31st January 2017

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

St Mary’s School has a clear uniform and personal grooming policy that provides detailed descriptions of appropriate uniform and grooming requirements for all students. Maintaining a high standard in this area demonstrates pride in one’s own appearance and pride as a member of St Mary’s School.

It is vital that all students respect the school policy and we seek your cooperation to ensure that high standards are maintained.

We will continue our program to encourage pride in our uniform.

Don’t kick an ‘own’ goal. Wear your uniform with pride.

Where there are breaches of the uniform and grooming policy the following actions will be taken:

1st Breach – the student receives a ‘yellow’ card (detailing the breach) which must be signed by parent/caregiver and returned the next day (if not returned then student is given time out).

2nd Breach – the student receives an ‘orange’ card (detailing the breach) which is accompanied by a period of time out. Card must be signed by the parent/caregiver and returned the next day (if not returned then the student is given additional time out).

If the breach persists then the student will receive time out until rectified.

Students will have the program explained again this term and it will be reinforced at all Parent Information Evenings at the beginning of this school year.

Please find a copy of the uniform and grooming policy on the back of this letter.

Richard Blissenden
PRINCIPAL