



Penryn College Uniform Rules:

Formal uniform:

Boys:

- a) Blazer – Penryn. Only lapel badges, cleared by the Uniform Committee may be worn. Blazers may not be worn without a tie. To be worn to all formal functions and assemblies and may not be removed without permission
- b) Tie – Penryn (or matric tie for Grade 12s). Compulsory when a long sleeved shirt is worn.
- c) Trousers – Charcoal (not grey)
- d) Belt – black or grey, unbranded with a small conservative buckle
- e) Shoes – formal and conservative without styling. May be slip on or lace up
- f) Shirt – if short sleeved must have a badge on it. If long sleeved does not have to have a badge but must be worn with a tie. Long sleeved shirts when rolled up, must be above the elbow. All shirts must be tucked in. T-shirts that shine through the shirt may not be worn. Vests are allowed
- g) Socks – black.
- h) Jerseys – navy with a Penryn badge. May be worn under the blazer.
- i) Fleece – navy with a Penryn badge. May not be worn under the blazer.
- j) Scarf – Penryn scarf with a badge and may only be worn in cold weather. Please note that the scarf may not be worn instead of a tie, and must be worn appropriately – wrapped once around the neck with the two sides hanging down the front of the uniform.

Girls:

- a) Blazer – Penryn. Only lapel badges, cleared by the Uniform Committee may be worn. Blazers may not be worn without a tie. To be worn to all formal functions and assemblies and may not be removed without permission.
- b) Tie – Penryn (or matric tie for Grade 12s). Compulsory when a long sleeved shirt is worn.
- c) Skirt – Penryn tartan skirt (to be worn no shorter than 10cm above the top of the knee when standing and with the waist band fitting comfortably between the hips and waist).
- d) Shoes – formal and conservative without styling. Lace-ups, baby dolls or buckle ups are allowed. No pumps or ballet style shoes are allowed.
- e) Shirt – may be short sleeved with a badge or long sleeved without a badge. Long sleeved shirts, rolled up, must be above the elbow. Ties are compulsory when a long sleeved shirt is worn. Shirts must be tucked in when a tie is worn. When no tie is worn (i.e. with a short sleeve shirt) the shirt is not tucked in.
- f) Bras – must be skin coloured.
- g) Socks and stockings – either white ankle socks or navy stockings, not both together.
- h) Jerseys – navy with a Penryn badge. Short sleeved or long sleeved. May be worn under the blazer.
- i) Fleece – navy with a Penryn badge. May not be worn under the blazer.
- k) Scarf – Penryn scarf with a badge and may only be worn in cold weather. Please note that the scarf may not be worn instead of a tie and must be worn appropriately as described above.

Informal Uniform:

Boys:

- a) Shirt – short sleeved open necked with badge or long sleeved with a tie. Must be tucked into trousers and belt must be able to be seen.
- b) Trousers – as above.
- c) Belt – as above.
- d) Shoes – as above.
- e) Socks – as above.
- f) Jerseys – as above. Sleeves must be worn down and not pushed up.
- g) Fleece – as above. Sleeves must be worn down and not pushed up.

Girls:

- a) Skirt – as above.
- b) Shirt – short sleeved open necked with badge or long sleeved with a tie. Must be tucked in if a tie is worn.
- c) Bra's – as above.
- d) Socks and stockings – as above.
- e) Jerseys – as above. Sleeves must be worn down and not pushed up.
- f) Fleece – as above. Sleeves must be worn down and not pushed up.

Sport practice uniform:

Boys:

- a) Shorts - Penryn board shorts. Rugby shorts may be worn for Rugby.
- b) Socks – Penryn colours. Rugby socks to be in Penryn colours.
- c) Shirt – Penryn t-shirt (white for cricket), or any Rugby jersey. All shirts are to be tucked in.
- d) Footwear – appropriate. Where there is no specific requirement, predominantly white takkies and not fashion takkies may be worn. These are shoes specifically designed for sport.
- e) Swimming costumes – Penryn costume and cap. To be worn under Penryn board shorts and a T-shirt when not swimming.

Girls:

- a) Shorts – Penryn board shorts.
- b) Socks – Penryn colours or white.
- c) Shirt – Penryn T-shirt (white for cricket). All shirts are to be tucked in.
- d) Footwear – appropriate. Where there is no specific requirement, predominantly white takkies and no fashion takkies may be worn. These are shoes specifically designed for sport.
- e) Swimming costumes – Penryn one pieced costume and cap. To be worn under Penryn board shorts and a t-shirt when not swimming.

