

MILFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT  
Milford, Delaware 19963

POLICY

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**K-12 SCHOOL DRESS CODE REGULATION POLICY**

Milford School District School Dress Code Regulation Policy Statement

This school dress code policy will supersede any and all previous dress code policies. The uniform style of dress must be worn to enter the building on a normal school day from entry to dismissal unless otherwise authorized by Administration.

**Basic Uniform**

**All Clothing is Solid Color**

**Uniform bottoms may include Khaki style pants, walking shorts, capris, skorts, skirts, jumpers or dresses that are to the knee or longer. Solid black, navy or tan in color.**

1. No denim apparel of any type will be permitted.
2. Shorts, skorts, skirts, jumpers or dresses must be to the knee in length or longer.
3. A solid color belt, for secondary students only, must be worn if pants or shorts have belt loops. The belt buckle must be plain and free of embellishments.
4. Clothing items must be worn at the natural waist.
5. Solid color (black, white or tan) leggings, tights or nylons may be worn under skirts that are no shorter than the knee.
6. Clothing must be sized to fit the student (no excessively loose or baggy appearance).
7. Chains, wallet chains and spiked jewelry are not permitted.
8. Cotton or mesh gym shorts may be worn for elementary but must be to the knee.

**Uniform tops must be Maroon, Black, Gold, Yellow, Navy or White Polo Shirts**

1. **All polo shirts must be collared, 2-4 buttons, and solid in color.** They may be short or long sleeve.
2. Only top button can be unbuttoned.
3. Turtlenecks (mock and regular) and long sleeve solid color t-shirts may be worn **underneath** polo shirts.
4. Sleeveless shirts or t-shirts are NOT permitted.
5. Anything designated as an undergarment, camisoles, for example, or undershirts, cannot be revealed. Ties are acceptable, but not mandatory.
6. No skin or undergarments should be visible between the waistband of the pants and the bottom of the shirt.
7. Hooded apparel is not permitted.

8. Solid 2-4 button collared polo shirts of the approved color may have a small emblem on the left chest. MSD issued collared polo shirts may also be worn.
9. No over garments, such as sweatshirts, hoodies, or jackets may be worn over the polo.
10. Cardigan sweaters of the button down type may be worn over the polo in black, white, maroon, navy and gold. The cardigan sweaters may be purchased at a school store. Pull over V-neck sweaters are acceptable.

**Appropriate physical education attire is determined by the physical education teacher.**

1. Cut-offs, frayed seams and holes are not permitted on any clothing. Hats, head coverings (except for religious practices), visors, scarves/bandanas, combs/picks and sunglasses (except with a doctor prescription) may not be worn in the building.

### **Footwear**

1. Students must wear appropriate footwear at all times as designated by the school administrators. No shoes with wheels or bedroom slippers are permitted. Elementary students are not permitted to wear flip flops and need to have a closed toed shoe.

### **Procurement**

9. Procurement may come from multiple vendors who meet the basic requirements as stated above
10. The Milford School District will also provide order forms from a sole source vendor and/or internet provider. Elementary will not be selling uniforms. However, the PTP will sell approved uniform spirit wear for students.

New students who have not been previously enrolled in the Milford School District will have (5) school days from their enrollment date to come into compliance with the uniform policy.

**Any questions concerning this policy, please contact your child's school.**

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