

Word of Life Uniform Policy

1. Navy blue, black or khaki slacks or shorts for boys.
2. Navy blue, black or khaki slacks, jumpers, skorts, shorts, capris or skirts for girls.
3. Any items in #1 or #2 with loops must use a black belt.
4. Any solid colored long or short sleeved polo shirts. Shirts must be tucked in with collars down. Buttoned and collared dress shirts are also allowed. Long sleeved dress shirts are allowed. Logos on shirts must be appropriate and smaller than the size of a fist.
5. Navy blue, black or white button down, zipper, pull-over, or vest sweaters.
6. All uniform clothing must be kept clean and free of rips, tears, and excessive patches, fading and stains.
7. Any color long-sleeved solid color t-shirts or compression shirts may be worn under polo shirts for warmth. No turtlenecks are allowed under any uniform shirt.
8. White or black solid color socks. Socks must match each other in color.
9. Shoes are to be worn at all times (including phy ed) and must match. Shoes must match each other in color and style. No flip flops, sandals or open-toed shoes.
10. No jeans / no cargo pants / no sagging. No skinny jeans. No stretch fabric pants. No leggings except under jumpers or skirts. Leggings must be blue, black or white.
11. No jackets, hooded sweatshirts, sweat suit tops, fleece tops, caps, hats, berets, or gloves may be worn in class.

Students are to be dress code ready when they walk in the building.

Procedures on apparel violations

1. Students who come to school not wearing proper apparel
 - The parent/guardian will be called and asked to bring compliant clothing to school.
 - If the parent/guardian cannot be reached by phone or is unable to respond, the student will be issued apparel to wear. This apparel must be returned at the end of the school day. A fee may be assessed for laundering the clothing.
 - A *Dress Code Violation Slip* will be sent home to be signed by the parent/guardian and must be returned to school the next day. Failure to return the slip the next day will result in a detention.

2. Students who come to school without wearing apparel for the 2nd time:
 - Same as #1.
 - The principal will contact the parent/guardian to inform them of the 2nd offense and to request their help in rectifying the problem.

3. Students who come to school not wearing proper apparel for the 3rd time and/or repeatedly:
 - The principal will contact the parent/guardian to inform them of the 3rd offense and to request their help in rectifying the problem. A detention will be assigned.
 - The principal will set up a conference with the parent/guardian and student to correct the situation.
 - School Discipline Policy will be implemented for accumulating detentions.