Sport Match Uniform:

First team uniforms are different from general sport uniforms are consist of white tops. Details of these are released to the team each year.

Boys:

- a) Cricket – White longs, Penryn cricket shirt, baggy navy blue cricket cap or white broad brimmed cricket hat, white socks and predominantly white takkies or cricket shoes.
- b) Soccer and Hockey – Penryn board shorts, Penryn socks, navy Penryn shirt and predominantly black boots. Tracksuits are to be worn over the uniform to and from games.
- c) Rugby – Navy Penryn jersey, navy rugby shorts, Penryn socks and predominantly black boots. Tracksuits are to be worn over the uniform to and from games.
- d) Tennis – white Penryn shirt, Penryn board shorts and short white socks. Predominantly white tennis shoes and Penryn cap. Tracksuits are to be worn over the uniform to and from games.
- e) Swimming – same as for practices, except that full tracksuits are to be worn to and from galas where required. A white Penryn shirt and board shorts may be worn at the gala over the costume. Track shoes are to be worn to the gala and not flops.
- f) Athletics – board shorts and white Penryn shirt. Tracksuits are to be worn over the uniform to and from events.
- g) Supporters are to wear house Golf shirts and denims with track shoes to watch games except for games where formal uniform is required.

Girls:

- a) Cricket and Tennis – sleeveless white Penryn shirt and Penryn board shorts with short white socks. Shoes are to predominantly white.
- b) Hockey and Soccer – sleeveless navy Penryn shirt and Penryn board shorts with long Penryn socks. Shoes are to be predominantly black.
- c) Netball and Athletics – sleeveless navy Penryn shirt and skirt with short white socks. Shoes are to be predominantly white.
- d) Swimming – same as for practices, except that full tracksuits are to be worn to and from galas where required. A white Penryn shirt and board shorts may be worn at the gala over the costume. Track shoes are to be worn to the gala and not flops.
- e) Supporters are to wear house Golf shirts and denims with track shoes to watch games except for the derby vs Uplands where formal uniform is to be worn.

General appearance rules:

Scholars coming to the College during exam times, study breaks or after school has finished are to be on campus in their general or sports uniform and not in civvies.

Boys:

Hair: Must be natural without shaping of any sort, and not touching eyebrows, ears or shirt collars. No steps or definite lines, undercuts or similar styling are allowed. Clipped hair is to be restricted to No. 4 and longer. Sideburns are to be kept to mid-ear. The use of any substance that changes the texture and colour of hair is not allowed – mousse, fudge, gel, dye, highlights, lowlights or other substances as yet undiscovered. Extensions or braids may not be worn.

General: Nails must be short, neat and clean. Wrist watches must be of a traditional style with either a black or silver strap and the face unadorned by “bling” and jewellery. No jewellery is permitted except for Christian or medical reasons, provided it is conservative. All boys are to be cleanly shaved.

Girls:

Hair: No undercuts, shaping, dreadlocks, spikes or pineapple ponies or bird’s nests are permitted. Long hair and hair that touches the bottom of a folded down collar of the white shirt must be tied up. Fringes may not hang in eyes and must be fastened out of the face. Only plain navy or white hair accessories are permitted. Hair may not be coloured, tinted, bleached, highlighted or low lighted. Short extension pieces no longer than shoulder length are acceptable where appropriate and if they follow the same rules as for long hair. Braids may not be worn. Hair extensions must not be coloured, styled or patterned.

General: Nails may not be visible when viewed from the palm-side. No make-up is permitted in uniform. No rings are permitted. Only one pair of identical earrings is permitted in the middle of the fleshy part of the earlobe. These may only be plain studs without stones, or smooth sleepers without ornamentation about 13mm in diameter (standard size). Wrist watches must be of a traditional style with black or silver straps and the face unadorned with “bling” or jewellery. Other jewellery is only permitted for medical or Christian reasons provided that it is conservative.

Boarders:

Breakfast and lunch: Boarders are to attend these meals in school uniform.

Supper: Boarders may attend these meals in any Penryn Golf shirt with Penryn board shorts, denims or tracksuit bottoms.

In boarding houses: Boarders are to be dressed in any Penryn T-shirt with Penryn board shorts, denims or tracksuit bottoms.

Jewellery: The College jewellery rules apply at all times.

Formal Hostel occasions: For boys a jacket and tie or formal school uniform is to be worn. For girls, a conservative dress is to be worn.

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