



# SAMUEL GILBERT PUBLIC SCHOOL P & C ASSOCIATION

## School Uniform Survey

Please complete 1 survey per family or teacher. The survey is confidential and individual comments collected will not be released. The survey will take approximately 25 minutes to complete. You may wish to discuss the survey questions with your children. A description and photos are located on the school website at [www.samuelgilbert.info/uniform\\_survey/](http://www.samuelgilbert.info/uniform_survey/).

### Section 1: Demographics

1. Tick a box. Are you a

Parent / carer  Teacher

2. **For parents only.** How many children do you have and what is their sex? What years are they in?  
(Please include all children not yet attending primary school as: PS and children who now in high school as HS)

I have \_\_\_\_\_ girls. They are in years \_\_\_\_\_

I have \_\_\_\_\_ boys. They are in years \_\_\_\_\_

3. **For teachers only.** Tick a box. What year do you teach?

K - Yr 2  Yr 3 - Yr 4  Yr 5 - Yr 6

### Section 2: Uniforms Items without suggested change

4. It is thought that **no** issue or change has been expressed for the following uniform items. Please tick a box. I think the following uniform items should be either:

#### Unisex uniform

a	Waterproof jacket	Kept as is <input type="checkbox"/>	Revised <input type="checkbox"/>	Removed from uniform <input type="checkbox"/>	No opinion <input type="checkbox"/>
b	Zippered tracksuit jacket	Kept as is <input type="checkbox"/>	Revised <input type="checkbox"/>	Removed from uniform <input type="checkbox"/>	No opinion <input type="checkbox"/>
c	School back pack	Kept as is <input type="checkbox"/>	Revised <input type="checkbox"/>	Removed from uniform <input type="checkbox"/>	No opinion <input type="checkbox"/>
d	Library bag	Kept as is <input type="checkbox"/>	Revised <input type="checkbox"/>	Removed from uniform <input type="checkbox"/>	No opinion <input type="checkbox"/>
e	Excursion bag	Kept as is <input type="checkbox"/>	Revised <input type="checkbox"/>	Removed from uniform <input type="checkbox"/>	No opinion <input type="checkbox"/>
f	Black shoes	Kept as is <input type="checkbox"/>	Revised <input type="checkbox"/>	Removed from uniform <input type="checkbox"/>	No opinion <input type="checkbox"/>

#### Girls uniform

g	Summer dress	Kept as is <input type="checkbox"/>	Revised <input type="checkbox"/>	Removed from uniform <input type="checkbox"/>	No opinion <input type="checkbox"/>
h	Winter Tunic	Kept as is <input type="checkbox"/>	Revised <input type="checkbox"/>	Removed from uniform <input type="checkbox"/>	No opinion <input type="checkbox"/>
i	Head bands / Scrunchies	Kept as is <input type="checkbox"/>	Revised <input type="checkbox"/>	Removed from uniform <input type="checkbox"/>	No opinion <input type="checkbox"/>

5. If you ticked **revised** for any of the items above please outline how you wish the item/s changed?

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### Section 3: Uniform Items where changes have been suggested

**School Uniform** (This uniform is worn when not participating in sport)

#### Unisex school uniform

6. Tick a box. If a pullover is part of the school uniform I think it should be:

- |  |   |
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| a. Polyester cotton fleece crew neck pullover <input type="checkbox"/> | c. Woollen V neck pullover <input type="checkbox"/> |
| b. Polyester cotton fleece V neck pullover <input type="checkbox"/>    | d. No opinion <input type="checkbox"/>              |

7. Tick a box. I would purchase a unisex pullover if it were part of the school uniform:  
 Yes  No  No opinion
8. The uniform shop has reported few parents purchase the lemon skivvy. Tick a box. I think the skivvy should be:  
 a. Kept as part of the uniform  b. Removed from the uniform  c. No opinion
9. Tick a box. I think the hat should be:  
 a. Cotton bucket hat with elastic drawstring in crown  d. Microfibre surf hat with elastic drawstring in crown   
 b. Cotton slouch hat with cord and safety toggle  e. No opinion   
 c. Cotton surf hat with cord and toggle (current hat)
10. It has been suggested that the quality of the socks in the uniform shop could be improved. Tick a box. I think the following supply of socks should be stocked by the uniform shop:  
 a. Ankle Socks\*  b. Upper and downers\*\*  c. No opinion   
 \* Covers the ankle \*\*Sock worn at mid calf or folded to form an ankle sock

11. If you have any other issues with the unisex uniform items please comment and outline any changes wanted?

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### Girls uniform

12. The Department of Education and Training uniform policy outlines that a uniform must meet equal opportunity guidelines. The current uniform policy requires girls to wear dresses. The dresses may preclude some girls participating in some school activities. An alternative uniform is being developed. It can be worn when representing the school.

Tick a box. I think the alternative summer bottoms\* should be:

Culottes  Shorts  No opinion

\* These items can be worn for photos and representing the school

13. Tick a box. If culottes\* were selected for the alternative summer uniform I would prefer:

a. Box pleat culottes  b. Central inverted pleat culottes  c. No opinion

\*Culottes are pleated shorts which appear to be a skirt.

