

STUDENT UNIFORM CODE

PRESCHOOL

Please dress preschool children in comfortable, casual clothing appropriate to the season, the day, and the playground. Children should wear athletic shoes every day. Cowboy boots and flip-flops are strongly discouraged. Please put your child's name on the inside of all clothing, especially outerwear. Please be sure your child's name is on umbrellas, book bags, and other possessions. Loops, sewn in with bias tape, make it easier for children to hang up their jackets and sweaters. Each preschool student is required to bring an extra set of clothing in a ziplock bag marked with the child's name. On special costume days, toy weapons should be kept at home.

CHAPEL DRESS (also required for many field trips)

Change for the 2017 - 2018 school year (as announced summer of 2016): only EDS logo or no logo at all permitted on shirts

Reminder: only EDS logo or no logo at all is required for fleece jackets, sweaters, vests, sweatshirts, hoodies, or jackets

Grades 1-8 (Girls)

- Plaid jumper (no more than 2 inches above the crease at the back of the knee) – **Grades 1-4 (grade 5 optional)**
- **Plaid skirt (no more than 2 inches above the crease at the back of the knee) – Grades 5-8**
 - **Skirts or jumpers may be worn in 5th grade**
- White blouse with buttons (**No collared knit shirts**), rounded or button-down collar, turtleneck, short or long sleeve, no sleeveless, no zipper, tails to be tucked in
 - ****Untucked option: white ¾ Sleeve Princess Overblouse**
- Knee socks/Tights/Leggings (ankle length only) – solid navy, black, off-white, or white
- Socks, ankle/crew – any color acceptable
- Dress Shoes – loafers, bucks, flats (**NO heels**) – non-marking soles; closed toe and closed back; **NO boots**
 - **Grades 1 – 4** Athletic shoes may be worn – non-marking soles, any color acceptable
 - **Grades 5 – 8 No athletic shoes for chapel day**

Grades 1-8 (Boys)

- Khaki slacks with belt loops and pockets, cuffed or hemmed
- Belts – solid brown or black leather or leather-like
- White oxford cloth shirt with button-down collar, tails to be tucked in
- All undershirts must be **SOLID** white with no logo or printing
- Plaid tie or bowtie – optional for Grades 1-4
- Socks, ankle/crew – any color acceptable
- Dress Shoes – loafers, bucks, deck shoes, and Wallabees – non-marking soles; closed toe and closed back; **NO boots**
 - **Grades 1 – 4** Athletic shoes may be worn – non-marking soles, any color acceptable

○ **Grades 5 – 8 No athletic shoes for chapel day**

Chapel dress items may be purchased at The Shoppe (2101 Kings Way, Augusta; 706-667-8016; <http://www.theshoppe2101.com>)

**Example of girls untucked blouse option, also available in short and long sleeve, can be found at <https://www.dennisuniform.com/schools/BASICS/Girls/All/092670950119> and is also available for purchase at The Shoppe

EVERYDAY OPTIONS: Chapel and Field Trip articles may be worn any day

Grades 1-8 (Girls) All everyday shirts must have an EDS logo or no logo at all

- Khaki skort (no more than 4 inches above the crease at the back of the knee)
- Khaki Bermuda shorts (no more than 4 inches above the crease at the back of the knee)
- Khaki skirt (no more than 2 inches above the crease at the back of the knee), Khaki capris, or khaki slacks (no khaki jeans, no cargos, no studs)
- Belts – EDS logo, solid brown or black leather or leather-like (belts must be worn if clothing has belt loops)
- Collared knit shirts/turtlenecks – solid white, navy, red, panther/royal blue, black – short or long sleeve, no sleeveless, no zippers, tails to be tucked in; or Knit Overblouse with banded bottom
- Knee socks/Tights/Leggings (ankle length only) – solid navy, black, off-white, or white
- Socks, ankle/crew – any color acceptable
- Shoes – loafers, bucks, flats – closed toe and closed back
- Athletic shoes – leather or cloth – non-marking soles, any color acceptable
- No hats, caps, or other headgear
- Hair ornaments limited to: headbands, bows, barrettes, and scarves and should not be a source of distraction

Grades 1-8 (Boys) All everyday shirts must have an EDS logo or no logo at all

- Khaki Bermuda shorts with belt loops, pockets – walking short length (no more than 3 inches above the crease at the back of the knee)
- Khaki slacks with belt loops and pockets, cuffed or hemmed (No khaki* jeans, no cargos, no studs)
- Belts – solid brown or black leather or leather-like
- Collared knit shirts/Turtlenecks – solid white, red, navy, panther/royal blue or black knit with collar, tails to be tucked in
- White oxford cloth shirt with button-down collar, tails to be tucked in
- Socks, ankle/crew – any color acceptable
- Shoes – bucks, deck shoes, or loafers – closed toe and closed back; NO boots
- Athletic shoes – leather or cloth – non-marking soles, any color acceptable
- No hats, caps, other headgear, or hair ornaments
- All undershirts must be solid white with no logo or printing

ATHLETIC WEAR

- Navy or black athletic/gym shorts, solid white t-shirts or any t-shirt with EDS logo

ALL SWEATERS, VESTS, SWEATSHIRTS, HOODIES, FLEECES, and JACKETS:

- **An EDS logo or no logo at all** is required for sweaters, vests, sweatshirts, hoodies, or jackets
- Must be 100% solid: red, navy, panther/royal blue, black, or white – between waist and hip length

DRESS DOWN/DRESS UP DAYS

- No strapless, off-the-shoulder, spaghetti straps, halter, tank, midriff, or tube tops
- Dresses and skirts must be no more than 2 inches above the crease at the back of the knee
- Shorts no shorter than 4 inches above the crease at the back of the knee; **students may wear athletic/gym shorts if they are no shorter than 4 inches above the crease at the back of the knee.**
- No drop-waist/low-rise (hip hugger) pants
- No costumes or other clothing that brings excessive attention to the wearer
- No sandals, flip-flops, heels, open toe, or open back shoes (Lower School Only)

OTHER STIPULATIONS

- Body piercing is not permitted, except for appropriate female earrings
- Jewelry is acceptable unless it becomes a distraction as determined by teachers and/or division heads
- Toys attached to backpacks are not permitted
- No offensive, inappropriate, or suggestive logos or designs. This would include but is not limited to designs related to alcohol, tobacco, drugs, indecent behavior, etc. The division heads will be the final arbiter of what's appropriate.
- No face painting or body markings
- No pajamas or other sleep apparel

ACCEPTABLE COLORS

**All colors must be true colors – red, navy, panther/royal blue, white, black
Khaki -- yellowish brown, tan, beige, stone**