

QUICK REFERENCE GUIDE FOR STUDENT DRESS

Permitted Items:

- Tops:
 - Solid-color Black, White, Gray, or any shade of Blue.
 - Traditional Polo-style with collar.
 - Standard Oxford-style Dress Shirt/Blouse.
 - All shirts must have a collar and must be appropriately sized for the student; that is, no more than one (1) regular size larger than the student actually measures. This also means that tops are not to be tight. Long/Baggy or midriff-baring tops are not permitted. Tops that are too short or too long are not permitted. Tops must be long enough to ensure the midriff area is covered at all times and shall not extend past the middle of the rear pocket or where such pocket would be in cases where none exists. Dress code compliant tops that are too long, but otherwise appropriately fit, must be tucked in. Logos, prints, stripes, or patterns are not permitted.
- Bottoms:
 - Must be solid-color Khaki (Tan), Navy Blue, Gray, or Black.
 - Dress or Casual Docker-style Pants (full-length or Capri-style).
 - Dress or Casual Docker-style Shorts.
 - Shorts, Skirts or Skorts/Gauchos must be Kneecap Length.
 - Slits or kick pleats in Skirts, Skorts/Gauchos, or Shorts must not extend above the knee.
 - Regular pants must meet the top of a shoe, but not touch the floor. This means that the end of the pant leg must meet a boot at the area at which a normal shoe would be. All such bottoms must be hemmed or have a standard cuff.
 - Must be appropriately sized for the student; that is, they are to be no more than one (1) regular size larger than the student actually measures. It also means that bottoms are not to be tight. Extra wide, extra full, extra long, baggy or sagging bottoms, as well as tight and/or undersized bottoms, are not permitted.
 - Must be free of pockets that extend or are situated below the hip area.
- Footwear:
 - Footwear can have a manufacturer's logo as long as that logo is not contrary to the mission of the school; and/or advertises or promotes the use of tobacco, alcohol, or drugs; and/or is deemed offensive, obscene, or immoral; and/or which is sexually suggestive; and/or which promotes statements which are derogatory to any racial, ethnic, or religious group; and/or which contains double meaning, advocates violent acts, or is gang-related. Footwear cannot have a pattern, picture, drawing, diagram or decorative item(s).
 - Footwear must both be of the same color and pair.
 - Shoes, Boots, Sandals (must be with Back Strap) or Clogs (must be with Back Strap) must be Solid-color Black, Brown, Tan, Gray, Navy Blue or White. Shoelaces must match, be the same solid dress code compliant color as the footwear, and must be tied.
 - Pants/Capris/Gauchos may not be tucked in footwear.
 - Boots – Students are permitted to wear boots that are dress code compliant. Students are permitted to wear boots that are dress code compliant. Bottoms may be tucked into the boot. However, military boots are not permitted, provided they are not tucked into the boot.
 - Sneakers must be of dress code compliant colors of Black, Brown, Tan, Gray (not silver), Blue or White and may have one minor accent color (e.g., piping or stripe(s) on shoe that is of an other than compliant color). The entire shoe cannot be striped. Shoe laces must be of the same solid dress code compliant predominate color as the sneakers, or White.
 - Socks must be Solid-color White, Gray, Black, Tan/Khaki, or any shade of Blue and must match.
- Layering Items:
 - Items must be Solid-color Black, White, Gray or any shade of Blue.
 - Full-length leggings/tights are to be worn under Skirts/Shorts/Skorts/Gauchos. Even if leggings are worn, skirts/shorts/skorts/gauchos must still be the appropriate dress code compliant length.
 - Solid-color Black, White, Gray, or any shade of Blue T-Shirts/Turtlenecks/Mock Turtlenecks may be worn under a Dress Code Compliant Shirt, Jumper or Sweater.
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Additional Permitted Items:

- Full-length Hosiery/Tights may be worn by females and must be of approved Solid-colors (White, Gray, Black, any shade of Blue), including Skin-tone.
- Pullover Sweaters, Full-torso Cardigan Sweaters, Sweater Vests, Fleece Tops, Fleece Vests – in Solid-color White, Gray, Black, or any shade of Blue – may be worn over a Dress Code Compliant Shirt; all items must be without hoods.
- Neckties must contain only the Standard Permitted Dress Code Colors of White, Black, Gray or any shade of Blue.
- Dress Code Compliant Polo-style Shirts, Oxford-style Shirts, or Sweaters/Sweater Vests/Fleece Tops/Fleece Vests with authorized PVSD extra-curricular or co-curricular logos are permitted.
- Belts must be worn at the natural waistline and must be of Solid-color Black, Brown, Blue, White, or Tan with a standard 2" x 3" (or smaller) Belt Buckle and have no logos, emblems, insignias, monograms, studs, or other adornment(s) deemed to be unsafe and/or potentially disruptive.

Important Considerations

- All clothing must be free of logos, designs, emblems, symbols, insignias, advertisements, and/or monograms.
- All garments must be appropriately sized.
- Tops and Bottoms must be of contrasting colors. For example:
 - Black Bottom/White Top or Khaki Bottom/Blue Top – Acceptable.
 - Black Bottom/Black Top or Navy Bottom/Navy Top – Unacceptable.
- Solid-color White, Gray, Black or Blue pullover sweaters, sweater vests, full-torso cardigan sweaters, or fleece vests or tops, may be worn over a collared dress code-compliant shirt. All items must be without hoods.
- Slits or kick pleats in skirts, skorts, gauchos, or shorts must not extend above the knee.
- All clothing must be free of logos, designs, emblems, symbols, insignias, advertisements, and/or monograms, except as stated above regarding authorized PVSD Extra-curricular or Co-curricular Logos. All garments must be appropriately sized.
- All permitted hair accessories must be in Dress Code Compliant Colors.
- Students who are required to change for Phys Ed. class must wear predominantly Black, Gray, or any shade of Blue sweatpants or shorts and Solid-color Gray, White, or any shade of Blue T-shirt and/or sweatshirt (without hood) that are free of inappropriate or offensive logos, pictures, etc. All other PVSD specifications apply.
- Denim Day – Jeans must be free of holes, slits, etc. and Blue, Black, or Tan. Tops must be Dress Code Compliant.

Prohibited Items (Not all-inclusive)

- Long and/or baggy pants
- Midriff-baring tops
- Hooded or thermal garments
- Carpenter or cargo pants or shorts
- Sweats (except as required for Phys. Ed. class)
- Jeans, denim or pajama-type bottoms
- Visible undergarments
- Headgear, including but not limited to caps, hats, scarves, bandanas, headbands, do-rags, hairnets (unless required by approved vocational program)
- Flip-flops or slippers
- Steel-toed footwear may be worn only when specified by course requirement.
- Footwear may not have heels in excess of three (3) inches.
- Jewelry chains longer than 18 inches, heavy gauge chains, dog collars, wallet chains
- Hoop body rings and barbells
- Clothing or accessories considered to indicate gang affiliation
- Clothing or accessories considered to be distracting, disruptive, offensive, potentially dangerous, or interruptive to the educational process
- Clothing or accessories deemed contrary to the mission of the school, or that advertise the use of alcohol, tobacco, or drugs, or which are offensive, obscene, immoral, sexually suggestive, or contain statements derogatory toward any race, ethnicity, or religion, or that advocate violence or gang-related activity
- Garments must be free of frays, slits, logos, designs, emblems, insignias, monograms, holes, rivets and/or studs