



THE SCIS SCHOOL UNIFORM



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SCIS students adhere to a dress code that we believe promotes a sense of orderliness and school community, helps with campus and field trip security, and reduces “fashion competition”. We aim to have students wearing similar, if not necessarily identical, outfits that engender a feeling of community and avoid clothes-conscious social situations.

All students wear laced shoes or sturdy sandals. Athletic shoes or sneakers are acceptable, but “flip-flops”, “thong” sandals, and other beach-type footwear are not appropriate for school. Caps or hats in buildings are also inappropriate. It is preferred that winter outerwear be navy blue, grey or tan in color; and these garments should be removed when indoors. The use of light sweatshirts/hoodies (i.e. GAP or Abercrombie and Fitch sweatshirts) or sweaters that are not distributed by the uniform office are not acceptable during school hours. All students are expected to be well groomed and appropriately dressed at school or during school-related functions off campus. Immodest or distracting attire is inappropriate in our multi-cultural setting.

Haircuts, hair dyes, jewelry, makeup, body art or other aspects of personal appearance that are distracting to the learning process are not allowed, interpretation of this is determined by divisional administration.

There are occasionally “spirit” days on which students are not required to wear the school uniform. These may occur approximately once a month, usually in connection with a special holiday or event, and will be announced by the school administration. On those days, students are expected to wear shirts with sleeves (no tank top or halter top shirts) and must look neat and presentable. Students will normally wear the school uniform for field trips, unless otherwise indicated on the permission form.

Students who do not have the proper school attire may be sent from their class to the school office, where they can phone home to have proper clothing sent to school. In the Upper School a student may be required to wear office-provided clothing for the day.



Early Childhood – Nursery to Kindergarten

Lower School – Grades 1 to 5

Early Childhood (Nursery to Kindergarten) and Lower School Students (Grades 1 to 5) wear navy-blue trousers, shorts, or skirts and a light-blue polo shirt (short or long sleeved) with the SCIS book logo. A navy-blue fleece or cardigan sweater or other approved outerwear such as the grey, blue or green SCIS “hoodie” sweatshirt can be worn in the cooler weather.

Lower School Students (Grades 1 to 5) will wear their PE uniform to school on days that they have PE class.

Summer Uniform



Short Sleeve Polo Shirt



Navy-Blue Shorts



Navy-Blue Skorts

Winter Uniform



Long Sleeve Polo Shirt



Navy-Blue Long Pants

PE Uniform (Lower School – Grades 1-5 Only)



Hongqiao Campus
PE Shirts



Pudong Campus
PE Shirt



PE Shorts

Upper School – Grades 6 to 8

Upper School Students (Grades 6 to 8) wear tan/khaki shorts, trousers, or skirts and a navy-blue polo shirt (short or long sleeved) with the SCIS book logo. A navy-blue fleece or cardigan sweater or other approved outerwear such as the grey, blue or green SCIS “hoodie” sweatshirt can be worn in the cooler weather.

Upper School Students (Grades 6 to 8) will bring to school and change into their PE uniform on days that they have PE class.

Summer Uniform



Short Sleeve Polo Shirt



Tan/Khaki Shorts



Tan/Khaki Skirt

Winter Uniform



Long Sleeve Polo Shirt



Tan/Khaki Long Skirt

PE Uniform



Hongqiao Campus
PE Shirts



Pudong Campus
PE Shirt



PE Shorts

Upper School – Grades 9 to 12

Upper School Students (Grades 9 to 12) wear tan/khaki shorts, skirts or trousers, or plaid skirts and a light-blue Oxford-cloth button-down shirt (short or long sleeved) with the SCIS book logo. A navy-blue fleece or cardigan sweater or other approved outerwear such as the grey, blue or green SCIS “hoodie” sweatshirt can be worn in the cooler weather. Short and skirt length must extend below the mid-thigh, interpretation of this is determined by divisional administration. The manner in which students are expected to wear their uniform is as follows: shirts should be fully buttoned with the exception of the very top button; clothing that is worn beneath the school shirts/tops should be tucked in and not hanging out so as to not to be overly visible. Clothing should be in good repair; clean, and of the proper size to fit.

Upper School Students (Grades 9 to 10) will bring to school and change into their PE uniform on days that they have PE class.

Summer Uniform



Short Sleeve Oxford Button-Up Shirt



Tan/Khaki Skirt



Tan/Khaki Shorts



Plaid skirt

Winter Uniform



Long Sleeve Oxford Button-Up Shirt



Tan/Khaki Long Pants

PE Uniform

(Upper School – Grades 9 & 10 Only)



Hongqiao Campus PE Shirts



Pudong Campus PE Shirt



PE Shorts