



ST. ANDREW'S SCHOOLS

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The Priory – Upper School Uniform and Non-Uniform Guidelines

Overall Appearance

- Uniforms and non-uniform attire (such as those worn on “free-dress” days) must be clean and neat.
- Clothing with stains, holes, tears, or excessive wrinkling should not be worn.
- Uniforms and shoes should be maintained in good condition.
- Skirts/shorts may not be rolled at the waist or worn low on the hips.
- No bare skin should be visible at the waist.
- Skirts and shorts should be no shorter than four inches above the knee.
- Athletic shoes worn with the uniforms must be “low top.” Dress shoes worn with the uniform must be closed toe, with a heel height of an inch or less. Boots or any form of sandal may not be worn with a uniform.
- Appropriate undergarments (solid colors of white, gray, or beige) are to be worn under the blouse or polo shirt.
- Hair styles should be natural and appropriate to the person. Hair must be neat, clean, and well groomed. Curlers, pin curls, or rollers may not be worn. Hair color, if dyed, should reflect a naturally occurring hair color.
- Jewelry should be minimal and appropriate to the uniform and occasion. Only stud earrings may be worn during P.E. for safety reasons.
- Middle and high school students may wear nail polish and make-up conservatively.
- Facial piercing, body piercing (other than ear) is not permitted.
- Tattoos are discouraged and should not be visible when the student is wearing their school uniform.

**SAS Administration reserves the right to determine the appropriateness of clothing apparel and grooming.*

School Uniforms

School uniforms are a long-standing tradition and a part of daily life at St. Andrew's Schools. Uniforms reinforce a sense of belonging, equity, educational focus, and community identity.

Students dress in accordance with the Student Dress Code for all school-related activities and functions, on and off campus. Individual requests for temporary exemptions should be stated in writing by the student's parents or guardian and presented to the teacher or the Upper School Principal for approval upon the student's arrival at school.

Students must wear their uniform properly and with dignity at all times (e.g. when they are on campus, off campus, as well as before, during, and after school). Students are expected to remain in uniform after school if they are on campus unless their extracurricular activities indicate otherwise. Students may not wear partial uniform (i.e. SAS skirt and t-shirt) when on or off campus. When students have a concert in the evening, they may wear the concert uniform during the day. If students plan to attend the concert, they may change to attend the concert prior to the concert, but their dress should comply with the school's non-uniform attire guidelines. **If a student attends a school event, their dress should be in compliance with non-uniform guidelines.**

Uniforms can be purchased online from [Dennis Uniform](#). Enter "St. Andrew's Schools" in the search bar.

Dennis Uniform has helpful [sizing and ordering information available here](#). The uniform has two basic styles:

1. Chapel Uniform: Which is mandatory for all students on the days that we celebrate Chapel, plus other designated special function days, and field trips (unless otherwise directed by their teacher). The Chapel uniform may also be worn on non-Chapel days.
2. Standard Daily Uniform: Which consists of multiple options, can be worn on all other school days.

**All students must have one of the following for more formal Chapels and special school events: Red, black or navy v-neck cardigan with school logo. For more formal Chapels or for special school events, students will not be permitted to wear sweatshirts as outerwear.*

Chapel Uniform – Grades 7-12

Top

- White Taylor blouse with school logo
- OR
- White pinfeather sport collar blouse (no longer sold by Dennis Uniform)

Bottom

- Black and white plaid pleated skirt
- Black slacks

Footwear

- All-black shoes; rain boots for inclement weather
- Plain all-white socks

Outerwear

- Navy full-zip hooded sweatshirt with school logo
- Navy hooded jacket with school logo
- Red or gray front-zip hooded sweatshirt with school logo
- Red, black or navy v-neck cardigan with school logo
- Red v-neck pullover with school logo
- All-white or all-black tights under skirt (optional)
- All-black leggings under skirt (optional) with no embellishments, designs, or cut-outs

Standard Daily Uniform

Top

- White Taylor blouse with school logo
OR
- White or red polo with school logo
OR
- White pinfeather sport collar blouse (no longer sold by Dennis Uniform)

Bottom

- Black and white plaid pleated skirt (dark navy or black bike shorts may be worn under skirt)
OR
- Black flat front shorts (navy also allowed but no longer sold by Dennis Uniform) OR
 - Black slacks
OR
 - Navy tab skort (no longer sold by Dennis Uniform)

Dress

- Black pique A-line polo dress with school logo

Footwear

- All-black shoes; rain boots for inclement weather
- Plain all-white socks

Outerwear

- Navy full-zip hooded sweatshirt with school logo
- Navy hooded jacket with school logo
- Red or gray front-zip hooded sweatshirt with school logo
- Red, black or navy v-neck cardigan with school logo
- Red v-neck pullover with school logo
- All-white or all-black tights (optional)
- All-black leggings (optional) with NO embellishments, designs, or cut-outs • Pride wear (approved uniform from the SAS Apparel Store); may be worn on non chapel days only.

