



SOCRATES ACADEMY UNIFORM POLICY

The purpose of the Uniform Policy is to keep the Socrates Scholars looking neat and clean while in school and to eliminate any items being worn that are distracting or an impediment to learning. Appropriately sized uniforms must be worn when students are on campus and/or participating in school functions and activities during school hours, except for special days as specified by the Socrates Academy Administration.

Elementary Uniform Policy

- UNIFORM BOTTOMS – Solid khaki or navy uniform bottoms should be worn by scholars. Acceptable pieces include:
 - Long pants, shorts, tailored non-baggy cargo style, shorts, skirts, skorts, capri pants, and jumpers.
 - Jumpers must have the Socrates Academy log on them.
 - Shorts, skirts, jumpers, skorts length must be at most 3.5 inches above knee.
- UNIFORM TOPS - Hunter green or white tops must have collars (turtlenecks are permitted) and short or long sleeves (no sleeveless) and must bear the Socrates Academy logo.
 - All scholars must have at least one white uniform top (with the patch) for Greek Celebrations.
- SWEATERS AND JACKETS - Sweaters and jackets worn in the classroom must bear a Socrates logo. All sweaters and jackets must be worn over an approved uniform shirt. The following are approved sweaters and jackets to be worn in the classroom:
 - Knit sweaters and vests in hunter green.
 - Hunter green fleece sweaters with the Socrates Academy logo are permitted but must be vest, v-neck or crew neck and can have a zipper. Scholars may wear the Socrates Academy crew neck (no hoods) sold by the PFI.
 - Jackets made of fleece and/or sweatshirt material in hunter green with the Socrates logo are allowed. They **must have a full zipper**.
 - Scholars may wear the Socrates Academy crew neck (no hoods) sold by the PFI.
- SHOES - Shoes must be closed-toe and closed-back. Solid-colored shoes and shoelaces in neutral colors. Acceptable neutral colors include all shades of the following: black, white, brown, gray, navy blue, and tan. A simple stripe, brand logo or design is permissible. Distracting elements such as lights, brightly colored shoelaces, charms or beads, and cartoon or pop-culture characters are NOT allowed. Rain boots (black, white, brown, gray, navy blue, and tan) are only allowed on rainy days. Winter boots (black, white, brown, gray, navy blue, and tan) are only allowed when the high temperature for the day does not exceed 40°F.
- SOCKS - Socks/tights/leggings must be worn at all times and the visible part must be a neutral color. Acceptable neutral colors include all shades of the following: black, white, brown, gray, navy blue, and tan. Leggings may **only** be worn under skirts, dresses, and the PE uniform shorts and they must be in the same colors as socks: solid black, navy, gray, white, tan.
- UNDERGARMENTS - Undergarments must be worn but not visible.
- BELTS – Belts are not mandatory; neutral-colored belts may be worn.
- JEWELRY/HAIR ACCESSORIES - Jewelry and hair accessories should be modest. If these items become a distraction in class, they may be asked to be removed at the teacher's or administrator's discretion.
- PE Uniform - Scholars must wear the PE uniform for PE - as instructed by the PE teacher. Uniforms can be purchased through the online PE uniform store. Athletic shoes and socks must be worn to P.E.

Middle School Uniform Policy

- UNIFORM BOTTOMS – Solid khaki or navy uniform bottoms should be worn by scholars. Acceptable pieces include:
 - Long pants, shorts, tailored non-baggy cargo style, shorts, skirts, skorts, capri pants, .
 - Shorts, skirts, skorts
 - Shorts, skirts, jumpers, skorts length must be at most 3.5 inches above knee.
- UNIFORM TOPS – Light blue or white tops must have collars (turtlenecks are permitted) and short or long sleeves (no sleeveless) and must bear the Socrates Academy logo.
 - All scholars must have at least one white uniform top (with the patch) for Greek celebrations.
- SWEATERS AND JACKETS – Sweaters and jackets worn in the classroom must bear a Socrates logo. All sweaters and jackets must be worn over an approved uniform shirt. The following are approved sweaters and jackets to be worn in the classroom:
 - Knit sweaters and vests in navy blue
 - Navy blue fleece sweaters with the Socrates Academy logo are permitted but must be a vest, v-neck or crew styling and can have a zipper. Scholars may wear the Socrates Academy crew neck (no hoods) sold by the PFI.
 - Jackets made of fleece and/or sweatshirt material in navy blue with the Socrates logo are allowed.
- SHOES - Shoes must be closed-toe and closed-back. Solid-colored shoes and shoelaces in neutral colors. Acceptable neutral colors include all shades of the following: black, white, brown, gray, navy blue, and tan. A simple stripe, brand logo or design is permissible. Distracting elements such as lights, brightly colored shoelaces, charms or beads, and cartoon or pop-culture characters are **not** allowed. Rain boots (black, white, brown, gray, navy blue, and tan) are only allowed on rainy days. Winter boots (a (black, white, brown, gray, navy blue, and tan) only allowed when high temperature for day does not exceed 40°F
- SOCKS - Socks/tights/leggings must be worn at all times and the visible part must be a neutral color. Acceptable neutral colors include all shades of the following: black, white, brown, gray, navy blue, and tan. Leggings may **only** be worn under skirts, dresses, and the PE uniform shorts and they must be in the same colors as socks: solid black, navy, gray, white, tan.
- UNDERGARMENTS - Undergarments must be worn but not visible.
- BELTS – Belts are not mandatory; neutral-colored belts may be worn.
- JEWELRY/HAIR ACCESSORIES - Jewelry and hair accessories should be modest. If these items become a distraction in class, they may be asked to be removed at the teacher’s or administrator’s discretion.
- PE Uniform - Scholars must wear the PE uniform for PE - as instructed by the PE teacher. Uniforms can be purchased through the online PE uniform store. PE uniforms are not to be worn outside of the PE class. Athletic shoes and socks must be worn to P.E.

