jun 14, 2012 3:49 AM
53	Thanks for asking allowing me to share my opinion :)	Jun 14, 2012 3:30 AM
54	Overall we have the best school and we all need to be proud of Manly Vale. I feel if we have a set junior boy and girl summer and winter uniform and set senior girl and boy summer and winter uniform a sports uniform for the whole school black school shoes and sport shoes for sport days only then the children will look a very proud and stylish school. this all must be enforced for everyone to adhere to.	Jun 14, 2012 3:07 AM
55	I think it is important that kids are allowed to show their individuality so strict enforcement of the uniform is not always allowing them to do this. The red fleecy jackets are way too hot for the kids.	Jun 14, 2012 2:42 AM
56	Guess what! the red tracksuit pants! I'm generally happy with what the school has had in place.	Jun 13, 2012 10:24 PM
57	It would be great for the senior kids to have lockers so they can change if need to including changing shoes. Lockers would be so beneficial in helping the students to have a better uniform system as the timetable is complex and they would be setting a better example for the younger kids	Jun 13, 2012 9:43 PM