

Kindergarten Uniform Policy

Ordering Uniforms

Designated uniform items and RHSM logo fleece vests may be purchased through the Dennis Uniform Company. They have a store at 3560 South Main, SLC; or you may order from Dennis Uniform online, www.dennisuniform.com. The RHSM code is R3M. You may also purchase uniforms from Land's End, www.landsend.com/school. The RHSM code is 900103979. 3% of the net sales to Land's End are donated back to the school. **Any items purchased elsewhere must be of the same color, style, fit and look as the Dennis uniform and Land's End.**

Uniform Recycling

The Home and School Association organizes a “gently used” uniform sale Wednesday, August 27th in the Lower School, **Friday, August 31st** in the Beginning School foyer and on Color Day – June 3rd

As children mature they are ready for the school's increased expectations which include adhering to a uniform policy from kindergarten through fifth grade. The policies governing appropriate attire are intended to:

- allow students to focus on academics rather than on dress
- alleviate competition for more expensive clothing and/or fad clothing
- help students get ready for school in the morning with as little conflict over clothing as possible

Kindergarten Monday through Thursday Uniform (Friday is Free Dress)

All uniform clothing must be solid colors. Visible thread or trim must match the color of the garment.

Tops:

- Collared, plain **shirt or blouse**, white or navy blue, long or short sleeves
- Solid, navy blue, **sweaters**, including pullovers, cardigans and vests
- Collared **shirts** must be worn under sweaters, sweatshirts and vests
- RHSM logo **sweatshirts**, purchased through the school store only
- RHSM logo fleece **vests**, purchased through Dennis Uniform and School Store

Pants/Shorts/Skirts/Jumpers:

- **Slacks**, solid, navy blue all year
- **Capri or cropped pants**, solid, navy blue – September/October and April/May/June
- **Bermuda/walk length shorts**, solid, navy blue or blackwatch plaid, September/October and April/May/June (minimum length: to end of fingertips of fully extended arm)
- **Jumper, skirt or skorts**, blackwatch plaid or solid navy blue

- **Socks:**
- Solid color, any length, navy blue or white
- All shoes must be worn with socks
- Solid color tights, navy blue, white or green, worn under other clothing, in place of socks

Shoes:

- Rubber soles, closed at the toes and heels, tennis shoes or any low-heeled shoes with rubber soles in good condition are allowed (Sandals, clogs, and other open toe or heel shoes are not permitted)
- Shoes with laces must have the laces in and tied
- Parents should supervise the selection of footwear, based on weather conditions. On a day that students need snow or rain boots, it is generally advisable that they also bring a pair of regular school shoes for wearing inside during the day.

The following is NOT ACCEPTABLE AS UNIFORM Monday – Thursday:

- Denim
- Jeans style slacks and shorts
- Cargo type pants or shorts
- Warm-up or athletic pants or shorts of any kind
- Bib overall slacks, jumpers or shorts
- Lacy or frilly blouses
- Zippered shirts
- Shirts with hoods
- Jackets, fleece pullovers and other outerwear

Friday is Free Dress Day, However The following is NOT ACCEPTABLE ANYTIME -Monday – Friday:

- Gym shorts, biking shorts and other athletic pants, including athletic team attire
- Sweatpants and warm-up pants
- Leggings, tights, or aerobic wear replacing slacks
- Sandals, clogs, mules, jellies, cowboy boots, platform shoes and slip-on shoes
- Hats worn indoors
- Exposed underwear or T-shirts larger and longer than outer shirts
- Oversized pants or shirts
- Tank tops, or body suits
- Tight fitting fabrics
- Cropped shirts (no exposed midriff)
- No ethnic, racial, or gender-specific slurs on T-shirts and no clothing that advertises alcoholic beverages, drugs or tobacco products.