

2009-2010 NMS DRESS CODE GUIDELINES

In anticipation of the new 2009-2010 school year, we have made some changes to the dress code. We have bolded the changes. If you have any questions, please contact an administrator at 713-329-6510.

Basic Uniform: Monday-Thursday-All students

- Navy/Khaki slacks/shorts/skirts/jumpers/skorts-must fit appropriately
- Solid White/Navy/ Button polo style shirt with collar
- Solid White/Navy/Gray/Black Turtle Neck
- Undershirts must be **PLAIN** white/navy/black/gray. **NO** writing may be on the undershirt. Undershirt must not be larger than uniform shirt.
- **Shirt Length: Shirts will need to be tucked in if the shirt extends beyond the students thumb.**
- **Shirts/Sweatshirts**-emblems will be allowed but all over designs will not be allowed.
 - **Examples allowed:** Polo Emblem or the word Hollister
 - **Examples not allowed:** Patterns in fabric such as checks or all over design
- NMS Sweatshirt (optional)
- Sweatshirt (solid-no designs white/navy/black/gray)
- Shoes or sneakers
 - Any color **BUT** red
 - shoe laces any color but red
 - no open-toed, open-backed, sling-backed, or sandals
- Belt (only solid white, navy, black or brown ones permitted)-optional

Specific Items:

Girls:

- Khaki/Navy slacks/skirt/skorts/jumpers/shorts/capris. Pants may not be too tight...no lycra/spandex/polyester .
- **LENGTH:** Skirt, short, jumper and skort length may not be shorter than three (3) inches above the knee. In the event of a question, the assistant principal makes the final decision.

Spirit Day Uniform (Fridays, day before a holiday, or special events):

On Spirit Days, students may wear either their regular school uniform **or**:

- A Northbrook Middle School spirit shirt (sold by various clubs and organizations)
- **Blue denim jeans, shorts or capris with finished edges.**
- Uniform shirt may **NOT** be worn with jeans.
- College T-shirt/Sweatshirt

Jewelry:

- **Jewelry-any color but red**
- **Piercings-ears only**

Hair:

- **Natural Color**
- **Boys-No facial hair**

Dress Code will be checked each day. Students with dress code violations will receive disciplinary action which may include: detentions, ISS or being sent home from school, until dress code violations are corrected. Every attempt will be made to contact parents. Students may be required to wear "school provided" items if a parent cannot be reached. Absences due to dress code violations are not excused.