

## Dress Code and Grooming

Students who are representing Weston Preparatory Academy at an official function or public event may be required to follow specific dress requirements. Usually, this applies to athletic teams, cheerleaders, bands, and others such groups.

Students must present themselves at school neat and clean at all times. Obviously, a dress code cannot be written to cover every single situation. Administration will make the final decision if there is a question about the dress code.

Students will be checked at the entrance by security and if found to be out of dress code will not be allowed to enter the building until the dress code violation is corrected. Students out of dress code during the school day will fall under the section covering **Uniform Violations** (page 39) in the Student/Parent handbook.

If students are not in dress code, they are not allowed in the classroom and will fall under the regulations of the attendance policy and marked as an unexcused and non-appealed absence.

HIGH SCHOOL uniforms must be purchased from the following company(s):

Schoolbelles 34770 Warren Rd Westland, MI 48185 734-522-0829	Metro Uniforms & More 18449 W. Grand River Detroit, MI 48223 313-272-2950	Miller's Uniform 19449 Livernois Detroit, MI 48221 313-862-0003
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Violations of the dress code will fall under the regulations of the attendance policy and uniform violations section of the current Student/Parent Handbook.

The following are specific guidelines for boys and girls regarding uniform expectations:

### **Boys**

Dress pants-solid Khaki colored

- **No jeans or denim, no sagging pants, and no visible underwear are permitted.**

### **Navy Blue Blazer (Required at all times)**

Oxford button-down shirts with a collar (solid white color) short or long sleeve

- **No visible logos or designer tags**
- **White T-shirts and/or turtlenecks may be worn underneath oxford shirts; however no visible logos or printing can be seen through the shirt**
- **All shirts must be tucked in at the waist; must be buttoned with only the top button undone. No oversized shirts.**

Solid Navy Blue ties must be worn everyday (EXCEPT ON CASUAL DAYS). Ties must be knotted at the collar, with the collar buttoned.

Cardigan or sweater vests (Weston solid navy blue)

- o No visible logos or designer tags

Belt - solid color only navy blue, brown, or black

- o No name, scrolling lights, or rhinestone buckles
- o Belts must be buckled; no dangling buckles or open belts

Dress shoes – black, brown or navy blue (no gym shoes), walking shoes or boots cannot be worn during class.

- o Brown or navy blue SOLID colored socks
- o No Jewelry (watches may be worn)
- o Hair must be neatly groomed
- o Students are required to carry clear backpacks

## **Girls**

NAVY BLUE BLAZER (Required at all times)

Skirts – solid Khaki-colored, A-line, or Pleat skirts

- o No jeans or denim; no visible logos or designer tags
- o Must be no shorter in length than one inch from the knee

Dress pants – solid Khaki colored

- o No jeans or denim and no visible underwear are permitted

White (solid white) button down blouses or oxford shirts with a collar, short or long sleeve. Blouses must be fitted and the correct size.

- o **No sheer blouses, no visible logos or designer tags. White cami's and/or turtlenecks may be worn underneath oxford shirts; however, no visible logos or printing can be seen through the shirt**
- o **All shirts must be tucked in at the waist; must be buttoned with only the top button undone. No oversized shirts.**

Cardigan or sweater vests (Weston Navy blue) – may be worn under Blazers

- o No visible logos or designer tags

**Solid Navy Blue ties** must be worn everyday (EXCEPT ON CASUAL DAYS). Ties must be knotted at the collar, with the collar buttoned.

Belt - brown or navy blue solid color only

- o **No name, scrolling lights, or rhinestone buckles**
- o **Belts must be buckled; no dangling buckles or open belts**

Dress shoes - solid brown Boots cannot be worn during class. Shoes should have comfortable soles, (no gym shoes), NO OPEN-TOED SHOES. No high heels.

Hair must be neatly groomed.

### Jewelry/Accessories

Jewelry, such as earrings, necklaces, and bracelets are permitted under the following conditions:

- o Earrings must be smaller than 1 inch in diameter or length
- o Necklaces may be any length; however, pendants and/or charms must be smaller than 2 inches in diameter or length
- o -Bracelets must be form fitting; no bangles
- o -Hair beads are allowed; however beads with sound effects, such as bells or lights, are not permitted.

### Hosiery/Socks

- o Hosiery/tights: Solid colors or natural skin tone, white, or navy blue. No prints or patterns.
- o Socks: natural skin tone, white, navy blue.
- o Hosiery/tights: no patterns, prints, fish net, etc. Must be solid color only.