

# ELEMENTARY DRESS CODE

The Shlenker School's uniform policy was developed with an eye toward comfort, neatness, modesty, and respect for the academic process. The Shlenker School's uniform vendor is Lands' End. Please consult the chart and the statements below for your child's uniform requirements:

	<b>OPTIONS Grades K-2</b>	<b>OPTIONS Grades 3-5</b>
<p><b>DRESS UNIFORMS</b> (Required for Fridays, Grandparents and Special Friends Day, and other occasions specified by Elementary Division Head. May be worn any day.)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Plaid jumper with short sleeve piped collar shirt</li> <li>• Long khaki chino-style pants or khaki shorts with white oxford shirt</li> <li>• Solid brown belt</li> <li>• Navy cardigan or hooded, zippered sweatshirt jacket with Shlenker logo</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Plaid skirt or plaid skort with white oxford shirt</li> <li>• Long khaki chino-style pants or khaki shorts with white oxford shirt</li> <li>• Solid brown belt</li> <li>• Navy cardigan or hooded, zippered sweatshirt jacket with Shlenker logo</li> </ul>
<p><b>REGULAR SCHOOL UNIFORMS</b> MONDAY through THURSDAY</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• White or navy polo shirt, long or short sleeved, with Shlenker logo</li> <li>• Long khaki or navy chino-style pants</li> <li>• Khaki or navy shorts</li> <li>• Khaki, navy, or plaid skort</li> <li>• Short-sleeved navy polo dress with Shlenker logo</li> <li>• Navy cardigan or hooded, zippered sweatshirt jacket with Shlenker logo</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• White or navy polo shirt, long or short sleeved, with Shlenker logo</li> <li>• Long khaki or navy chino-style pants</li> <li>• Khaki or navy shorts</li> <li>• Khaki, navy, or plaid skort</li> <li>• Short-sleeved navy polo dress with Shlenker logo</li> <li>• Navy cardigan or hooded, zippered sweatshirt jacket with Shlenker logo</li> </ul>

The following uniform pieces **MUST** be purchased from Lands' End—plaid jumpers, plaid skirts, plaid skorts, white or navy polo shirts with long or short sleeves, white oxford shirts, short-sleeved navy polo dress, and navy cardigans. All these items **MUST** have the Shlenker logo.

Hooded zippered sweatshirts jackets and other outerwear **MUST** be purchased from the Shlenker School Store.

Navy/khaki pants, navy/khaki shorts, and navy/khaki skorts, may be purchased from any retailer provided styles and colors are identical to those at Lands' End.

Additional Notes: All shorts, jumpers, skirts, dresses, and skorts should be no shorter than 3" above the knee.

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Below is additional guidance about the Elementary Dress Code. This information can also be found in our Student-Parent Handbook located on the Parent Portal of the school's website.

1. The Shlenker School requires all Elementary students to wear the proper uniform daily. Parents will be notified if students are not appropriately dressed and may be called to bring the proper attire to school in order for a student to remain in class.
2. The SPA provides a free Community Closet. Please contact The SPA Chairperson for more information.
3. No logo other than The Shlenker School logo is permitted on any item of clothing, including socks. Shlenker logos are available on polo shirts and oxford cloth shirts, jackets, cardigans, and dresses.
4. On cold weather days, students may wear navy leggings or tights with their uniforms. Leggings must extend below the knee; all socks must be solid white.
5. At all times, including free-dress days, students must wear P.E. appropriate shoes with closed toes and closed heels. Platform shoes, shoes with heels higher than  $\frac{3}{4}$  inch, sandals, and Crocs are not permissible.
6. All shoes requiring laces must include the laces and be snugly tied.
7. Shoes that make any kind of noises or that have wheels or lights are not permitted.
8. Inside the school building, students may wear cardigans or hooded zippered sweatshirts jackets with the school logo.
9. Students may wear non-logo outerwear OUTSIDE when it is cold.
10. Students in Grades 2-5 must wear a brown belt with their shorts or long pants on Dress Uniform days.
11. Students may wear white tank tops or plain white undershirts with uniform shirts and blouses.
12. On free dress days, students must wear clothing that is appropriate to school. No halter tops, bare shoulders, backs, or midriffs are allowed. Likewise, no short shorts or cut-off pants are allowed. T-shirts must be worn under sleeveless sports jerseys and tank tops with large arm openings. Clothing should not have inappropriate slogans.
13. All students' hair must be neat and well-groomed. Students should present a neat and clean appearance at all times. Dress uniform shirts must be tucked in at all times.