



MBCS DRESS CODE POLICY K-8

Please refer to the Family Handbook for further details

General Appearance

Hairstyles which communicate a desire to appear rebellious or unconventional will be considered inappropriate. Hair styles should be neat and are not permitted to affect the vision or concentration of the student, nor to prevent the teacher from having eye contact with the student (no sunglasses in the classroom). Parents should contact the school if they have a question regarding a particular hairstyle.

Hats are not allowed at school.

Make-up, if worn, should be modest and not draw attention to its extremity.

Jewelry or accessories that are not a positive reflection of MBCS, or that represent gangs, cults, satanic symbolism, or other occult memberships or superstitions are prohibited. Symbols of non-Christian religions are also prohibited. Piercings, posts, and studs are permitted, though allowance will be limited with regard to size (ex. large hoops, longer dangling items, or gauges), radical facial placement, and/or extreme accumulation.

Athletic material, active wear, see-through fabrics, and revealing styles are never to be chosen for school clothing. Jeggings and leggings are not acceptable as pants. Pants must always be worn at the waist. No sagging is tolerated, and underwear may never be seen.

Any closed toed shoes with non-slip soles are permitted. They may be any color or style. Tennis shoes are required for P.E. (K-4 has PE in the afternoons, Monday through Thursday).

Monday Through Friday Uniform

Shirts

Shirts must be a plain polo style shirt in a solid Red, White or Navy color. A small school logo is required. Polos can be short sleeve or long sleeve. Polos from previous years, that are in good condition, are still acceptable.

For MBCS Logos:

Cypress Sporting Goods
351 Kolb Avenue, Monterey, CA 93940 831-375-0866
(Located behind Jiffy Lube)

Dresses and Jumpers

In place of a polo shirt, girls may wear a polo dress that follows the same guidelines as shirts (solid school colors with logo) and skirts (material and length). Jumpers must be worn over a uniform polo shirt. They must also be solid school colors and follow the skirt guidelines for length and material. For K-4, All dresses, jumpers, or skirts should be accompanied by additional shorts or leggings as well.



Pants, Shorts, and Skirts

Pants, shorts and skirts can be any solid color. Pants and shorts should be made of cotton, khaki, or denim material and are required to have pockets and a zipper. They must not have holes or rips. Shorts may not be shorter than 2 inches above the knee. Skirts must be knee length and should be made of cotton, khaki, or denim material. Leggings/jeggings are **only** permitted under skirts. They may not be worn as pants. Skirts must remain at knee length when wearing leggings/jeggings underneath. Additional clothing such as leggings or shorts should always be worn under skirts for K-4 activities (i.e. playground and/or PE).

Outer Wear

All outer wear must be plain solid colors in Red, White, or Navy. Chapel sweaters, Navy or Burgundy, are not required but are still acceptable outer wear at school and in the classroom. Sweatshirts from previous years' school trips (ex. CIMI) may be worn as well.

PE Uniforms

5th - 8th Grade students are required to dress out for P.E.. Uniforms, which consist of sweatshirts, t-shirts, shorts and/or sweatpants, are required to be purchased through the school.

Exceptional Days

Chapel

Chapel attire will be the same as the uniform required Monday through Thursday- a polo shirt with pants, shorts or skirts. Students are not required to wear chapel sweaters.

Spirit Wear

Spirit wear is defined as any official school apparel. On Fridays a Christian T-Shirt or spirit wear may be worn with the required pants, shorts or skirts.

Free Dress Days

On announced Free Dress Days or on occasions when students have earned a Free Dress Pass, boys and girls are expected to dress in practical (no costumes) good taste. Students may wear any clothing that conforms to the general guidelines listed above. When a free dress pass is redeemed in the school office (before school starts), a wristband will be given to be worn for the day. Clothing with different colors or prints is accepted. Sweat shirts and t-shirts must not have inappropriate decorations or graphics (no violence, bands, offensive images or statements). Footwear and clothing style prohibitions still apply.