14. Tick a box. If shorts were selected for the alternative summer uniform I would prefer:

a. Half elastic waist pinch pleat short  b. Straight leg shorts with fly\*  c. No opinion

\*A half elastic waist can be incorporated.

15. Tick a box. I think the alternative winter bottoms\* should be:

a. Gabardine bootleg pants with fly\*\*\*  d. Box pleat culottes in tunic fabric(current culottes)

b. Polyester cotton fleece elastic waist bootleg pants  e. No opinion

c. Gabardine half elastic waist pinch pleat pants

\*\*\*A half elastic waist can be incorporated.

16. The introduction of the alternative school uniform requires the current girls blouse\* to be adjusted so it can be worn with the introduced summer and winter bottoms. Tick one box:

a. Curved bottom hem and peter pan collar blouse with navy piping

b. Curved bottom hem and frilled peter pan collar blouse

c. Peak bottom hem and peter pan collar blouse with navy piping

d. Peak bottom hem and frilled peter pan collar blouse

e. No opinion

17. Tick a box. I think the colour of the girls socks should be:

Lemon  Navy  No opinion

18. Tick a box. Should the school uniform policy require girls in Yr 5 and Yr 6 to remove the bib from the winter tunic\*?

a. Yes  b. No  c. No opinion

\* The tunic will have an adjustable waistband incorporated into the skirt.

19. Tick a box. I think the tights stocked by the uniform shop should be:

a. Kept as is  b. Made Thicker  c. No opinion

20. If you have any other issues with the girls school uniform please comment and outline any changes wanted?

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**Boys uniform**

21. Tick a box. I think the style of boys pants\* should be:

a. Elastic waist gabardine pants with fly and double knee  d. Elastic waist gabardine cargo pants   
b. Elastic waist polycotton fleece pants with double knee & rib cuff\*\*  e. No opinion   
c. Elastic waist gabardine pants

\*These items can be worn for photos and representing the school \*\*Current tracksuit pants

22. Tick a box. I think the style of boys shorts\* should be:

a. Elastic waist gabardine cargo shorts  c. Elastic waist gabardine shorts with fly   
b. Elastic waist gabardine shorts (current shorts)  d. No opinion

\*These items can be worn for photos and representing the school

23. Tick a box. I think the style of boys top should be:

a. Polo  b. Shirt  c. No opinion

24. Tick a box. In the following circumstances I think the boys top should be:

A. Everyday wear Tucked in  Worn Out  No opinion   
B. School photos and school representation Tucked in  Worn Out  No opinion

25. If you have any other issues with the boys school uniform please comment and outline any changes wanted?

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**Sports uniform** (this uniform is worn on sports days only or as designated by teachers)

**Unisex sports uniform**

26. Tick a box. I think the colour of the sport shoes should be:

White  Black  Choice of white or black  No opinion

27. Tick a box. I think the sport shorts should be:

a. Microfibre shorts  b. Mircomesh shorts  c. Rugby knit shorts(current shorts)  d. No opinion

28. The styling and fabric of the tracksuit is considered by some to be dated. Tick a box. I think the tracksuit should be:
- a. Navy polyester cotton fleece tracksuit. Double knee and ribbed cuff legs. Embroidered jacket.(current tracksuit)
  - b. Navy polyester cotton fleece tracksuit. Open leg pants. Embroidered jacket.
  - c. Navy microfibre tracksuit. Open leg pants with zip and lemon stripe. Embroidered jacket with lemon collar.
  - d. Navy / lemon microfibre tracksuit. Open leg pants with zip and lemon stripe. Embroidered lemon panel jacket.
  - e. No opinion

29. Tick a box. I think the polo shirt for sport should be a:
- a. Lemon polo with navy underarm and side panels
  - b. Lemon polo with a right side navy panel
  - c. Lemon polo with embroidery (current polo)
  - d. No opinion

30. Tick a box. I think the polo shirt for sport should made from:
- Pique knit (current fabric)  Cotton lined micromesh  No opinion

**Girls sport uniform**

31. The girls netball skirt will no longer be part of the uniform. Tick a box. I think the skirt should be replaced with:
- a. Microfibre pleated skort
  - b. Micromesh straight skort\*
  - c. Knit straight skort
  - d. No opinion
- \*A skort is used for sport. It is usually a skirt with shorts sewn in and or a pleated short (culottes).

32. Tick a box. I think the colour of the girls sport socks should be:
- a. Lemon
  - b. Navy
  - c. Plain white – no frill/colour/logo
  - No opinion

**Boys sport uniform**

33. Tick a box. I think the colour of the boys sport socks should be:
- a. Navy
  - b. Plain white – no frill/colour/logo
  - No opinion

34. If you have any other issues with the sports uniform please comment and outline any changes wanted?

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35. Are there any other items you wish were part of the uniform?

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36. Other Comments

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37. A committee member may wish to contact you about your opinion. If you would be happy for this to happen please provide your name and phone number.

Name (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

**Thank you for completing this survey. Your opinion is appreciated.  
Please return to school by 22 June 2007**