

Dress Code

At Great Hearts, the student uniform is an essential part of who we are and what we do. The uniform serves to unify our students as one community of learners, irrespective of our diverse backgrounds. The uniform also signifies to the larger community our common purpose and identity as learners in pursuit of the true, the good, and the beautiful. Finally, the uniform frees our students to pursue their intellectual and moral development as individuals, without the distractions of fad and fashion. True individuality is formed in the heart and mind, not in appearances.

Uniforms are available for purchase at [Dennis Uniforms](#) and [Anton Uniforms](#). Within those websites, you can search by gender and grade level. **All crested items must be purchased from Dennis, Anton, or through a PSO Used Uniform Sale.**

Bottoms:

- Khaki dress slacks or shorts with black dress belt
- Girls may wear school plaid skirts (purchased from an approved vendor)
- Skirts and shorts shall be no shorter than just above the knee

Tops:

- Middle School – Navy blue polo, short or long sleeved with embroidered school crest, tucked into waistband (purchased from an approved vendor). White undershirts okay.
 - For families who already own the white polo for their MS students – they may continue to wear them through the 24/25 school year. Uniform vendors will not be selling the white option for the upcoming school year.
- Campus sweater/pullover with school crest or approved emblem
- High school students must wear the Oxford or high school specific black polo with embroidered school crest; Seniors must wear the tie and blazer (the blazer does not need to be worn on days exceeding 100 degrees). High school students may wear a letterman jacket.

Footwear:

- Shoes and socks must be solid black with no logos. Athletic shoes or dress shoes are acceptable.
- Girls may wear solid black, white, or blue knee-high socks with skirts

Accessories:

- One bracelet, one pair of small earrings, one ring, and one simple watch are allowed
- Smartwatches and facial piercings are not allowed
- Outerwear may be worn before and after school or during breaks and must be free of pop-culture, political messages, and/or inappropriate messages

Hygiene and personal care:

- Hair must be a naturally occurring color and clean, styled, and out of the face. No dual-tone hair.
- Hair accessories should be small and match the uniform (options are available through our vendors)
- Students will bear no tattoos, temporary or permanent, including pen and ink writing and drawings on the skin or face
- Make-up is permitted but may not be excessive in its application

Students must stay in uniform whenever they are on campus (including the parking lot) during open campus hours (7:23am-3:30pm). This means arriving on campus fully in uniform and leaving campus fully in uniform (correct shoes, shirts tucked in, etc.). Students may only change out of uniform after school with teacher/coach permission to participate in an approved curricular or co-curricular activity that requires an immediate change in dress. For religious, cultural, or medical exceptions to the dress code policy, please reach out to the academy's Office Manager.