



St. Mary's Magnet Academy

SCHOOL UNIFORM AND DRESS CODE POLICY 2020-2021

At St. Mary's Magnet Academy students are required to wear uniforms. Our school's mission reflects that our student's primary focus during the school day is learning. It is widely believed and accepted that when students wear uniforms, there is an increased sense of community and pride in the school. In addition, uniforms contribute positively to student's behavior, health, safety, and development which contributes to a productive learning environment. **The uniforms are as follows:**

	Shirt Color	Pants Color
Monday	WHITE or NAVY BLUE or RED or GRAY	KHAKI or NAVY BLUE or BLACK
Tuesday	WHITE or NAVY BLUE or RED or GRAY	KHAKI or NAVY BLUE or BLACK
Wednesday	WHITE or NAVY BLUE or RED or GRAY	KHAKI or NAVY BLUE or BLACK
Thursday	WHITE or NAVY BLUE or RED or GRAY	KHAKI or NAVY BLUE or BLACK
Friday	WHITE or NAVY BLUE or RED or GRAY	KHAKI or NAVY BLUE or BLACK

****SMMA spirit shirts can be worn on any day with uniform bottoms.**

Dress down days will be designated throughout the school year. More information will be sent home.

Facial Coverings (required): In observance of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Center for Disease Control, and the Muscogee County School District, St. Mary's Magnet Academy students will be expected to wear a face covering during school hours. **Facial covering designs must be school appropriate and follow all dress code guidelines outlined in the Muscogee County School Code of Conduct and guidelines for dress code which is outlined below in detail.**

SHIRTS/BLOUSES (MUST BE SOLID COLORS)

- Shirts must be tucked in at all times.
- **NO** tank tops, spaghetti straps, tube tops or see-through shirts allowed
- **NO** midriffs should be exposed (including when arms are raised)
- **NO** solid white t-shirts or undershirts
- **NO** shirts that advocates drugs, sex, alcohol, violence, gangs, hate, or profanity

PANTS/DRESSES/SKIRTS/SHORTS

- Shorts and skirts must be no higher than 3" above the top of the knee cap
- **Leggings must be worn under a skirt or dress, no belt is required**
- **Students should wear a belt to keep pants at or above the waist.**
- **NO** oversized pants/bound pants/sagging pants
- **Pants with holes are not to be worn (even if leggings are worn under the pants)**
- **Athletic shorts may not be worn during the school day**

SHOES

- For safety concerns, ALL shoes (boys and girls) need to be rubber-soled with enclosed toes and heels; tennis shoes preferred due to weekly physical education classes and recess.
- **NO** flips flops
- **NO** slides or crocs
- **NO** sandals and high heels

***Each student will receive a handbook at the beginning of the school year which will contain all dress code policies and procedures. The administration reserves the right to determine proper dress and take necessary action at any time.**