

Troy City Schools
School Uniform Dress Code Information Sheet (2009-2010)

TOPS FOR MALES AND FEMALES

Solid White, Navy Blue, or Orange oxford, polo, turtleneck, or mock turtleneck shirts/blouses with sleeves (long sleeves or short sleeves)

A small unobtrusive logo that can be covered with a quarter is acceptable for tops only.

All tops must be tucked in as part of the uniform.(K, 1, 2 preferred but optional)

Undershirts must be solid white, navy blue or orange with no wording or pictures.

BOTTOMS

MALES: Khaki or Navy Blue pants or shorts (corduroy fabric permitted)

FEMALES: Khaki or Navy Blue pants, shorts, skorts, capris, skirts, or jumpers
(corduroy fabric permitted)

All pants, shorts, skorts, skirts and capris must be secured at the waist and cannot “sag”.

Shorts, skorts, skirts, and jumpers must be no more than two(2) inches above the

knee in the front and back. Two inches above the knee or longer is the rule.

Blouses or shirts must be worn with jumpers.

Belts must be worn with pants and shorts that have belt loops.

Belts are optional for students in grades K, 1, and 2.

SHOES

Tennis shoes(sneakers) and fully enclosed shoes (loafers, boat shoes, oxfords, etc...)

Approved shoe colors are Black, Brown, Tan, Navy Blue, Grey, Orange or White.

The style of shoes must be sensible and appropriate for the school setting and activities.

All shoe straps must be strapped.

All laces must be tied and the same color.

Socks and hosiery (to include tights) must be of the appropriate colors of black, white, brown, or navy blue.

BELTS

Black, Brown, Tan, Navy Blue, Grey, or White in the appropriate length, small to medium buckle

(Note: All belts must have a buckle.)

OUTERWEAR

Coats, jackets, sweaters, sweater vests and sweatshirts are considered as outerwear and must be worn with a uniform shirt/blouse. Basic, solid colored jackets are preferred. Sweater vests must be white, navy blue, or orange (pullover or cardigan style) with no belt or hood attached.

Sweatshirts must be white, navy blue, or orange with the collar of the top on the outside.

Sweaters, sweater vests and sweatshirts must not be oversized, bulky or baggy.

Outerwear of school –sponsored organizations is acceptable. (athletic jackets, band jackets, FFA)

ITEMS NOT ALLOWED TO BE WORN BY STUDENTS

Wind pants/sweatpants, velour pants and tops, over-sized clothing, excessively tight clothing, overalls, bellbottoms, unhemmed clothing, clothing with cuts, slits, holes or slashes, denim or jean fabric, sleeveless tops, hooded sweatshirts, overcoats, trench coats, bicycle shorts, leggings/stretch knit, carpenter's pants, or polo dresses. Excessive, distracting and/or over-sized jewelry

EXCEPTIONS TO THE STUDENT UNIFORM DRESS CODE

(If students do not participate in the activity listed, the approved school uniform dress will be required.)

Spring Picture Day: Tops Optional/Uniform Bottoms Required (All Schools)

Week of CHHS Homecoming Activities (Theme Dress-Up Days)

Homecoming Assembly

Senior Class Day

Eighth Grade Recognition Day

Elementary Grades Recognition Day

JROTC Uniform Dress Days

Days for Kindergarten Unit on Colors (Kindergarten students will be allowed to wear tops the color being taught that day.)

Fifth Grade Chorus and Orff Ensemble will be allowed to wear the "selected top" for performance days.

GENERAL INFORMATION

In addition to the dress code requirements previously listed, the following guidelines will also apply.

1. All clothing must be properly fitted. Sagging and excessively tight clothing are prohibited.
2. Sandals, slides, crocs, Heelys or any variations of Heelys are not allowed.
3. Any article that draws undue attention or disrupts classes will not be allowed.
4. Combs and picks are not to be worn in the hair.
5. Males and females are not allowed to wear hoods, sports headbands, or ear muffs inside the buildings. Bandanas and du-rags of any color are not to be worn on any part of the body nor carried in or tied on book bags or other bags.
6. Students who transfer from other school districts will be given five (5) days to come into compliance with the school uniform dress code.
7. A current school designated "spirit shirt" may be worn on days approved by the principal.
8. Any student's dress or personal appearance that the administration believes is disruptive and interferes with a safe and secure learning environment will be dealt with on an individual basis. School administrators will use their discretion to determine the appropriateness of students' dress.