



**MĀRUAWAI**  
COLLEGE

# Māruawai College

# Uniforms

2024

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Exceptional Educational Experience



We have decided that in 2024 Junior Campus students (Year 7 & 8) will wear the Longford uniform and Senior Campus students (Year 9-13) will wear the Gore High School uniform. Please find to follow all the specific details and photos of what is required.

Ideally, we would have started our first year of Māruawai College with our students' wearing our new uniform. We had a design drafted for consultation and sought feedback in Term 2. We had a fantastic response to our online survey and these results were collated and shared. We also had an in-person feedback session. We are not satisfied with the current options being presented to us. We have therefore decided to delay an introduction of a new uniform until 2025.

You will be able to buy all items with an \* at the Senior Campus Uniform Shop. Other generic items are available at stores such as the Warehouse.

In 2025 we will slowly phase in the new uniform to only new year groups on both campuses. We will have some funding available to support this transition for all families.

As both Longford and Gore High School have done in the past there a range of options to support families with the purchase of uniform items. Please contact:

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Please note it is the right of the Board of Trustees to document its Uniform policy and the responsibility of the school to enforce it. Parents are strongly advised to ensure, before purchasing items of clothing for school, especially shoes, that they comply with the uniform regulations.

# Year 7 & 8

## ☐ Option 1

- White shirt - short or long sleeve.
- 'Blackwatch' Tartan kilt\*
- *Optional: Black wool vest or jersey\**
- White ankle socks or black tights.
- *Optional: A collared zipped navy-blue jersey.*

## ☐ Option 2

- Grey shirt long or short sleeve shirt
- *Optional: Black wool vest or jersey\**
- *Optional: A collared zipped navy-blue jersey.*
- Shorts of the standard school regulation winter weight grey.
- Grey Longford socks\*



## PE Uniform

- Black Shorts
- Year 7 students wear their own t-shirt from home or a Longford PE top.
- Year 8 students wear the Longford PE top from 2023.
- Sports shoe

## Jacket and Jersey

- Year 7 & 8 can still wear the Longford black soft shell jackets from 2023

Or alternatively

- Plain dark blue/black long sleeved coat or jacket without contrasting colours or logos

## Shoes

- Black lace up covered in shoe. (Shoes must be completely black including the sole and any signia. No high tops)
- *Black sandals for summer (optional)*

# Year 9 & 10

## Summer Uniform

### Option 1

- Gore High School regulation junior summer skirt\*
- Gore High School regulation summer blouse.\* (may be untucked).

### Option 2

- Shorts in the standard school regulation winter weight grey.
- Short sleeved pale blue summer shirt.\* (Shirt may be untucked).



## Winter and Formal

### Option 1

- Kilt: Green Douglas tartan\* (when kneeling, hem must touch the floor).
- Shirt/Blouse: Plain white, long sleeved, open-necked.
- Dark blue/black tights

### Option 2

- Blue shirt.\*
- Shorts or trousers of the standard school regulation winter weight grey.
- Regulation school socks, grey with gold-blue-gold band. (With long trousers, grey socks without the coloured bands are acceptable).



## Shoes

- **Year 9:** Black lace up covered in shoe (shoes must be completely black including the sole and any signia. No high tops. (please note this is the same as Longford Intermediate 2023)
- **Year 10:** Regulation McKinlay shoes and school socks, or black McKinlays sandals without socks (same shoe that Year 9 wore in 2023).

## Jersey and Jackets

- Students may wear a collared zipped navy-blue jersey.
- Plain dark blue/black long-sleeved coat or jacket without contrasting colours or logos (for outside wear only).

## Physical Education Clothing

- Black or Navy shorts.
- Year 9 your own sports t shirt or Longford PE top.
- Year 10 Gore High School PE/ Sports top\*
- Sports trainers.
- In winter, dark coloured track pants or tights may be worn.

# Year 11, 12 & 13

## Summer Uniform

### Option 1

- Gore High School regulation senior summer dress.\*
- School regulation McKinlays shoes.\*

### Option 2

- Lightweight knee length navy blue dress shorts.
- Plain white business style shirt (short or long sleeved) and school regulation tie\* *or*
- Plain black dress shoes.



## Winter and Formal

### Option 1

- Kilt: Green Douglas tartan (when kneeling, hem must touch the floor).\*
- Shirt/Blouse: Plain white, long-sleeved business style with school regulation tie. (\*tie only).
- Dark blue/black tights.
- School regulation McKinlays shoes\*

### Option 2

- Long trousers of the standard school regulation winter weight grey.
- Plain long-sleeved business-style white shirt and school regulation tie. (\*tie only).
- Grey socks.
- Plain black dress shoes.



## Jersey and Jackets

- Students may wear a collared zipped navy blue jersey.
- Year 12 & 13 students may wear the school regulation blazer. There will be some available for hire for the year.
- Plain dark blue/black long sleeved coat or jacket without contrasting colours or logos (for outside wear only)

## Physical Education Clothing

### YEAR 11

- Black or Navy shorts.
- Year 9 your own sports t shirt or Longford PE top.
- Year 10 Gore High School PE/ Sports top\*
- Sports trainers.
- In winter, dark coloured track pants or tights may be worn.

### YEAR 12 - 13

- May wear any suitable sports clothing.



# Uniform Requirements

## Jewellery

The only jewellery permitted at school is:

- One wristwatch.
- One plain stud or sleeper in each ear.
- One plain small nose stud.

## Hair

- No unnatural/bright colours.
- Hair must be clean, cut and groomed in a style acceptable to the school.
- Students are to be clean shaven.

## Other

- Fingernails are to be short and clean. Nail Polish is not permitted.
- T-shirts are worn for extra warmth, they must be white or black – not coloured. They must also not have advertising on them which is visible under the shirt/blouse.
- For health reasons, students are required to change into the correct gear for physical education.
- Full school uniform must be worn to, from and at school. All students in town must be either in full school uniform or wearing no part of it.



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