



UTOPIAN
ACADEMY FOR THE ARTS



UNIFORM POLICY

All Utopian Academy students are required to be in uniform **every day**. Students are required to be in uniform during field trips and other school related activities as well.

The Utopian Academy for the Arts uniform standards are as follows:

6th Grade Shirts – Shirts Must Be Tucked In

Girls: White Utopian Oxford Shirts

Boys: White Utopian Oxford Shirts



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7th Grade Shirts - Shirts Must Be Tucked In

Girls: White Utopian Oxford Shirts

Boys: White Utopian Oxford Shirts

8th Grade Shirts - Shirts Must Be Tucked In

Girls: White Utopian Oxford Shirts and Maroon Cross Tie

Boys: White Utopian Oxford Shirts and Maroon Neck Tie

6th, 7th and 8th Grade Bottoms

Any **Brown Khaki** Bottoms (Skirts, Shorts, Pants)

SKIRTS, SHORTS, AND SKORTS: Fall two inches below the knee, loose fitting. (No joggers, sweatpants, or leggings, jeggings, jeans)

Shoes/Boots

Only Solid Black or Brown (Casual, Tennis Shoes)

Trouser Socks

Girls (Black, White, Brown, or Blue)

Boys (Black, White, Brown, or Blue)

Outerwear

Solid Black, Grey, or Maroon Sweaters/Jackets/Hoodies. All outerwear including sweaters, jackets, and hoodies must be in the aforementioned solid colors. Writing on sweaters, jackets, hoodies shall not be allowed.

Female Dress Code

BELTS -*Black & Brown only* – The buckle should be small and should not say anything.

JEWELRY - Conservative jewelry is permitted. Some necklaces of any material, bracelets, rings, earrings, and anklets may be prohibited.



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Earrings will be the size of a quarter or smaller. No tongue rings or facial piercings other than ears.

TATTOOS - Fake or Real – Are considered inappropriate and are unacceptable.

HAIR - The style is a parenting decision but the inclusion of items into the hair will meet the following restrictions; the items may not be removed for any length of time during the day. The item will be very secure and if the beads or other small items begin to fall the student will be asked to remove the rest, place them in a bag and take them home. If the hair includes any items or symbols that can be interpreted as advocating anything the item will be removed. Students may not groom themselves at school. Hairbrushes, combs and other items used outside of the restroom will be confiscated. All students will wear their natural hair color. When adding weave or other pieces, the hair color will match. This means no bright reds, purples, blondes, or other colors that completely contrast the natural hair color of the student will be permitted.

HEADWEAR - No disruptive headwear; No hats, scarves, or bandanas of any color.

KEYCHAINS - The keychain should be under the shirt, in the pocket completely, or put in a purse.

MAKEUP - No makeup of any kind is permitted including, glitter and certain kinds of lipstick. Even bringing the items unopened and unused may be grounds for suspension. All lotions and lip balms will be applied in the restrooms.

UNDERWEAR - No underclothing (panties, bra, slip, or any other item) should ever be visible through any method whether on purpose or accident.

Male Dress Code

BELTS - Black & Brown only – The buckle should be small and should not say anything.



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JEWELRY - No earrings or tongue rings permitted. Conservative jewelry is permitted. Some necklaces, bracelets and rings may be prohibited. All items not listed are considered out of uniform, unless approved in writing by the School Leadership.

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KEYCHAINS - The keychain should be under the shirt, in the pocket completely. The keys or chain should never be visible at school.

MAKEUP - No makeup of any kind is permitted including glitter. Even bringing the items unopened and unused is grounds for disciplinary action. All lotions and lip balm will be applied in the restrooms and not during instruction.

UNDERCLOTHES - Any underclothing that can be seen including but not limited to, boxers, briefs, white tees, sleeveless undershirts, is grounds for suspension. All underclothes should stay under the clothing of the child at all times.

Our uniform policy will be enforced on a daily basis! Students coming to school out of uniform will be required to call a parent/guardian to bring the missing/improperly worn item.

At no time should any aspect of student dress disrupt the learning environment. Further, no student's bottoms should be sagging at any time.



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As stated in the Student Code of Conduct, the policy is as stated:

BEING OUT OF UNIFORM

Students will wear a uniform to school every day except when given written permission that it is a "non-uniform day." All elements of our school uniform are listed in the Student Handbook. Students that arrive to school out of uniform will be required to call a parent/guardian to bring the missing item. **If a parent is unable to bring this item, the student will report to the Dean of Students.** However, based on the discretion of School Leadership, an additional consequence may be assigned.