

UNIFORM/DRESS CODE POLICY

All clothing must fit appropriately, not too tight or too loose, and be in good condition at all times. Hats, hoods, and bandanas are not to be worn in the building at any time, Monday-Thursday, and only at teacher's discretion on Friday. Items worn, including jewelry should not be considered a distraction to the learning process. Hair should be of natural color. Hair styles (e.g. Mohawk) may not call attention nor be considered distracting.

FRIDAY

Students may wear regular street clothes of their choice, following these parameters:

- Clothing should not be offensive or disrupt the learning environment in any way.
- Clothing should be neat, fit appropriately, and shirts must cover the abdomen.
- Shorts, skirts, and any slits in such attire may not be higher than mid-thigh.

DRESS CODE VIOLATION CONSEQUENCES

Uniform violations are considered a disciplinary issue and will be handled as follows:

- 1st Violation: Dress code warning and notification will be issued, with written warning to be signed and returned.
- 2nd Violation: Dress code warning and notification will be issued to be signed and returned, and parents will also be notified by phone.
- 3rd Violation: Discipline referral will be issued and parents will be required to bring appropriate uniform.
- Subsequent violation: Student is subject to further disciplinary actions at the discretion of the administrator. Any work missed due to uniform violations will be made up on the student's own time.

Students may lose the right to free dress on Fridays if violations continue.

- Receptionist / teachers at respective campuses will keep track of violations.

| Clothing Description | Pre-K – 7 th Grade | 8 th – 12 th Grades |
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TOPS all shirts must completely cover the abdomen and extend past top of pants, shorts, skirts, or skorts. They may not hang below the bottom of the uniform shirt.

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| Polo Shirt (plain, no ruffles, lace, gathers, logos, except NYOS, decorative sleeves, etc.) Red, Navy, or White | ✓ | ✓ |
| Polo Shirt - Black, Gray, Maroon, Brown | Not permitted | ✓ |
| Turtlenecks – (no logos) Red, Navy, or White Only | ✓ | ✓ |
| Undershirts – White Only May NOT show below polo | ✓ | ✓ |
| NYOS T-Shirts – NYOS Athletics XXX | ✓ | Not permitted |
| Jaguar Pride | ✓ | Not permitted |
| Bowl-A-Thon | ✓ | Not permitted |

BOTTOMS (no stripes or other adornments)

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| Pants – Khaki (tan) or Navy | ✓ | ✓ |
| Shorts/Skirts/Skorts/Jumpers – Khaki or Navy (must be at least mid-thigh in length) | ✓ | ✓ |
| Tights and Leggings | Not permitted for 6 th and 7 th Grades | Not permitted |
| PE Uniform – loose-fitting t-shirt and gym shorts | 6 th & 7 th Grades Only | ✓ |

SHOES

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| Closed Toe Shoes (all times) | Pre-K to 5 th Grades Only | Not Applicable ✓ ✓ |
| Appropriate shoe of choice | 6 th & 7 th Grades Only | |
| Tennis Shoe (required for PE) | ✓ | |

OUTERWEAR – Bright or distracting colors may not be permitted based on teacher discretion.

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| Sweaters – cardigan or loose fitting, solid colors, no logos | ✓ | ✓ |
| Sweatshirts – zip-up and loose fitting, solid colors, no logos NYOS hoodies only- NO other hoodies | ✓ | ✓ |
| Jackets/Coats – Solid colors, no logos | ✓ | ✓ |

OTHER ITEMS

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| Hats | Friday only | Friday only |
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