

23-24 PCS Dress Code

In an effort to eliminate the social and emotional distress of 'branding', Premier Charter School students are expected to follow the PCS Dress Code each school day.

The PCS Dress Code is as follows:

- **Bottoms:** Students may wear <u>Khaki or Navy Blue</u> pants, shorts, jumpers, or skirts. Pants must be worn securely around the waist, and a belt is required if loops are present. Shorts, skirts, and jumpers may not be any shorter than 4 inches above the top of the knee.
- **Shirts:** Students may wear <u>Navy Blue and White collared</u> shirts. Shirts may be either long or short sleeved. Sleeveless shirts may not be worn. Shirts must be solid in color (no stripes, logos, checks, or decoration).
- **Spirit wear:** Can be worn at all times. Students may wear a PCS logo shirts/sweatshirts/hoodies of varying colors. (Dress code bottoms must be worn).
- **Shoes:** Students should wear athletic shoes that do not leave marks on the gym floor on the days they have PE. If they choose to change shoes prior to and after PE class, they must do so within the time allotted before or after class. Students should wear their own shoes at all times.
- Dress-Down Days: Periodically, we allow the students to have dress down days when we
 relax the dress code. If a student chooses not to participate in the dress down day, they
 MUST remain in school dress code. On those days, students are allowed to wear clothes
 (pertaining to the dress down theme) that are school appropriate, with these guidelines:
 - Dress so as to not disrupt the learning environment
 - No inappropriate messages/pictures/logos
 - Pants and shorts should be pulled to the waist
 - Any suggestive clothing is not acceptable for school

HATS, SCARVES, AND BANDANAS ARE NOT TO BE WORN IN THE SCHOOL BUILDING AT ANY TIME. THIS INCLUDES BEFORE SCHOOL, AFTER SCHOOL, AND EVENING ACTIVITIES. FACE PAINT IS NOT ALLOWED.

*The PCS Administration has final authority in determining if a student's clothing is within the guidelines of the PCS Dress Code.

At PCS, we believe that families choose to send their students to our school because of our high academic and personal standards. We believe that our dress code is a large component of our high expectations. As such, enforcing or dress code policy is a high priority. School administration reserves the right to issue whatever consequences they deem to be most appropriate.

*If at any point a family requires assistance in the acquisition of clothing meeting the PCS Dress Code, they are encouraged to contact their child's grade level administrator. Clothing will be available through the nurse's office for emergencies only. Students do not have the option of getting clothing from the nurse's office for dress code purposes.