

**Junior Academy Dress Code and Uniform Policy**

As a school, we have chosen to represent ourselves professionally, with a polished and clean uniform. Our uniform reflects our pride and our respect for our school. While specific guidelines are provided below, it is important for students to develop an understanding of an adherence to the spirit and standards of professional dress.

	<b>Boys</b>	<b>Girls</b>
<b>Shirt</b>	Solid white polo or oxford shirt tucked into pants	Solid white polo or oxford shirt or shirts
<b>Pants and Skirts</b>	Solid khaki pants or shorts worn at the waist with a neutral colored belt	Solid khaki skirt worn no more than three inches above the knee (Solid white, black, brown, gray or navy tights or leggings (NO PRINTS) may be worn with a uniform skirt) or Solid khaki pants or shorts worn no more than three inches above the knee (Pants, shorts and skirts with belt-loops must be worn with a black or brown belt)
		<b>We focus on learning...not what we wear</b>
<b>Shoes and Socks</b>	* Student Requested and Honored Uniform Change*	
	Any closed toe and school appropriate shoe (no slides, crocs or flip flops) that will not distract from the learning environment (no bright or neon colors)  Students participated in a focus group and changed the wording and expectation of the shoe policy	
<b>Hair</b>	All hair and facial hair should be neat and groomed in accordance to cultural norms.	
<b>Jackets and Sweaters</b>	<p>Students may also wear the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Official Drew athletic pull over zip-up jackets purchased as part of participation in a sport</li> <li>● Forest green, white, or tan sweaters, however, the shirt collar should remain visible</li> </ul> <p><i>All other outerwear, including but not limited to jackets, vests, sweatshirts, hoodies and shooting shirts, non- Drew items, should be stored during the school day.</i></p>	

<b>Other</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• When approved by the administration select team and spirit clothing may be allowed on particular school days, in addition to planned dress downs</li><li>• Consequences for disregarding uniform policy could include, but not limited to:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>-parent contacted for replacement items</li><li>-school provides replacement uniform items (shoes, shirts etc.)<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>□ families are expected to return the items washed and folded, when/if appropriate</li></ul></li><li>-refusal to adhere to expectations could result in administrative consequences</li></ul></li><li>• All accessories should be consistent with the spirit of the uniform policy.</li><li>• Head coverings are only allowed for religious reasons inside of the school building (no bandanas).</li></ul>
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Uniforms must be neat and clean and students should practice good hygiene. The policy above applies to students as they enter the school building and throughout the school day. If a child is out of uniform, they may be required to secure a full and/or appropriate before attending class. Please contact the Dean of Students if there is a need for uniform support as he/she may be able to assist you.