



***Hilton Head Island Elementary School for the Creative Arts
School Uniform Policy
2017-18 School Year***

The HHIESCA uniform policy meets the district requirements and is supported by the school's PTO, School Improvement Council and the professional staff Collaborative Management Council of HHIESCA. It is the belief that uniforms will help create a positive learning environment, promote school unity and enable children to be easily identified as students of the school. The policy is as follows:

Tops:

1. School logo preferred on short or long sleeve polo style shirts in ANY SOLID color. Girls may also wear plain white collared blouses with or without the school logo. No other logos on shirts permitted.
2. Students are asked to have at least one white polo shirt.
3. **Shirts MUST be tucked in according to district policy.**
4. SOLID long or short sleeve, plain t-shirts, turtle necks or mock turtle necks may be worn under uniform shirts.
5. SOLID color sweatshirts or sweaters may be worn during the day in school. The only accepted logo is the HHIESCA logo.
6. Coats, jackets and other outerwear may be worn to and from school and for recess. Jackets and coats are not to be worn inside during the school day.

Bottoms:

1. Bottoms may be shorts, pants, capris, skirts, skorts and/or jumpers in navy, black and/or khaki.
2. **NO CARGO style shorts or pants.**
3. Shorts, skirts, skorts, and/or jumpers cannot be more than four inches above the knee. This includes skirts, shorts, dresses with leggings underneath.
4. Pants or shorts must be worn at the natural waistline.
5. **Belts MUST be worn if pants have belt loops.**
6. **Legwear MUST be a solid color.**

Uniform fit: Uniforms should fit and not be baggy. **Shirts must be tucked in.** No oversized shirts. Pants must be worn at the waist.
Belts must be worn if belt loops are on the pants.

Accessories:

1. Hats or any type of head covering will not be worn in the building.
2. Shoes: Footwear must be worn at all times. Tennis shoes are preferred. Crocs, heeled shoes, flip flops and boots are not permitted. Shoes with laces must be tied.
3. Jewelry and accessories must be of a size that does not distract from the educational environment. Pierced earrings should be small enough to be safe and not distracting.

What happens if my child does not come to school in uniform? Students are expected to be in uniform daily, including belts. Teachers will ask students to call home if they are not in uniform. Please help your child come to school dressed appropriately in our school uniform. Continued infractions will be considered defiance and will be handled through an office referral and out-of-school suspension.

Vendors:

Uniform Work and Sport, Land's End, Wal-Mart, Old Navy, Gap, Target and any other retailer as long as they meet the uniform guidelines for color and fit.

If you need assistance with uniforms, please contact our school social worker, Everett Miles.

Si usted tiene alguna pregunta o preocupación al respecto, favor de llamar a Sra. Angie Ricker al 342-4385.