

Support for uniforms and other school essentials



**Visit the State Schools'
Relief website:**

www.stateschoolsrelief.org.au

Who is eligible?

Victorian government schools (primary, secondary or specialist) can submit applications for students whose family has difficulty in accessing the school essentials such as uniforms.

This includes, but is not limited to:

- Unemployment
- Health issues/illness
- Financial difficulties
- Independent living and/or homelessness
- Natural disasters, house fires
- Bereavement
- Domestic violence

It is aimed to have applications processed within 24 - 48 hours, and orders delivered within 4 working days.

What is available?

State Schools' Relief can provide clothing or footwear direct from their own stock. If they don't have the right physical items, they will provide a voucher that can be used towards the school uniform shop or other uniform provider. Sometimes, there will be a gap that has to be covered.

They can also provide support for books (up to \$160), school bags, hats, graphing calculators and more.

How can I get support?

State Schools' Relief can only be accessed by a school principal, assistant principal and/or wellbeing coordinator. If you need support, make a time with your principal to discuss your needs. Any requests will be handled confidentially.

Get help

If you and your case manager are having difficulty in accessing support through your school for State Schools' Relief, contact your local LOOKOUT Centre.

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