SUNSMART
When outside all students are encouraged to apply sunscreen, which is available at school on request, and to wear an appropriate hat/cap.

Students are to abide by the School Dress Code on the way to and from school as well as while attending school.

Excursions/Formal Occasions:
It is the expectation of this school that on school excursions and formal occasions, e.g. Presentation and Performance evening, debates and any other public activities, all students will adhere to the Dress Code Policy.

Non Compliance with Dress Code Policy:
If at any time a student is out of Dress Code, a parental note is required. Failure to do this will result in an automatic 20 minutes detention for a first infringement.

All students out of Dress Code will be required to change their tops with clothes from the Student Office.

Parents may be contacted to bring appropriate clothing or footwear to enable a student to change.

Where family circumstances make it difficult to comply with the Dress Code Policy, contact should be made with a Student Counsellor.

DRESS CODE STOCKISTS
HIP Pocket Workwear
13 James Street, Mount Gambier

Ghanda Clothing can supply plain navy trackpants (no logo).

Orders for school windcheaters are taken in Terms 1 and 3 at the Student Office.

Please note that due to the mix and match nature of the Dress Code, most existing outlets are able to provide the items required.
Dress Code
It is an expectation of Mount Gambier High School Governing Council, Principal and staff that all students abide by the Dress Code Policy.

A parent/caregiver application to enrol at Mount Gambier High School is taken as acceptance of this policy.

Rationale
The students, parents and staff of this school believe that the Dress Code requirement is important in developing a sense of identity and pride for our students. It fits in with the general expectation in today’s workforce where, in most instances, there is an established Dress Code at the work site. For students, this school is their work site.

Purpose
We believe that the wearing of correct school dress code allows each student to identify with the school, builds group spirit and that it prevents discrimination, unhealthy competition and arguments at home. School dress code worn regularly is cheaper than other clothing.

It is expected that all students abide by the School Dress Code Policy.

Dress Code Mix
- Navy trousers or shorts. Shorts are to be plain in colour with no stripes and mid thigh length or longer.
- Navy shorts with the MGHS monogram are available from HIP Pocket.
- Blue jeans—not baggy or torn; no hems dragging on the ground. Jeans to be worn in correct position.
- Girls tartan skirts and summer dress (from HIP Pocket).
- Plain white or navy blue shirts, polo tops or skivvy.
- Plain white or navy blue polo top with “Mt Gambier High School” embroidered on the collar in gold.
- Plain navy blue windcheater, woolen jumper or school windcheater.
- V neck woollen vest.
- Plain navy blue scarf.
- Trackpants - plain navy.
- Any logo is to be no larger than a 50c coin.
- Black shoes or sports shoes. WHS requires closed footwear.
- Plain navy blue preferred in a winter jacket. Jackets are not to be worn inside and are not intended to replace school jumpers.
- Senior School: An exclusive windcheater is available to Year 11 and 12 students.

Hats
Students are encouraged to wear an appropriate hat/cap when outdoors in Terms 1 and 4.

Jewellery
For safety reasons, students may be asked to remove some jewellery when working with equipment or when playing sport.

Sports Uniform
It is the expectation of this school that when participating in the School Athletics/Swimming Carnivals, students will wear T-shirts or polo tops in team colours.

Team Names and Colours are:
TOWER  Black  MOUNT  Red
LAKE  Blue  GAMBIER  Yellow

For PE lessons, students are expected to change into appropriate sporting attire.

NOT PERMITTED
- Inappropriate wording/pictures on any clothing or jewellery
- Ripped/torn/baggy jeans
- Leggings as outer wear
- Thongs, scuffs, sandals, flip flops or Ugg boots
- Brief shorts
- Beanies
- Hats, caps and jackets are not to be worn indoors