



All students will be required to wear uniforms next year at James Stephens International Academy. In addition to creating a sense of school pride and belonging, a dress code encourages students to express their individuality through personality and academic achievements, not outward appearances. Please review the dress code information for 2010-11 below and contact the school office at 337-1333 if you have any questions.

TOPS

- White, gold/yellow or navy solid, collared uniform polo shirts are required.
- No print or designs on shirts.
- Shirts must be tucked in at all times.
- School logo shirts may be worn; however, **there may be no other designs, logos or symbols on shirts.**
- Long, oversized clothing is prohibited (shirts and pants).
- Jackets are required to be open and uniform shirts visible.
- Sweatshirts are not permitted.

BOTTOMS

- **Pants/Bottoms**-Solid khaki or navy colored pants, shorts, skorts, skirts or jumpers may be worn. Pants/Bottoms must fit appropriately (not too loose or too tight), and **must be worn at the waist**. Pajama style, sports pants, sweatpants, stretch pants or drawstring pants are prohibited.
- **Shorts/Skorts** – must be finger tip in length. No athletic shorts. Must fit appropriately (not too loose or too tight), and **must be worn at the waist**.
- **Capri pants** – must fit appropriately (not too loose or too tight).
- **Skirts/Dresses** – must be finger tip in length. Must fit appropriately (not too loose or too tight). No slits above the knee.
- **No denim/jean material is permitted.**

FOOTWEAR

- Tennis shoes only.

ACCESSORIES

- Any articles of jewelry that could likely cause disruption, such as belts, chains, bracelets, rings, chokers (with or without spikes) or studs, are prohibited. Wallet or hip chains of any length are prohibited.
- Adornments that are attached (pierced) to exposed body parts, other than the ear, are prohibited. Examples of prohibited adornments to exposed body parts include, but are not limited to, grills or removable metal teeth, objects attached or pierced to the tongue, nose, eyebrow, cheeks and lips.
- No bracelets, rubber bands or other items may be worn on the wrists.
- Watches will be allowed.

HEADGEAR

- Hats, caps, headgear, bandanas, hoods, sweatbands or sunglasses are prohibited. There may be certain exceptions for medical conditions and/or physical education classes being held outside. The administration will determine these exceptions.

MISCELLANEOUS

- Gang-related tattoos, or other tattoos that may cause a substantial disruption to the educational environment as determined by the principal, are prohibited.

The administration reserves the right to make changes based on changing fashions, trends or individual student situations.