

## DRESS CODE POLICY

The ECRA School Uniform is an integral part of our campus climate, discipline, and community-building program. *Students are expected to arrive and remain in the uniform while on campus and/or at school sponsored events such as field trips and assemblies.*

(K-12)	<b>TOPS</b> <i>(appropriate fit – no oversized or too tight tops)</i> <b>Solid Colors only</b>	<b>BOTTOMS</b> <i>(appropriate fit – no sagging)</i>	<b>OUTERWEAR</b> <b>(Plain - no emblems no designs, no logos bigger than a quarter in size)</b>
<p><b><u>MALES</u></b></p>	<p>-Navy blue, white, black, purple (school color), or maroon collared shirts (polo or button down)                      - Navy blue, white, black, purple (school color), or maroon turtlenecks                      - Approved ECRA Polos and T-shirts depicting the school mascot may be purchased and worn as part of the uniform any day of the week.  <i>(Dress code guidelines apply to size and presentation of the shirts).</i>                      -ECRA team shirts may be worn as a uniform shirt. Sleeved undershirts must be worn if the shirt is sleeveless.</p> <p><b><u>-NO VISIBLE UNDERSHIRTS OF ANY COLOR OUTSIDE OF THE UNIFORM COLORS</u></b></p>	<p>- Solid <b>Black or Blue (denim)</b> jeans (not faded) are allowed if they are plain (no embellishments or designs on pockets/pant), in good repair (no tears), <b>and no sagging.</b>                      -Khaki (<b>does not include white</b>), black, or navy blue mid-length shorts or trousers                      -No corduroy                      -No pants/shorts below the waistline                      - Pants may not be tied or rolled for any reason                      -Belts should be black or brown leather and must not be hanging or visible beyond the waste. Belt buckles must not be offensive in any way or have sharp/spiked edges of any kind. Belts are not required.</p> <p><b>*If a student violates the jean guidelines, that student will lose their jean privileges and be required to wear uniform pants.</b></p>	<p><b>-Plain</b> jackets, coats, sweaters, sweatshirts, <b>hoodies</b> allowed in navy blue, white, black, purple (school color), maroon, or approved ECRA hoodies.</p>
<p><b><u>FEMALES</u></b></p>	<p>- Navy blue, white, black, purple (school color), or maroon collared blouses (polo or button down)                      - Navy blue, white, black, purple (school color), or Maroon turtlenecks                      - Approved ECRA Polos and T-shirts depicting the school mascot may be purchased and worn as part of the uniform any day of the week.  <i>(Dress code guidelines apply to size and presentation of the shirts).</i>                      -ECRA team shirts may be worn as a uniform shirt. Sleeved undershirts must be worn if the shirt is sleeveless.</p> <p><b><u>-NO VISIBLE UNDERSHIRTS OF ANY COLOR OUTSIDE OF THE UNIFORM COLORS</u></b></p>	<p>- Solid <b>Black or Blue (denim)</b> jeans (not faded) are allowed if they are plain (no embellishments or designs on pockets/pant), in good repair (no tears), <b>and no sagging.</b>                      -Khaki (<b>does not include white</b>) black, or navy blue trousers, shorts, capris, skirts or jumpers.                      -No corduroy, no spandex or stretch fabric,                      - <b>No leggings. Leggings are not appropriate to wear as pants.</b>                      -Skirts and jumpers must be 2” below middle finger when arms at the side.                      -No hip-huggers                      -K-3 must wear shorts or tights under skirts and dresses)                      - Belts should be black or brown leather and must not be hanging or visible beyond the waste. Belt buckles must not be offensive in any way or have sharp/spiked edges of any kind. Belts are not required.</p>	<p><b>-Plain</b> jackets, coats, sweaters, sweatshirts, <b>hoodies</b> allowed in navy blue, white, black, purple (school color), maroon, or approved ECRA hoodies.</p>

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**ADDITIONAL DRESS CODE GUIDELINES**

**SHOES** - Shoes must be worn at all times → No wheelies on campus at all (shoes with retractable skate wheels) → No open toed shoes i.e., sandals, etc.

**SHIRTS - NO VISIBLE UNDERSHIRTS/UNDERGARMENTS** → Top shirt has to be solid color and not see through → NO crop top, tube top or shirts that show any part of the stomach/waist

**BOTTOMS** - Pants must be HEMMED. No frayed bottoms dragging the ground → No more than 6 pockets → Well-fitted -- Should not be able to grab more than 4 inches of material around the entire leg area → No baggies or skater-style bell-bottoms → No overalls or coveralls

**HAIR** - Hair will not be dyed colors that are not natural (bleached out, pink, orange, blue, green, bright red, etc.), no temporary hair coloring, extensions, no excessive hairdos, i.e., loose dreadlocks, large number of tiny ponytails, or "big hair" (i.e. excessively spiked hair) → *No shaved in patterns, designs, numbers, or emblems OR shaved out with visible tails*

**MAKE-UP** - Only natural-looking makeup is permitted, i.e., no black/excessively dark or neon colored eye shadow, lipstick, and/or nail color, etc. → Student may be asked to remove makeup at administrative discretion

**JEWELRY** - Earrings may not be larger than a 1/2" hoop → Jewelry will not be dangerous, disruptive, distracting → Articles with sexually explicit, gang-related, or offense logos, pictures, or symbols, i.e. Playboy Bunny, Tupac, Southpole, or Player 69 → **Uniforms may not be rolled or tied for any reason** → Any group identifying accessories are prohibited

**→ NO HATS (BASEBALL CAPS/VISOR INCLUDED) BANDANNAS, OR SUNGLASSES ARE ALLOWED ON CAMPUS EXCEPT FOR SPECIFIC RELIGIOUS, INSTRUCTIONAL SAFETY, OR MEDICAL REASONS. THIS INCLUDES AFTER HOURS EVENTS ON CAMPUS UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED.**

**IF THE DRESS CODE POLICY IS VIOLATED:**

The faculty, staff and administration of ECRA reserve the sole right to interpret and enforce the student dress code. Teachers and staff will refer questionable clothing styles to the administration for final determination of appropriateness at school. Parents of students who violate the dress code will be required to pick up their children within one hour of notification by ECRA, unless other arrangements with administration is made, to return home for compliance with the dress code. **Failure to comply with dress code may result in expulsion from ECRA.**