

## Grammar School Dress Code

<b>TOPS</b>		
<b><u>Top Type</u></b>	<b><u>Length Options</u></b>	<b><u>Color Options</u></b>
Polo	Short or long sleeve	Purple, navy, light blue, black, white
Collared Shirts/Blouses	Short or long sleeve	Purple, navy, light blue, black, white
Sweaters, Cardigans	Long sleeve or vests	Purple, navy, black, white
Fleeces, Sweatshirts	Long sleeve or vests	Purple, navy, light blue, black, white
Turtlenecks	Short or long sleeve	Purple, navy, light blue, black, white

<b>BOTTOMS</b>	
<b><u>Bottom Type</u></b>	<b><u>Color Options</u></b>
Plain Front, Pleated, or Elastic Waist Slacks	Navy, khaki, black
Capri Pants (girls)	Navy, khaki, black
Plain Front, Pleated, or Elastic Waist Shorts	Navy, khaki, black
Skirts, Jumpers, Dresses (girls)	Purple, navy, khaki, black

<b>SHOES &amp; SOCKS</b>	
<b><u>Shoe/Sock Type</u></b>	<b><u>Color Options</u></b>
Dress Shoes (no boots)	Brown, black or navy
Tennis Shoes	Mostly white, mostly black, or mostly navy
Socks	Brown, black, navy, or white

## School Dress Code & Uniform Clarifications

1. Clothing must be solid colors; this excludes stripes, flowers, decorative patches, off-color collars, etc.
2. Providence Academy insignia is welcome on all tops, jumpers, and dresses. Insignia must be located in the left chest area and be the appropriate size per specifications at approved retailers Lands' End, Team Apparel, and Towsley's. At the Grammar School, the Providence Academy name, vertical crest logo, or Paladin are acceptable. At the Logic & Rhetoric School, the specific vertical crest logo as seen on Lands' End uniform ordering is the only acceptable logo.
3. All skirts, jumpers, dresses, and shorts must not be shorter than the student's hand width (measured across the palm), above the knee.
4. All pants, shorts, and skirts with belt loops must be worn with a belt.
5. All pants, shorts, and skirts must fit at natural waist line.
6. Cargo pants/shorts, denim, and leggings are NOT part of the dress code regardless of color; however, leggings may be worn if they are underneath a skirt, jumper, or dress.
7. Dress shorts may only be worn from April 1<sup>st</sup> – November 1<sup>st</sup>.
8. Shirts and blouses must be tucked in and buttoned modestly by both girls and boys. One exception is at the Logic & Rhetoric School, the girls' oxford dress shirts are tailored such that they are not required to be tucked in.
9. Sweaters, vests, fleeces, or sweatshirts do not have to be tucked in; however, they must be clearly recognizable as a sweater, vest, fleece, or sweatshirt and must be hoodless.
10. Students may NOT wear outside coats to class unless we are unable to adequately heat the classrooms. If a student is cold, long-sleeved shirts or tops, sweaters, fleeces, or sweatshirts should be utilized.
11. No body piercings or tattoos are allowed.
12. Girls may wear up to two earrings per ear; boys may not wear earrings.
13. Boys and girls may wear up to one ring per hand.

14. All shoes must be worn the way they were designed (e.g. shoelaces laced all the way up and tied, and/or Velcro straps in place).
15. Hair must be a modest cut and style. Boys must have a clean-shaven face.

## **Grammar School Dress Code**

In the Grammar School, grades K – 6 have a standard dress code, meaning that students have specific clothing types and colors that they must wear; however, these clothing items can be purchased from any retail store. In Preschool and Jr. Kindergarten, students may abide by the Grammar School Dress Code, but are not obligated to do so. Otherwise, neat, clean, and modest clothing are acceptable.

Lands' End has Providence Academy's Dress Code on file; however, at the Grammar School level, it is not required that you purchase dress code clothing from Lands' End. To purchase online, go to [landsend.com/school](https://landsend.com/school) and create or sign in to your account. Include your student and school information in My Account (or find our School using the Preferred School Number Search: 900053083). Start shopping with your personalized product checklist. *It is important if you purchase online from Lands' End to create an account, as Providence receives 3% back on all purchases made by Providence families. Additionally, by creating an account, you have access to obtaining our school logo on approved clothing items.* To purchase by phone, call 800-469-2222 and reference your student's Preferred School Number 900053083, grade level, and gender.

## **DRESS CODE ENFORCEMENT**

The school faculty, Principal, and Headmaster will enforce the *School Dress Code & Uniform Policy*. Interpretation and application of the policy standards will be the responsibility of the Headmaster.

If the Headmaster deems the infraction a “sin of ignorance” or a “sin of forgetfulness,” he will take note of the incident and ask the student not to wear the offending item or forget the required item again. In addition, beginning in 3rd grade, forgetting a required dress code item will result in a loss of recess for the Grammar School student and a detention (e.g. lunch detention or various school chores) for the Logic & Rhetoric School student.

If the Headmaster deems the infraction a “sin of rebellion,” an incident of disobedience will be recorded and handled by the terms of the Discipline Policy. Furthermore, beginning in 3rd grade, a student will receive an office visit after three dress code violations.