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## **High School & Middle School Uniform/Dress Code Policy: Effective 8/8/2023**

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Dear Parents,

**Thank You for your selection of “East-West School of Int’l Studies.” All students are required to wear a uniform. We are a grades 6-12 *Uniform School*. To that end, what adds to our safe learning atmosphere is our Uniform Policy.**

### **Uniform Policy/Dress Code Benefits:**

- Students express individuality with personality and academic achievements, not appearance.
- Improves students’ performance, promotes pride, school spirit, and unity. **It’s also Cost-effective!**
- East-West students can be identified quickly and kept separate from other students.

### **High School Uniform Policy/Dress Code (Except Physical Education and Dance):**

- Light blue oxford shirt (long or short sleeve) with official EWSIS emblem, worn buttoned-down,
- Light blue crew neck shirt (long or short sleeve) with official EWSIS emblem
- All bottoms must be worn up to the waist, with undergarments covered.
- No large holes or rips in pants allowed.
- Shoes or sneakers (no slides, flip-flops, sandals, or high heels).

### **Middle School Uniform Policy/Dress Code (Except for Physical Education):**

- Royal blue collared polo shirt (short or long sleeve) with official EWSIS emblem.
- All bottoms must be worn up to the waist, with undergarments covered.
- No large holes or rips in pants allowed.
- Shoes or sneakers (no slides, flip-flops, sandals, or high heels).

### **Middle AND High School Uniform Policy for Physical Education:**

- Dri-fit shirt with EWSIS logo, Sweatpants with EWSIS logo, and Dri-fit shorts with EWSIS logo.  
**(Please see important notes about our East-West Uniform policy on the other side of this letter)**

## Please Note:

- 1- Any parents who have financial difficulty and cannot afford a school uniform for their child should see our Parent Coordinator Anna Lam (718) 353-0009 ext. 4234 or email [alam14@schools.nyc.gov](mailto:alam14@schools.nyc.gov) to discuss options for obtaining a uniform.
- 2- Students may wear a sweater or cardigan with the official school emblem over their uniform shirt.
- 3- In order to maintain a positive learning environment, it is expected that East-West students dress in a professional manner. We expect East-West students to be dressed appropriately to ensure safety and to keep the focus on teaching and learning. We would like all parents and guardians to remind students of proper dress protocols on campus. **Prohibited forms of dress at East-West include, but are not limited to:**
  - A) Hats or caps (except for headwear worn for religious observance).
  - B) Clothing that contains references to drugs, alcohol, sex, violence, racism, or gang-affiliation.
  - C) Clothing that does not provide coverage of torso, undergarments, and private body parts, including see-through garments of any kind.
  - D) Flip-flops.
  - E) Sunglasses while indoors.

If a student comes to school wearing clothing prohibited by the Dress Code, then the student's parents will be notified, the student may be subject to the interventions and disciplinary responses set forth in the Discipline Code, and the student will be expected to make appropriate adjustments to his/her clothing to conform with the Dress Code (e.g., turning shirt inside out, borrowing temporary clothing until the end of the school day, etc.)

- 4- Parents are entitled to submit a request for uniform exemption to be considered on a case by case basis
- 5- Uniform Infractions and Dress Code Violations will be addressed in accordance with the NYC DOE Student Intervention and Discipline Code

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