

Period Products Access Arrangements

Interim – December 2023

As at: December 2023

Locations

Period products are available from ACT public school front offices. In addition, individual schools may specify further locations for period products to be made available that suit the individual school environment and context.

Purpose

Under section 10 of the *Period Products and Facilities (Access) Act 2023*, the ACT Government must maintain written arrangements for access to period products at public places on the Suitable Places List, available on the relevant ACT Government website. Access Arrangements set out how:

- > a person can access period products in a way that respects their dignity.
- > a reasonable range of period products will be available at the place.

Expected users

Enrolled students and staff of ACT public schools.

Access arrangements

ACT public schools will continue to make period products available to students and staff through school front offices and via any additional existing mechanisms. Information about where to access period products will be available in ACT public schools at the front office.

Range of products

Pads and tampons are available in ACT public high schools, colleges and combined schools. Pads are available in ACT public primary schools.

Principle of Dignity

The provision of period products in ACT public schools supports student dignity in an age and stage appropriate manner.