



Mary G. Porter Traditional School Uniform Policy

All parents and students attending Mary G. Porter Traditional School have agreed (by signing the Parent/Student Enrollment Contract) that all students MUST wear the school uniform during the school day and to designated school functions. All students not only must comply with the Mary G. Porter Uniform Policy, but also the PWCS Dress Code. The School Staff will determine if there is a violation of the uniform agreement. **If for any reason a student is not complying with this policy, the student will be required to change.** Parents may be required to take their child home to become properly dressed and return the student to school the same day. If a student has been repeatedly corrected for not following the uniform policy a discipline referral may be warranted.

Mary G. Porter Traditional School focuses on the student and emphasizes student academic performance and respect. To assist us in maintaining our focus, we have developed guidelines for our uniform policy. All students are required to comply with these guidelines as they are a part of Porter Traditional School's Uniform Agreement.

Porter Traditional School uses Lands' End uniforms as its style and color guide. However, pieces may be purchased from other vendors. Keep in mind they must match in style AND color to the Porter Traditional School's Uniform Policy. Students should dress in a **modest and professional manner to demonstrate their respect for the school and for themselves.** Therefore, all students shall comply with the following:

****This policy may be updated or revised by the Principal and Porter Advisory Committee****

- All shirts MUST be tucked in. (Unless Principal gives a "No Tuck" day)
- Clothing must be appropriately sized for the student
- Clothing CANNOT be baggy OR form fitting.
- There can be no logo or brand names on any item worn to school, except school logo or name. The only exception is tennis shoes.
- No holes, tears or stains in clothing or shoes.
- Pants and sweatpants will be worn at the waistline and must be held one inch from the leg.
- All shorts, skirts, skorts, and jumpers will be worn at vendor length that is **not shorter than three (3) inches above the knee.**
- Undershirts and tank tops that are worn under a shirt must be a Porter color.

SCHOOL COLORS

ALL CLOTHING MUST BE IN THESE COLORS






TOPS

Red, White, Navy, Light Blue, Black


BOTTOMS

Navy, Khaki, Black (NO DENIM/JEANS)

OPTIONS FOR TOPS

OPTIONS	Example	Lands' End Phone: 800-469-2222 School Code: 900101049	Other Stores:
TOP COLORS: ONLY RED, WHITE, NAVY BLUE, LIGHT BLUE, OR BLACK....ONLY SOLID COLORS MUST HAVE A COLLAR, UNLESS IT IS A PE DAY			
<p>Oxford & Pin Point Shirts have pointed or buttoned down collars; buttons down front with a back yolk or box pleat. They may have short sleeves or long sleeves with buttoned cuffs</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • White • Black • Classic Navy Red • Chambray Blue (Light Blue) 	<p>Kohl's, JC Penney, Sears, Walmart, Target, Old Navy, Aeropostale, BJ's, Costco, etc..</p> <p>Keep in mind the Lands' End style and colors.</p>
<p>Polo Shirts are to have a placket and can be mesh or interlock fabric. No picot, ruffled, embellished collars.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • White • Black • Classic Navy Red • Chambray Blue (Light Blue) 	<p>All uniform pieces can be purchased from anywhere, they do not have to be purchased at these stores.</p>
<p>Turtlenecks and Mock Turtlenecks have classic collar.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • White • Black • Classic Navy Red • Chambray Blue (Light Blue) 	
<p>Sweaters are permitted in the following styles: Vest, Pullover V-Neck, Pullover Crewneck, and Cardigan.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • White • Black • Classic Navy Red • Chambray Blue (Light Blue) 	
<p>Sweatshirts can be crewneck, hooded, and may be zip up. They are not permitted to have fur or added décor to the hood. Only Porter Logo permitted.</p>			<p>Porter sweatshirts are available at Back to School Night's, New Student Orientation, and PTA sponsors orders in the fall. There are also order forms in the front office and on the website.</p>

OPTIONS FOR BOTTOMS

OPTIONS	Example	Lands' End Phone: 800-469-2222 School Code: 900101049	Other Stores:
BOTTOM COLORS: ONLY NAVY BLUE, KHAKI, OR BLACK....ONLY SOLID COLORS			
<p>Pants, Shorts, Capri Pants, Skorts, Skirts, Jumpers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bottoms are to fit appropriately. • They should be able to be pulled at least 1 inch away from the leg. • Must be no more than 3 inches above the knee. <p>NOT PERMITTED: Jeggings, Leggings, Tight fitting bottoms, Yoga pants, Baggy bottoms, Short-shorts, Bottoms w/frayed edges NO decorations on the pockets.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Khaki • Black • Classic Navy Red 	<p>Kohl's, JC Penney, Sears, Walmart, Target, Old Navy, Aeropostale, BJ's, Costco, etc..</p> <p>Keep in mind the Lands' End style and colors.</p> <p>All uniform pieces can be purchased from anywhere, they do not have to be purchased at these stores.</p>

PE Wear (Can only be worn on PE days)

PE TOPS

Solid colors ONLY: Navy Blue, Light Blue, Black, Red, or White

Spiritwear T-Shirts

Plain crewneck t-shirts NOT V-neck

Crewneck or hoodie sweatshirt

- NO form fitting or low cut tops
- NO V-neck tops
- NO spaghetti or thin straps or tank tops
- Must be able to raise your arms without shirt coming untucked.

PE SHOES:

Students are recommended to wear tennis shoes/athletic shoes on PE days.

PE BOTTOMS:

Solid colors ONLY: Navy Blue, Black, or Khaki

Regular school uniform bottoms

Sweatpants

Gym shorts

- **NO form fitting pants**
- **NO Yoga pants**
- **NO stripes down the sides of shorts or pants.**
- All must be worn at the waistline.

ACCESSORIES

Leg Wear:

Socks, solid color only: Red, Khaki/Cream, Navy Blue, Light Blue, Black, White (and matching)

Tights: Must be solid Porter color and CAN ONLY BE WORN UNDER skirt, jumper, or skort.

Shoes:

Heels on shoes cannot exceed 1 inch.

Must have enclosed heel and toes, shoes must be in good condition.

Majority of shoe must be a neutral color (and must match).

Boots must be neutral colors, black, brown, and tan. Cannot be worn over pants

NO embellishments (feathers, beading, laces, etc.).

NO sneakers to the knee.

NO Heelies.

NO bedroom slippers or shoes resembling bedroom slippers.

NO CROCS

Jewelry

Earrings should be **no larger than the size of a quarter.**

Earrings are to only be worn in the ears.

Coats and Outerwear

Coats should be taken off once in the school building, and cannot be worn during the day unless to go outside (ie PE, Milers, etc)

Scarves must be removed once the student enters the school building; they cannot be worn as an accessory.

Backpacks

Are of the students' choosing.

Belts

Colors: Navy, Brown, Black, Tan/Khaki.

MUST be worn in belt loops.

Pants must fit properly or the student will be required to wear a belt.

NO embellishments allowed on belts (beading, studs, etc.)

Hair Accessories (are optional)

Hair accessories should coordinate to the uniform colors.

Some vendors carry hair bands and scrunchies in the school approved colors.

Exceptions are made for religious headwear.

POINTS OF IMPORTANCE:

All SCOUTS will be allowed to wear their official scout uniform on their meeting day (**however, jeans are not allowed**).

Financial Assistance: Families who feel they are in financial need and cannot afford uniforms may submit a letter to the Principal requesting financial assistance. The request will be reviewed on a case-by case basis by the principal.