

## Uniform/Dress Code Policy

It is our belief that a school uniform teaches students to dress for success and take pride in their appearance. We feel that uniforms promote a more serious school atmosphere which emphasis academics and promotes good behavior. Proper and full uniform must be worn at all times unless otherwise specified (Please refer to 'dress down' guidelines). Uniforms should be clean, fit properly and in good condition. Good personal hygiene is important and expected.

### ***Uniforms***

School uniforms may be purchased through Donnelly's School Apparel (1-800-498-0045) or [www.DonnelysClothing.com](http://www.DonnelysClothing.com) . A school uniform store is also available to swap and purchase lovingly used uniforms.

It is always our goal to foster responsibility in our children, if for some extraordinary reason the student is not able to follow the dress code, a written excuse is necessary.

### ***Girl's winter (formal) uniform: (November 1st to April 1st)***

- School plaid jumper, knee-length with play shorts (above hemline) underneath
- White Peter Pan Collar blouse
- Navy blue slacks
- Green v-neck vest, pullover, or cardigan with Logo
- Navy or green socks or tights
- Solid black, brown or navy conventional shoes or solid black sneaker (no clogs, crocs, sandals, platform, backless, ballet or moccasins)
- Black belt

### ***Boy's winter (formal) uniform: (November 1st to April 1st)***

- Navy blue pants
- White Oxford button down shirt
- Green v-neck vest, pullover or cardigan with Logo
- Plaid Tie
- Navy or black crew/dress socks
- Black belt
- Black or brown shoes or solid black sneaker (no clogs, crocs, sandals, backless or moccasins).

### ***Girl's and Boy's warm weather uniform (worn until October 31 and after April 1st)***

- Green polo shirts with logo
- Girls - navy skort

- Boys - navy shorts
- Navy or black dress socks
- Black belt
- Black sneakers

### ***Gym Wear***

Children will wear the gym uniform to school on their designated gym day.

- Grey tee shirt with spirit logo
- Grey jersey shorts with spirit logo
- Grey sweatshirt with spirit logo
- Grey sweatpants with spirit logo
- Grey hooded sweatshirt with spirit logo
- White socks
- Sneakers of their choice

### ***Pre-K program***

- Navy blue elastic pull-on
- Green polo shirts with logo
- Navy shorts or skorts for warmer weather
- Black sneaker

During inclement weather the children may wear snow boots to school. They must bring a pair of uniform shoes/sneakers to change into.

**Embellishing school uniforms, gym uniforms or school related costumes/outfits is not allowed.**

### ***Haircuts/styles/accessories***

Boys: Hair should be above the collar. No shaved configurations or lines may be cut into the hair, no 'tails' or heavy spiking.

Girls: Hair accessories should be modest; **no dying of hair is allowed, no feathers, hair extensions, or extensive beading.** Hats and bandannas are not to be worn at school. Bangs should not obstruct student's ability to see.

### ***Make-up/Jewelry***

Jewelry should be modest, simple and conservative (a watch, ring, necklace and/or bracelet). If the jewelry becomes a distraction, students will be asked to remove them and take them home. Earrings (Girls only) should be studs only - no dangling earrings and one piercing only.

**No makeup, nail polish, cologne or aftershave, of fake tattoos. Lip gloss is not allowed - clear chapstick only.**

All uniform regulations and guidelines are subject to the discretion of the principal.

### ***No Uniform Days***

Students should be dressed appropriately whenever there is a No Uniform Day. Tank Tops, camisoles or scooped necked shirts, short or cropped tops, and shirts with inappropriate slogans or sayings are not allowed. Shorts or skirts should be mid thigh in length. Leggings are permitted with a mid-thigh shirt. Shoes must have a back to them - no clogs, no heels or slip-on sandals are allowed.

The administration of the school is the authority in determining appropriateness of any clothing worn to school. Parents will be contacted to arrange for appropriate clothing if the administration determines a child is dressed inappropriately.