



HILLCREST UNIFORM POLICY 2020-21

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All K-12 students are required to be in uniform while on campus. Purchase all pants, shorts, skirts, skorts, jumpers, sweaters, and blouses through Norman's Uniforms.

Undershirts must be solid white or gray with no lettering or pictures. Long undershirts may not be worn with short sleeve oxfords or polo shirts. All outerwear without school logo must be solid navy, black, grey, or white. However, seniors may wear sweatshirts with college logos daily and freshmen, sophomores, and juniors may wear sweatshirts with college logos on Wednesdays.

Socks or tights may be worn with the uniform and no longer have a required color. Graphics and characters are permitted, provided there are no inappropriate images according to the HCS standards. Sheer knee-high stockings are not permitted.

All footwear should be in good repair. To ensure the safety of all students, shoes must be closed toed with rubber soles, and heels should be no higher than one inch. Kindergarten and First grade students should only wear laced or Velcro athletic type shoes with socks. Graphics and characters are permitted, provided there are no inappropriate images according to the HCS standards.

All students are required to wear the designated chapel attire to chapel. Chapel wear can be worn on other days, if so desired.

Elementary girls must wear shorts under their skirts to ensure modesty when participating in P.E. or when playing on the playground equipment.

Secondary girls must wear shorts or spandex under their skirts to ensure modesty. All skirt lengths must be no shorter than four inches above the knee front and back. Please allow for student growth when hemming skirts. Wearing leggings under the skirts does not change the length requirements.

Students may wear HCS logo clothing from previous years. Any HCS logo shirt, letterman jacket, sweater, and sweatshirt is acceptable, so long as it meets the minimum standards for good repair.

Consequences for Uniform Violation

If an elementary student is out of dress code, the parents may be notified. Upper elementary students may receive a detention if this is a habitual offense. Secondary students may be issued a detention and/or given a "special substitute" uniform for dress code violations. Multiple violations of the uniform policy constitute defiance of, and noncompliance with school rules. The administration will at that point assign an appropriate consequence.

Field Trip Uniform

Depending upon the nature of the field trip, students will be directed to wear one of the following field trip uniforms.

- **Regular Uniform:** School polo shirts with appropriate uniform pants, skirts, skorts, or shorts.
- **Chapel Attire:** School oxford shirts with appropriate pants, skirts, skorts, or shorts.
- **Designated Attire:** Attire approved by the administrator depending upon the nature of the field trip.

Chapel Attire

Every grade has a designated set of clothing that must be worn to chapel.

- **Lower Elementary Girls:** Plaid jumper with either style: white peter pan blouse or white sailor.
- **Upper Elementary Girls:** Plaid skirt with white oxford shirt, tucked in.
- **Elementary Boys:** Uniform twill pants or shorts with white oxford shirt, tucked in.
- **Secondary Girls:** Uniform skirt with white oxford shirt, tucked in.
- **Secondary Boys:** Uniform pants with white oxford shirt, tucked in.
- **Secondary Students** may only wear the navy uniform v-necked sweater, vest, HCS lettermen jacket, or approved HCS athletic wear to chapel. **Hooded sweatshirts must be removed for chapel**, but may be worn for the remainder of the day. Shirts must remain tucked in except during lunch time.

Non-Uniform Dress

- **School-Spirit Fridays:** Each Friday, students will be permitted to wear jeans (in good repair) along with any of the following shirts: a Hillcrest athletics shirt, an official HCS "Spirit" shirt, or a secondary class t-shirt (past or present year).
- **Themed Spirit-Dress Days:** Throughout the year, we will have designated themed dress-up days. Detailed information regarding these days will go out accordingly and updates will be shared on the HCS Next Week Newsletter.