



# RANDWICK PARK SCHOOL

## SUNHATS - POLICY STATEMENT 1988

### RATIONALE:

This Board sees children's continuing good health and wellbeing as essential to learning. Current concerns regarding ultra-violet light and its impact on children's wellbeing it is important for children to wear appropriate protection against the elements.

### PURPOSE:

1. To foster continued good health and wellbeing.
2. To prevent any ill-effects caused by exposure to the natural elements.

### GUIDELINES:

1. Children/tamariki are to be actively educated about the risks of over-exposure to extreme natural elements i.e. extreme heat and U.V. exposure.
2. Children/tamariki will be required to wear our school sunhat outside the classroom within school hours and walking to and from school.
3. Children/tamariki will be expected to wear the school regulation sunhat on any sporting or learning beyond the classroom events on or off school grounds during the summer months, Labour weekend – Easter.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Principal)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
BoT Chairperson

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

NATIONAL EDUCATION GUIDELINES REFERENCE  
NATIONAL ADMINISTRATION GUIDELINES NO. 5 (i)