

# UNIFORM POLICY

The goal of the Uniform Policy is to have a common standard for attire that will limit distractions from the educational process, be workable and affordable for parents, and be easily implemented at school. “Uniform “implies that children will be dressed alike. The Uniform Policy is designed to develop school identity and pride, create unity among our students and to maintain a non-competitive dress environment. Parents are expected to maintain the integrity of the Uniform Policy by ensuring that their child is dressed accordingly and follows the policy guidelines. Clothing should fit properly, be clean, free of stains, and in good repair. Recurring uniform violations will be subject to disciplinary action.

Dennis Uniform and Lands’ End are the main sources for uniform blouses, turtlenecks, polo shirts, pants/shorts, skirts, jumpers, skorts, dresses, sweaters, fleece vests and jackets. Check their respective websites for approved styles.

Retriever Spiritwear sweatshirts are available through the school website under the Uniform tab.

Uniforms can also be obtained through the Uniform Exchange maintained by the school. Families donate clean, gently used uniforms and then they are available, at no cost, to other students.

## **Grades Pre-School - 5**

### **Girls:**

Lincoln plaid jumper, skort from Dennis Uniform.

Navy blue mesh polo dress from Dennis Uniform or Lands’ End

Navy blue pants, shorts, skort from Dennis Uniform or Lands’ End

White, navy, or light blue polo shirt from Dennis Uniform or Lands’ End

White blouse from Dennis Uniform

Navy blue logo sweater, sweatshirt, fleece vest and jacket from Dennis Uniform

Hair accessories must be solid in color, white, navy, light blue, or Lincoln plaid. Hair accessories may not be distracting in any way.

### **Boys:**

Navy blue pants, shorts from Dennis Uniform or Lands’ End

White, navy, or light blue polo shirt from Dennis Uniform or Lands’ End

Navy blue logo sweater, sweatshirt, fleece vest and jacket from Dennis Uniform



## **Grades 6-8**

### **Girls:**

Lincoln plaid jumper, skort from Dennis Uniform.

Khaki skort from Dennis Uniform

Khaki pants, shorts from Dennis Uniform or Lands' End

Belt, worn with pants that have belt loops, must be brown, black, navy, or khaki

White polo shirt from Dennis and Lands' End

Green polo shirt from Dennis Uniform (Green available Fall 2025)

White collared blouse from Dennis Uniform

White button-down collar style shirt (any vendor)

Navy blue logo sweater, sweatshirt, fleece vest and jacket from Dennis Uniform

Hair accessories must be solid in color, white, navy, or Lincoln plaid. Hair accessories may not be distracting in any way.

Optional navy blazer from Dennis Uniform (Available Fall 2025)

Optional Lincoln plaid/navy tie to be worn with white blouses/shirts (Available Fall 2025)

### **Boys:**

Khaki pants, shorts from Dennis Uniform or Lands' End

Belt, worn with pants that have belt loops, must be brown, black, navy, or khaki

White polo shirt from Dennis or Lands' End

Green polo shirt from Dennis Uniform (Green available Fall 2025)

White button-down collar style shirt (any vendor)

Navy blue logo sweater, sweatshirt, fleece vest and jacket from Dennis Uniform

Optional navy blazer from Dennis Uniform (Available Fall 2025)

Optional Lincoln plaid/navy tie to be worn with white shirt (Available Fall 2025)



# UNIFORM GUIDELINES

*Below are some guidelines-*

- Only white t-shirts may be worn under the uniform shirt and should not extend beyond the uniform sleeve. Colored t-shirts are not part of the uniform.
- Uniform shirts must be worn under school sweatshirts.
- Sweatshirts must be crew neck style, no hoodies in class.
- Shirrtails are to be always tucked in for all grades.
- Only Resurrection logo sweaters, sweatshirts, fleeces are allowed in the classroom. Any outerwear is allowed at recess.
- All uniform pants and shorts must be true navy blue or khaki, not faded or discolored.
- Cargo pants, sweatpants, stretch, knit, leggings, joggers, and capris pants are not allowed. Pants are to be straight-legged, without elastic at the bottom.
- Shorts, skirts, and jumpers should not be more than 2 inches above the knee.
- Bike or kick shorts should be worn under jumpers and skirts. Solid color navy, black, khaki.
- Long pants may not be worn under jumpers or skirts.
- Solid-colored white, black, or navy-blue socks are to be worn at all times. They must be visible above the top of the shoe. Solid-colored white or navy-blue tights may also be worn. Shoelaces must be always tied.
- Athletic shoes in uniform colors of white, blue, and black are preferred, but close-toed, flat school shoes are acceptable. All shoes must have a back. No clogs, sandals, flip-flops, or boots are allowed with the uniform. Shoes with sequins, neon colors, or flashing lights etc. are not allowed.
- Small post earrings are allowed for girls. (no hoops or dangling items for safety). Students may wear one small necklace and one small bracelet on each wrist.
- Girls in grades 6-8 may wear natural looking make-up and neutral-colored nail polish (light beige, light pink, or clear; neatly painted, no chipping).
- Fad haircuts and colored hair are contrary to the spirit of the uniform policy and are not acceptable. Student hair should be neatly groomed and should not impair vision.
- Hats may not be worn inside the building.

*If your child is not in regulation uniform, parents will be called to pick the student up and return to school in uniform. Students may also go to the Uniform Exchange to find appropriate clothing.*



# FREE DRESS POLICY

- Free dress is a privilege, and students must choose clothes that are appropriate for a school setting. Parents should monitor what clothes their child chooses for free-dress days to ensure they meet school guidelines.
- Jeans are allowed if in good condition without holes and appropriately fitted.
- Casual and beachwear, specifically flip-flops, halter, spandex shorts/pants, spaghetti straps, bare shoulders, or bare midriffs, etc. are not allowed.
- T-shirts or sweatshirts that advertise drugs, alcohol, foul language, or any other message contrary to the school philosophy are not acceptable.
- Free dress is not allowed on Wednesday due to Mass attendance.

*The school reserves the right to send a child home or require the child to borrow a uniform from the school's Uniform Exchange if inappropriately dressed.*