Physical Education Uniform

Top

- Oxford gray t-shirt

Bottom

- Navy wicking shorts
- OR
- Red mini-mesh shorts

Footwear

- Athletic shoes
- Socks

Non-Uniform Attire Guidelines

There are certain days during the year when students are allowed to wear non-uniform attire. These days are often called free-dress days, school pride days and/or aloha wear days. Specific non-uniform attire guidelines will accompany the announcement of these days. Please refer to the [Principal's Blog](#), teacher flyers, memos and/or Canvas pages for these announcements and guidelines.

At no time will clothing or apparel be permitted that contains advertisements for, or suggests the use of, tobacco, alcohol, violence, or illegal substances. The school also forbids the display of symbols that, in the opinion of the administration, encourages divisiveness based on race, sex, sexual preference, religion, or national origin.

General Guidelines

- Attire should be neat and clean.
- No strapless, spaghetti strap, crop tops or see-through shirts.
- No short shorts or short skirts. Shorts and skirts must not be shorter than four inches above the knee.
- No torn, ripped, or frayed denim.
- In the interest of student safety on the playground, students wear athletic or uniform shoes or flat-heeled sandals with secure back straps. Shoe heel height must be one inch or less.
- No slippers or slipper-like footwear, including Crocs, Tevas, and Flojos.
- No Birkenstocks or Birkenstock-like footwear, including athletic sandals.
- Leggings may be worn only with tops that cover the entire hip area. No cut outs or sheer leggings.

Aloha Attire

In celebration of St. Andrew's Schools' Hawaiian heritage, mu'umu'u or an aloha shirt or blouse (Hawaiian florals or patterns that reflect Hawaiian culture and Hawai'i's natural beauty) may be worn on Fridays and on May Day. Not permitted at any grade level are short flowery dresses, jumpsuits, rompers, and styles that expose cleavage, midriff, or back. Shoulder straps must be one inch in diameter or greater.

- Mu'umu'u may be tea length (below the knee), ankle length, or just above the knee.
- Aloha shirts may be worn with black or khaki slacks or pants. (Jeans are not permitted as part of aloha attire)
- In the interest of student safety on the playground, students may wear athletic or uniform shoes, or flat-heeled sandals with secure back straps.
- Shoes with slippery, non-tread soles are not permitted.
- Outerwear: Lightweight sweater. Heavy sweaters, sweatshirts, or jackets should not be worn with aloha attire. If inclement weather or air-conditioned classrooms prevent the choice of aloha attire, the standard or the Chapel uniform should be worn.

School Pride Day

Students may wear school logo t-shirts on school Pride Days with appropriate bottoms.

Senior Modification (Mod) Dress Guidelines

Senior Modification (Mod) is a privilege granted to the Senior Class and is specified non-uniform attire that distinguishes them as mature and responsible adults preparing to enter

the business and college world. The guidelines for Senior Mod are given in writing to the senior students in the summer. Seniors may choose to wear the school uniform in lieu of Senior Mod. All students are required to wear the Standard St. Andrew's Schools Uniform on chapel days and other designated days. Uniforms or Senior Mod must be worn when attending classes at UH or HPU. Senior Mod is worn to Senior Internship. Abuse or violation of the Senior Mod Dress Code will result in consequences.

The administrative staff establishes the guidelines for Senior Mod. Exclusion of particular attire from the Senior Mod policy does not indicate that the attire is permissible. Common sense and good conscience should be utilized as guidelines.

Senior Mod Violation

If there is a Senior Mod violation, the class officers, advisor, or Upper School Principal will enforce the following consequences.

- 1st time Senior Mod has been violated; the student loses Senior Mod for a month.
- 2nd time Senior Mod has been violated; the student loses all senior privileges for 1 month.
- 3rd time Senior Mod has been violated; the student loses Senior Mod for the remainder of the year.

Senior Mod guidelines are updated annually. The school administration reserves the right to change this policy at any time.