



Oakbrook Preparatory School

Middle School Dress Code Grades 5-8

Oakbrook Preparatory School's dress code was established to promote unity, provide a consistent and neat appearance for all students, and to avoid peer pressure in matters of dress. Only the official uniform and options are acceptable attire. The official uniform must be worn for field trips, special functions, picture days, and weekly Wednesday chapel, while approved options may be worn on other days. The only acceptable emblem, lettering, or patch on hats, jackets, sweaters, or other clothing is the school's logo or crest. Students must have warm coats, head covering, and gloves or mittens during the winter months. A parent will be called to bring appropriate dress for field trips or for chronic dress code offenders.

Boys & Girls Dress Code (WEDNESDAY – Chapel Days)

Tops

- Navy Oakbrook-crested polo shirt (short sleeve or long sleeve) from Land's End (or take your own polos to Spartan Custom for crest); tucked
- Girls should show no cleavage or midriff.
- No visible undergarments

Outerwear

- Neutral (Navy, grey, black, or white) jacket or sweater; **solids only** (Worn inside the building)
- Any logos should be smaller than the palm of the hand.
- **No sweatshirts or hoodies on official days**

Bottoms

- Dark khaki is the uniform color; no light khaki, sand, stone, off-white, gray, olive green, brown, etc.
- Dark khaki pants for boys
- Girls may choose dark khaki pants, skirt, or skort (Skirts and skorts must be fingertip or mid-thigh length – approximately 4" above the bend of knee).
- Only small, non-pleated pockets are allowed on bottoms; no cargo pants.
- No jumpers; no low-rise; no corduroy; no leggings/jeggings
- No cut-off "fringes"

Footwear

- Neutral shoe color; no bright or neon colors
- No open-toed shoes

Accessories

- Girls: No piercings other than ears
- Boys: No piercings
- No visible tattoos
- Hair must be well-groomed; color, length, or style must not be extreme.
- Hair style and length are at the discretion of the administration.
- Makeup and jewelry must be understated and are at the discretion of the administration

Boys & Girls Dress Code Non-Official (MON/TUES/THURS)

Tops

- Any solid color polo shirt (short sleeve or long sleeve)
- Oakbrook crest allowed, but not required; other small emblems allowed (must be smaller than the palm of hand)
- Girls should show no cleavage or midriff
- No visible undergarments.

Applies to outerwear worn inside the building

- Oakbrook/Knights outerwear allowed at any time (except **official days**).
- Only small emblems (smaller than the palm of hand) allowed on all other outerwear worn inside the building; **solids** only

Bottoms

- Khaki (no off-white, brown, green, or gray) or Navy
- Khaki (or Navy) pants or shorts for boys
- Girls may choose pants, skirt, short, or skort (Skirts, skorts, and shorts must be fingertip or mid-thigh length – approximately 4" above the bend of knee).
- No jumpers; no leggings/jeggings; No cut-off "fringes"
- Corduroy may be worn on non-official days only

Footwear

- Closed-toed shoes. Open-toed shoes allowed only on Fridays

Accessories

- Girls: No piercings other than ears
- Boys: No piercings
- No visible tattoos
- Hair must be well-groomed; color, length, or style must not be extreme.
- Hair style and length are at the discretion of the administration.
- Makeup and jewelry must be understated and are at the discretion of the administration.

Boys & Girls Dress (FRIDAYS)

- Oakbrook/Knights tops or **solid color** polo or t-shirt (any logos must be smaller than palm of hand)
- Jeans or casual bottoms must not be “cut-offs,” extremely tight, have holes, rips, or chains.
- “Sagging” pants or low midriff attire are not acceptable.
- Shorts, skorts, and skirts must follow the mid-thigh/fingertip rule.
- **Open-toed shoes** (allowed only on **Fridays**)
- Accessory and make-up rules still apply.
- Any Oakbrook or Knights outerwear may be worn inside the building.
- No words on any non-Oakbrook outerwear worn inside the building.

Boys & Girls Dress (NON-UNIFORM Days)

- All Friday dress code rules apply.
- Bottoms must not be “cut-offs,” extremely tight, have holes, rips, or chains.
- No spandex or leggings
- “Sagging” pants are not acceptable.
- Shorts, skirts, and skorts must follow the mid-thigh/fingertip rule.
- Students may not wear tank tops, spaghetti straps, midriff tops, or hats.
- All tops should completely cover the student from collarbone to below the waist, including back and shoulders.
- Accessory and make-up rules still apply.
- Students may not wear shirts with alcohol, tobacco, or obscene messages or pictures that would compromise the integrity of Oakbrook standards.
- Students will be notified of any exceptions to these guidelines (e.g., Homecoming).

Students must dress out for fitness and/or dance class, please follow the appropriate dress outlined:

Dance

- Dance pants or capris and short/long sleeve shirt; no shorts.
- Hair must be put up.
- If leggings or spandex are worn in dance, shorts must be worn over them outside of the dance class.

Fitness

- Tennis shoes and socks
- Gym shorts or sweat pants
- T-shirt or sweatshirt; **NO** sleeveless shirts
- **NO** spandex or dance pants for PE without shorts over the top

Please note: School officials have the discretion to determine appropriate attire and accessories. Coming to school in non-regulation uniform is a disciplinary offense and could

result in a discipline referral. The director reserves the right to call parents to bring a change of clothing.

Non-Compliance

1st occurrence – Warning

2nd occurrence – Loss of House Points

3rd occurrence – House Points and Lunch Detention

4th occurrence – Parent called to bring proper clothing and Lunch Detention

Additional occurrences may lead to a parent conference, as well as in-school and/or out-of-school suspension.