



## DRESS CODE AND UNIFORMS

The Academy's uniform choice is based upon the Orthodox tradition which implies modesty and neatness. The school uniform should be purchased through Land's End (see school website). All students must come to school neatly combed and dressed in **clean** uniform. ***Any student not in the full acceptable uniform may be sent home.***

### Uniforms for Boys

- **Polo Shirt**

- Short or Long sleeve with school logo
- **Color:** Burgundy
- **Style #1:** Short Sleeve Performance Mesh Polo (K-12)
- **Style #2:** Long Sleeve Performance Mesh Polo (K-12)
- **Fit:** Shirt must always remain tucked in

- **Pants**

- **Color:** Classic Navy
- **Style #1:** Iron Knee Pull on Climber Pants (K-6)
- **Style #2:** Stain Resist Plain Front Chino Pants - must be worn with a black belt (1-12)
- **Style #3:** School Uniform Boys Active Chino Pants - must be worn with a black belt (1-12)
- **Fit:** Pants should reach the shoe but not drag on the ground. No excessively baggy or tight-fitting pants will be permitted. Pants should be worn at the waist with no undergarments visible. No jeans, cargo or athletic style pants allowed. Younger kids must not need help with their pants or belt.

- **Shorts**

- **Color:** Classic Navy

- **Style:** School Uniform Boys Active chino style. No jeans, cargo or athletic style allowed. **(K-6)**
- **Shoes**
  - **Color:** The shoes should be black
    - No neon or bright colored shoe laces (black laces for black shoes).
  - **Style:** Crocs Roka slip on or Athletic (tennis, Stride Rite) shoes.
  - For those who are unable to tie their shoes, they must wear shoes with Velcro or slip on.
- **Socks**
  - **Color:** Black or White
  - **Length:** Ankle or knee-high

## Uniform for Girls

- **Plaid Jumper**
  - **Color:** Hunter/Classic Navy Plaid only with school logo
  - **Style:** Plaid Jumper, Hunter/Classic Navy Plaid **(K-4)**
  - **Length:** The skirt hem may be no higher than just above the knee, both in front and in back.
    - Spandex tight-fitting shorts **must** be worn under the jumper
- **Skirt**
  - **Color:** Skirts must be pleated hunter/classic plaid or navy
  - **Style #1:** Solid Pleated Skirt Below the Knee, Classic Navy **(K-12)**
  - **Style #2:** Plaid Skirt Below the Knee, Hunter/Classic Navy Blue **(K-12)**
  - **Style #3:** Adult Plaid Pleated Skirt Below the Knee, Hunter/Classic Navy Blue **(9-12)**
  - **Length:** The skirt hem should be below the knee, both in front and in back. Skirt hem should touch ground when properly adjusted at the waist and kneeling on a level surface. Skirts must be worn at the waist.

- Spandex tight-fitting shorts **must** be worn under the skirt
  
- **Polo Shirt**
  - Short or Long sleeve with school logo
  - *Color:* Navy or Burgundy
  - **Style #1:** Short Sleeve Peter Pan Polo, Classic Navy (K-12)
  - **Style #2:** Short Sleeve Fem Mesh Polo, Burgundy (K-12)
  - **Style #3:** Long Sleeve Fem Fit Mesh Polo, Burgundy (K-12)
  - **Style #4:** Girls Long Sleeve Peter Pan Polo, Classic Navy (K-12)
  - **Fit:** Shirt must always remain tucked in
  
- **Socks, Tights, or Leggings**
  - **Color:** Black or White
  - **Length:** Ankle or knee-high socks
  - **Leggings:** Black or Navy and must reach the ankle
  
- **Shoes**
  - **Color:** The shoes must be black
    - No neon or bright colored shoe laces (black laces for black shoes).
    - For those who are unable to tie their shoes, it must be Velcro or slip on type.
  - **Style:** Crocs Roka slip on or Athletic (tennis, Stride Rite) shoes. Mary Jane's may be worn on days without PE.
  
- **Boots: Allowed during winter months.**
  - **Color:** Black
  - **Style:** Must be simple. No glitter, rhinestones, embellished, or laced to the top; i.e., military style. **Heels are not allowed.**

## Uniform Extras for Both Boys & Girls

- **Jackets, Sweaters, or Cardigans**
  - Should coordinate with school colors or be simple. No neon or bright colors. No images or characters. Plaid is acceptable. If you are uncertain please check with the school before purchasing.

- **Backpacks**

- Should coordinate with school colors and be simple. No neon or bright colors. No images or characters. No embellished or rhinestones.
- Should have child's name labeled inside.

## **PERSONAL APPEARANCE**

- Students are expected to be clean and well-groomed at all times.
- Make-up, nail polish, temporary tattoos, face painting and jewelry are inappropriate and are strictly prohibited.
- Girls should have their hair neatly done. Colorful or elaborate bows or ribbons are discouraged. Girls' hair should be clean and neat. Small clips or ribbons that match the uniform or correspond to school colors are allowed. Boys' hair should be neatly cut and no longer than collar length and no hair designs (cut patterns) permissible. No student may dye any part of his or her hair.

**NOTE:** We strongly recommends that parents purchase two of every piece of the uniform, just in case one set is not available. All parts of the school uniform should be clearly marked with the student's name and grade. Torn clothes must be neatly mended before being worn again.