

Uniform Requirements

Students are required to meet and follow the MMLA uniform policy. Ultimately, it is the parent/guardian's responsibility to carefully plan and monitor his/her child's attire prior to his/her arrival at school each morning. Should your child fail to meet any of the uniform standards below, a phone call shall be made home to review the uniform policy and to make arrangements for the appropriate uniform item(s) to be delivered to school. Students who fail to meet the uniform policy shall be subject to disciplinary action.

Boys:

- **Pants:** Navy blue or khaki uniform pants (worn around the natural waist)
- **Shorts:** Navy blue or khaki shorts (no more than 3 inches above the knee)
- **Shirt:** Buttoned white, navy, or light blue Oxford or polo shirt (All shirts must have collars and be tucked in at all times.)
- **Sweater:** Solid white, navy, or light blue sweater, sweatshirt (may have a hood), or vest (no logos, please)
- **Shoes:** Closed-toe shoes or sneakers **that do not distract from learning.** Boots may be worn in inclement weather (no sandals; shoe must cover the whole foot)
- **Belt:** plain black or brown in color, no attached items
- **Socks:** White, black, or navy blue

Girls:

- **Pants:** Navy blue or khaki uniform pants or capris (worn around the natural waist)
- **Shorts/Skirts:** Navy blue or khaki skirts/skorts/jumpers/shorts (no more than 3 inches above the knee)
- **Shirt/Blouse:** Buttoned white, navy, or light blue blouse or polo shirt (All blouses must have collars and be tucked in at all times.)
- **Sweater:** Solid white, navy, or light blue sweater, sweatshirt (may have a hood), or vest (no logos, please)
- **Shoes:** Closed-toe shoes or sneakers **that do not distract from learning.** Boots may be worn in inclement weather (no sandals; shoe must cover the whole foot.)
- **Socks/Tights:** White, black, or navy blue socks, leggings, or tights

No outerwear is allowed in class during instructional time.

Headwear: The only acceptable headwear in the building is a simple blue, black, or white headband worn for the purpose of holding hair back, not for fashion. Hoods attached to sweatshirts, sweaters, etc. may not be worn.

Exceptions for medical reasons or for the purposes of religious affiliation or practice will be considered. Requests for exceptions to this policy should be forwarded to the Director. Students wearing headgear in violation of this policy will be required to remove the item. Repeat offenses will lead to confiscation of the item which may be retrieved by a parent/guardian at any time.

The following items are not allowed on any school day, including on dress-down days:

- Open toed, high heels, high platform shoes
- Shoes with distracting elements such as lights or rollers in soles
- Tight pants
- Colored belts (black or brown only)
- Sunglasses
- Spaghetti strap tank tops

**Jewelry should be minimal so as not to present a safety concern or a distraction to learning.*