

SFCP School Uniform Policy

Standard School Uniform

This school uniform policy **requires all students to be in uniform at all times**, beginning with the first day of school. The uniform consists of shirts, pants, skirts, shorts and outerwear as described below.

- **9th & 10th Grade:** Grey SFCP shirt with Black or Tan/Khaki pants or knee-length shorts/skirts
- **11th & 12th Grade:** Black SFCP shirt with Black or Tan/Khaki pants or knee-length shorts/skirts

The following uniform requirements apply to all students:

| | ✓ UNIFORM YES | X UNIFORM NO |
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| Shirts | ✓ Uniform shirt w/ SFCP logo | X T-shirts X Non-uniform shirts X Uniform in the wrong grade-level color X Faded or ripped shirts |
| Sweaters & Jackets | ✓ Crew or V-neck sweaters with visible SFCP logo ✓ School-sponsored sweaters, sweatshirts and jackets | X Multi-colored sweaters X Hooded sweatshirts X Colors not identified in yes column X No logos or designs of any kind, except where noted X Faded or ripped sweaters/jackets |
| Pants, Shorts, & Skirts | ✓ Uniform-style pants* ✓ Uniform-style skirts and shorts that are at least knee-length* *Black, Tan/Khaki for all grades | X Jeans/jeggings X Stretch pants or leggings X Low-riding pants/shorts X Sagging pants/shorts X Shorts/Skirts above knee length X Skirts with slits above knee length X Faded or ripped pants/shorts/shirts X Sweatpants or pajamas |
| Shoes | ✓ Close-toed, close-heeled shoes ✓ Rubber soled shoes | X Open-toed shoes X Sandals X Slippers X Flip-Flops X Heels X Crocs |
| Backpacks | ✓ Appropriate backpack or bag that can carry a device and binder/notepad, basic school supplies safely and securely | X Tagging or other patches added to backpacks that are explicit in nature or gang-affiliated |



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| <p>Accessories /Headgear</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Simple jewelry ✓ School hats/beanies for OUTSIDE weather protection only ✓ Only headgear unless religious or cultural | <p>X Hats, Beanies, or other head coverings inside (except for religious/cultural observances)</p> |
| <p>PE Uniform</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Plain white, black, grey, purple, or KIPP T-shirt ✓ Plain white, black, grey or purple athletic pants/joggers/shorts that are at least knee length | <p>X Tank-tops X Tops in colors other than gray X Bottoms in colors other than black X Bottoms that are shorter than knee length X Clothing with sheer or mesh components</p> |
| <p>Other Notes</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - SFCP prohibits any items that promote or display drugs, alcohol, other restricted substances, sex, violence, or gang activity. - Non-Uniform jackets may be worn outdoors in inclement weather, but must be removed indoors. | |

Any modifications and changes (i.e. cutting, shredding) to the uniform policy and requirements are at the discretion of the principal or administrative designee.

Out-of-Uniform Consequences

Students are responsible for coming to school in uniform prepared to learn. All staff shall conduct routine uniform checks to ensure compliance with this policy.

Parents will be contacted immediately when their student is not adhering to the uniform policy described above. If a student is out of uniform, parents will be asked to bring the student a change of clothes. All students whose attire is in violation of uniform policy face disciplinary action, in accordance with the SFCP discipline policy.

Students that regularly violate the uniform policy will face disciplinary consequences.

Free Dress Day

A free dress day may be awarded to students on occasion to attend campus or school-sponsored events. Even though these occasions are called "free dress day" **there are still dress code guidelines that must be followed.** Students who have earned a free dress day will receive a wristband to wear on the day of their free dress.

Only on an occasion of a free dress day:

- Students are permitted to wear casual pants, shorts, or skirts including jeans without tears, rips, or holes. Shorts/skirts must be knee-length or longer.
- Students are permitted to wear T-shirts, sweatshirts, or other casual shirts/blouses provided they are modest and do not make reference to drugs, alcoholic beverages, weapons, offensive activities or sexual content, etc. "Double meaning" T-shirts are not permitted.



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- Bare midriffs and clothing that is sexually suggestive and/or fails to conceal the back, abdomen or cleavage will not be allowed. This includes, but is not limited to, cut-out shirts, halter tops, short shorts/skirts (more than two inches above the knee), bathing suits, tank tops, low-cut tops/dresses or muscle shirts.
- All undergarments must be completely covered. Shoulders must be completely covered (i.e., no spaghetti straps, tank tops, off the shoulder shirts, one shouldered shirts, high/low cut shirts or pants).
- Sandals, slippers, high heels, and open-toed shoes including Crocs are not permitted.
- Neither boys nor girls are permitted to wear caps, hats indoors. Exceptions for religious and cultural reasons.
- SFCP prohibits any items that promote or display drugs, alcohol, other restricted substances, sex, violence, or gang activity. Any tattoos must be covered while on campus.
- Any student who has doubt about what to wear, can always inquire BEFORE the day of free dress, to confirm. Erring on the side of caution is always recommended.

Additional dress code guidelines may apply to specific events (e.g., formal dances). A free dress day is not the norm and if a student comes to school in free dress attire without being given permission by the administration, then out-of-uniform consequences will apply. This can include being excluded from the next free dress day for an extended amount of time.

Any modifications and changes to the free-dress guidelines and requirements are at the discretion of the school leadership team.

Physical Education (PE) Uniform

All students taking physical education courses are required to "dress" for physical education every day. Separate changing areas for male and female students will be available.

The physical education uniform is to be worn for PE class only. Students are required to change back into the required school uniform when the PE class ends each day.