



Marion Preparatory Academy

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Dress Code 22-23

Dress and Grooming

While fashions change, the reason for being in the Academy does not. Students are in the Academy to learn. Any fashion (dress, accessory, etc) that disrupts the educational process or presents a safety risk will not be permitted. Personal expression is permitted within these general guidelines. Students are required to wear the Academy uniform every day. The Academy colors are khaki or black for bottoms and green, gray, white, or black for tops. **Students cannot wear neon colors or any other color NOT part of the Marion Preparatory Academy approved color schemes.**

The uniform guidelines are as follows:

Bottoms (Solid Khaki or Black)

Pants*

Shorts*

Leggings (worn only with shirt covering exposed skin)

Jumpers*

Skorts*

Skirts*

Tops (Solid Dark Green, Gray, White, or Black)

Polo Shirt

Collared Button-down shirt or blouse

Hoodies (Solid colors mentioned above)

Cardigans, sweaters, or vests

Crewneck sweatshirts

- * All shorts, skirts, jumpers, and skorts must be **NO** less than one (1) inch above the knee.
- * Tattered, torn, or oversized clothing is not acceptable. Shirts **MUST** be tucked into bottoms at all times.
- * Prohibited: hooded jackets, sweatpants, outerwear (worn in class), sweatshirts/t-shirts with designs/logos, and any items with sequins, glitter, or jewels.
- * Long pants or leggings under skirts or skorts are required during the cold months of December – February, and shorts are at the discretion of the parent/guardian. Leggings may **ONLY** be worn with long tops, dresses, skorts or shorts.
- * Collared tops must be worn under sweaters/sweatshirts. **NO** stripes or patterns on any day and its color **MUST** adhere to the approved dress code color scheme (black, gray, green, and khaki).

Shoes

- * Students must wear close-toed shoes at all times.
- * Shoes must also have backs.
- * Sneakers/Tennis shoes are preferred due to recess and physical education

***Shoes Prohibited:** Flip flops, shoes with wheels, shoes with lights, open toed shoes/sandals, ballet-type shoes (no soles), and open CROCS. During the winter months, students are allowed to come with winter boots, however must change to regular approved shoes for the rest of the day.