

# **BERG-OP ACADEMY**

## **DRESS CODE**

### **BOYS**

#### **Summer wear (first and third term)**

##### **Grade 1 - 7**

- Trousers: short black school trousers (above the knee)
- Shirt: turquoise short-sleeved school shirt
- Socks: black school socks (long, just below the knee)
- Shoes: black SCHOOL shoes (e.g. Toughees, Student Prince)

\*Students are permitted to attend school barefooted during the summer months.

\*White vests may be worn underneath school shirts, but may not show.

##### **Grade 8 - 12**

- Trousers: long school trousers
- Belt: black belt with no decoration and a small, plain buckle
- Shirt: turquoise short-sleeved school shirt
- Socks: black school socks (short, above the ankle)
- Shoes: black SCHOOL shoes (e.g. Toughees, Student Prince)

\*White vests may be worn underneath school shirts, but may not show.

#### **Winter wear (second term)**

##### **Grade 1 - 7**

- Trousers: long black school trousers
- Belt: black belt with no decoration and a small, plain buckle (only grade 5 - 7)
- Shirt: turquoise long- or short-sleeved school shirt
- Socks: black school socks (short, above the ankle)
- Shoes: black SCHOOL shoes (e.g. Toughees, Student Prince)
- Jersey: black V-neck school jersey or pull-over
- Scarf: turquoise school scarf
- Tracksuit: school tracksuit (with turquoise school shirt and black school shoes)

\*White vests may be worn underneath school shirts, but may not show.

## **Grade 8 - 12**

- Trousers: long black school trousers
- Belt: black belt with no decoration and a small, plain buckle
- Shirt: turquoise long- or short-sleeved school shirt with tie-collar
- Socks: black school socks (short, above the ankle)
- Shoes: black SCHOOL shoes (e.g. Toughees, Student Prince)
- Jersey: black V-neck school jersey or pull-over
- Scarf: turquoise school scarf
- Tie: school tie (matrics are permitted to wear their matric tie)
- Blazer: school blazer is compulsory for winter

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## **GIRLS**

### **Summer wear (first and third term)**

#### **Grade 1 - 7**

- Skirt: black, pleated school skirt (must be above the knee and not more than 13cm from the ground when kneeling)
- Ski pants: short, black ski pants are compulsory underneath skirts for grade 1 - 4 (may not show)
- Shirt: turquoise short-sleeved school shirt (grade 1 - 4: tucked in; grade 5 - 7: hang over)
- Socks: black school socks (short, above the ankle)
- Shoes: black SCHOOL shoes (e.g. Toughees, Student Prince)

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#### **Grade 8 - 12**

- Skirt: black, pleated school skirt (must be above the knee and not more than 13cm from the ground when kneeling)
- Shirt: turquoise short-sleeved school shirt (must hang over)
- Socks: black school socks (short, above the ankle)
- Shoes: black SCHOOL shoes (e.g. Toughees, Student Prince)

\*White vests may be worn underneath school shirts, but may not show.

## **Winter wear (second term)**

### **Grade 1 - 7**

- Trousers: long black school trousers (must be female cut)
- Skirt: black, pleated school skirt (must be above the knee and not more than 13cm from the ground when kneeling)
- Shirt: turquoise long- or short-sleeved school shirt (must be tucked in when wearing jersey or jacket)
- Socks: black school socks (short, above the ankle when wearing trousers and long, below the knee when wearing skirt)
- Shoes: black SCHOOL shoes (e.g. Toughees, Student Prince)
- Jersey: black V-neck school jersey or pull-over
- Scarf: turquoise school scarf
- Tracksuit: school tracksuit (with turquoise school shirt and black school shoes)

\*White vests may be worn underneath school shirts, but may not show.

\*Please note that grade 1 - 7 are not allowed to wear tights with skirts.

### **Grade 8 - 12**

- Trousers: long black school trousers (must be female cut)
- Skirt: black, pleated school skirt (must be above the knee and not more than 13cm from the ground when kneeling)
- Shirt: turquoise long- or short-sleeved school shirt with tie-collar (must be tucked in when wearing jersey or jacket)
- Socks: black school socks (short, above the ankle when wearing trousers and long, below the knee when wearing skirt)
- Tights: thick, black pantyhose/tights only
- Shoes: black SCHOOL shoes (e.g. Toughees, Student Prince)
- Jersey: black V-neck school jersey or pull-over
- Scarf: turquoise school scarf
- Tie: school tie (matrics are permitted to wear their matric tie)
- Blazer: school blazer is compulsory for winter

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## **Plain clothes / Civvies**

Learners must be acceptably dressed in line with school uniform rules. Moderate make-up may be worn by grade 10 - 12 girls only.

## **GUIDELINES TO GENERAL TIDINESS**

### **BOYS**

#### **Hair**

- No colouring of hair is allowed.
- Hair may not touch the collar, eyebrows or ears.
- Moderate use of gel is allowed.
- No dreadlocks, mo-hawks, afro's, spiky styles or patterns cut into the hair is allowed.

#### **Facial hair**

- No beards or moustaches are allowed. Boys must be clean-shaven.
- No patterns may be shaved into eyebrows.

#### **Jewellery**

- No jewellery is allowed except the following:
  - medic alert bracelet.
  - watches (plain watches only with no decoration).

#### **Nails**

- All nails must be short and clean.

### **GIRLS**

#### **Hair**

- No colouring of hair is allowed.
- Hair may not hang in face.
- Fringe may not touch eyebrows.
- No sections of hair may hang loose.
- Hair touching the shirt collar must be fastened.
- All hair (including all types of braided hair) must be tied NEATLY.
- Moderate use of gel is allowed.
- Only black hair bands and alic bands are allowed.
- Only black or silver hair pins are allowed (with no decorations).

#### **Make-up**

- No make-up is allowed.

#### **Jewellery**

- No jewellery is allowed except the following:
  - medic alert bracelet.

- watches (plain watches only with no decoration).
- earrings:
  - plain small studs or sleepers
  - must be silver or gold
  - only one earring per ear
  - must be worn only in the bottom hole of the earlobe

### **Nails**

- All nails must be short and clean.
- No nail varnish is allowed.