

## **New Entrant Uniform Guide**

Bombay School has a uniform that is for all year round so there are no summer and winter requirements.

Currently there is no PE (physical education) uniform, however there are optional house tees available. And if a student represents the school for sport or cultural events, then they are loaned a school sports shirt owned by the school.

The white blouse is for Year 3 to Year 8 students only.

The cap is for Year 7 and Year 8 students only.

### **What garments?**

The main uniform you need for a new entrant are the polo shirt, shorts or skort, polar fleece jumper or soft-shell layer jacket, and a bucket hat. While long pants and trackpants are available, you should consider what your child normally likes to wear. You can place orders throughout the year so it may be helpful to wait until you know what your child might need.

### **What size?**

Most new entrants will fit size 4 or size 6. You will know whether your child is smaller or larger than average and sizing of other clothes can be a guide. Polo shirt, shorts, skort, and cargo pants also come in size 2.

Shorts, skorts and pants should be selected on fit around the waist, rather than on length. These garments will soften with washing.

Polo shirts should be selected on fit across the shoulders. Polar fleece jumpers should be selected with being an outer garment in mind, and other layer(s) worn underneath.

If you need to swap to a different size, the garments need to be promptly returned unworn and unnamed, as new with all labels intact, to the school office with your requested size.

There should be minimal shrinkage of all garments if washed in cold water and dried on the line. If any shrinkage is to occur it is usually in length and in items containing cotton, particularly the polo shirt and the long-sleeve tee. (The polar fleece, soft-shell layer jacket and blouse must not be put in the dryer as this will damage the fabric).

### **How many?**

Top garments – at least two.

Bottom garments – at least two.

Polar fleece jumper or soft-shell layer jacket – one.

Bucket hat – one.

This will get you started. You can always order more as soon as you know what else your child needs.

### **Other items**

- Any singlets or thermals worn underneath should be a neutral colour (white, grey, black) and not visible when worn.
- Plain black leggings may be worn under the skort.
- Socks must be grey, black or white.
- Shoes or sandals must be black.
- If there is anything else that you require your child to wear, then please ask the school principal.

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