



# Episcopal Day School

## Uniform/Dress Code Guidelines 2020-2021

All students at EDS must wear designated uniforms (specific articles listed in Uniform Requirements document) while at school during regular school hours and at most school sponsored events such as field trips, etc.

Uniforms must be clean, wrinkle-free and in good condition.

Uniforms must fit correctly, be worn appropriately and be changed as needed to accommodate the growth of the student throughout the school year.

All uniforms must be purchased from the approved vendors: PSO Uniform Shop and Lands' End. They can be purchased according to the EDS's approved list.

### **FACE MASKS / COVERINGS**

Students in grades PK2-1 must have masks or face coverings available at all times and will be worn as directed. Masks must be worn for all kindergarten and 1st grades students at arrival and dismissal. All students in grades 2-8 will wear masks or face coverings at all times. Face coverings may be personalized. Purchasing through Lands' End or the PSO Store is optional.

### **PREK2:**

PreK2 students must wear approved EDS uniform tops and EDS T-shirts (sold at the EDS store, Lands' End, and Zoughby's) with a bottom of their own choice (pants, shorts, skirts, leggings, skorts, etc). PreK2 students are welcome to wear any uniforms pieces from Lands' End and/or Zoughby's but are only required to wear an EDS top.

**CHAPEL UNIFORMS:** Chapel Uniforms shall be worn every Wednesday, on other designated chapel days and field trips unless otherwise directed.

- Girls: (Grades K-1): white peter pan blouse and plaid jumper.
- Girls: (Grades 2-5): white peter pan blouse and plaid jumper or plaid skort and white uniform shirt or khaki pants or shorts.
- Girls: Middle School (5th through 8th Grades): plaid skirt, kilt or skort and a white uniform shirt or khaki pants or shorts and a white uniform shirt.
- Boys khaki shorts or pants and a white uniform shirt.

### **P.E. UNIFORMS:**

- Middle School shall wear the specified P.E. uniform.

### **DRESS CODE GUIDELINES**

#### **TOPS (shirts, blouses)**

- All shirts must be long enough to stay tucked in at all times.
- Long sleeve shirts may not be worn under short sleeve shirts.
- Undershirts must be completely plain white, sleeves may not show.

#### **BOTTOMS**

- The length of shorts, skirts, skorts, jumpers and dresses must be appropriate for.
- Girls must wear privacy shorts under skirts, jumpers and dresses.
- The length of boys' shorts must be no shorter than 2" above the knee and not longer than the knee.
- Hems of long pants may not pool on the floor or be rolled up.

## **BELTS**

- Students in Grades 2 – 8 must wear belts with all garments with belt loops.

## **SHOES / FOOTWEAR**

- Shoes must cover the toes and heels and should have a rubber or athletic sole.
- Students may not wear flip-flops, beach shoes, sandals, Crocs, or any other non-traditional shoe.
- Shoes may not have a heel higher than one inch.
- Lower School students may not wear boots.
- Navy, white, black or gray socks, leggings or tights must be worn at all times.

## **OUTERWEAR**

- If the temperature is above 50 degrees, students may only wear official uniform outerwear (sweaters, jackets, vests, coats, sweatshirts, fleece)
- If the temperature is 50 degrees or below, students may wear unofficial outerwear when outside only, including hats, gloves and scarves, but no baseball caps.

## **HAIR**

- Color enhancing is permitted only when done in naturally occurring hair colors.
- Designs may not be cut into the hair.
- No feathers or hair wraps will be permitted.
- Boys should be clean shaven.

## **JEWELRY, MAKE-UP, HAIR ACCESSORIES AND PERSONAL CARE**

- No visible piercings other than ears.
- No permanent tattoos may be visibly worn by any student.
- Drawings on visible parts of the body are not permitted.
- Students may not wear heavy chains, ankle bracelets, studded jewelry or collars.
- Girls may not wear unnatural or glitter make-up.
- Hair accessories must be limited to discrete bows, barrettes and headbands.

## **DESIGNATED DRESS DAYS (All dress code standards still apply.)**

**Casual Friday** – All students will be permitted to wear any EDS activity T-shirt with uniform bottoms on Fridays, unless otherwise notified.

**Jeans Day** – All students will be permitted to wear any EDS activity T-shirt with jeans on the last Friday of every month.

**Field Trips** – All students must wear the Chapel Uniform on field trips unless otherwise directed.

**Special Dress Days** – Certain non-uniform items may be worn on special days as scheduled and will be announced in advance (e.g. spirit days, holiday dress, etc.)