High School Uniform Policy

- UNIFORM BOTTOMS – Solid navy or black bottoms. Acceptable pieces include:
 - Long pants, shorts, tailored non-baggy cargo style, shorts, skirts, skorts, and capri pants
 - Shorts, skirts, jumpers, skorts length must be at most 3.5 inches above knee.
- UNIFORM TOPS – Navy blue or white tops must have collars (turtlenecks are permitted) and short or long sleeves (no sleeveless) and must bear the Socrates Academy logo.
 - All scholars must have at least one white uniform top (with the patch) for Greek celebrations.
- SWEATERS AND JACKETS – Sweaters and jackets worn in the classroom must bear a Socrates logo. All sweaters and jackets must be worn over an approved uniform shirt. The following are approved sweaters and jackets to be worn in the classroom:
 - Knit sweaters and vests in grey
 - Grey fleece sweaters with the Socrates Academy logo are permitted but must be vest, v-neck or crew styling and can have a zipper. Scholars may wear the Socrates Academy crew neck (no hoods) sold by the PFI.
 - Jackets made of fleece and/or sweatshirt material in grey with the Socrates logo are allowed. They **must have a full zipper**.
- SHOES - Shoes must be closed-toe and closed-back. Solid-colored shoes and shoelaces in neutral colors. Acceptable neutral colors include all shades of the following: black, white, brown, gray, navy blue, and tan. A simple stripe, brand logo or design is permissible. Distracting elements such as lights, brightly colored shoelaces, charms or beads, and cartoon or pop-culture characters are **not** allowed. Rain boots (black, white, brown, gray, navy blue, and tan) are only allowed on rainy days. Winter boots (a (black, white, brown, gray, navy blue, and tan)only allowed when high temperature for day does not exceed 40°F
- SOCKS - Socks/tights/leggings should be primarily solid-colored when worn. Acceptable colors are: hunter green, navy blue, light blue, and the following neutral colors in all shades of: black, white, brown, gray and tan. Leggings may **only** be worn under skirts, dresses, and the PE uniform shorts and they must be in the same colors as socks: solid black, navy, gray, white, tan. Winter boots (a (black, white, brown, gray, navy blue, and tan)are only allowed when the high temperature for the day does not exceed 40°F.
- UNDERGARMENTS - Undergarments must be worn but not visible.
- BELTS – Belts are not mandatory; neutral-colored belts may be worn.
- JEWELRY/HAIR ACCESSORIES - Jewelry and hair accessories should be modest. If these items become a distraction in class, they may be asked to be removed at the teacher’s or administrator’s discretion.
- PE Uniform - Scholars should wear the PE uniform for PE - as instructed by the PE teacher. Uniforms can be purchased through the online PE uniform store. PE uniforms are not to be worn outside of the PE class.

Not Socrates Uniform Approved (this list is not exhaustive; if there are any questions, please reach out to an administrator)

- No hats, bandanas, caps, or other head coverings are allowed indoors except those traditionally worn as a religious or cultural tradition.
- Sweatpants are **not** permitted.
- Leggings are **not** permitted to be worn as pants.
- Sandals and crocs may **not** be worn.
- **No** denim, jean style, or laced (strings) uniform bottoms are permitted.
- Sweaters jackets not bearing the Socrates Academy logo **may not** be worn in the class.

Any items worn to school that become a distraction to learning will be asked to be removed at the Teacher's or Administrator's discretion.

Any student violating the uniform policy will receive a written notice of 1st warning, a call home to parent/guardian to bring a replacement of the item in question as 2nd warning, and detention as 3rd warning. All subsequent uniform violations will require the parent/guardian to pick up the student for the remainder of the day, resulting in an unexcused absence from school.

Online at <http://www.landsend.com/>. Land's End School #900108937.

Uniforms can now be purchased with logos online at <http://co-store.com/socrates>. Items ordered online will be shipped to your home.