



PROVIDENCE SCHOOL

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MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL UNIFORM REGULATIONS

Providence School prescribed dress and personal appearance should be clean, healthy, appropriate, and reflect the school's standard of excellence. We ask that all family members abide by similar guidelines to set a godly example while on school property. Please note that students are only allowed to wear uniforms from RC Uniforms.

Dress Code

The following outlines the appropriate uniform dress for students. When students wear the Providence uniform properly, they represent themselves, their family, their school in a manner pleasing to the Lord.

Badges

Students must wear their ID badges at all times during the school day with the exception of physical education. Badges are needed to purchase food in the dining hall.

Belts

- Black/Brown/Khaki.
- Must be worn at all times when wearing uniform slacks/shorts.

Ears

- Boys may not wear earrings.
- Girls may wear no more than two earrings in each lobe of the ear and may have piercings in the cartilage. The earrings should be conservative and not draw undue attention to the young lady.
- Neither spacers nor gauges are allowed.

Hair

- Boys' hair is to be well-groomed, must not touch collar, may not go past 1/2 of the ear, or touch the eyebrows.
- No unnatural hair color.
- All hair styles should be conservative and not draw undue attention to the student.
- No facial hair.
- Sideburns must not extend past two-thirds of the ear.
- Girls may wear uniform scrunches and headbands in school colors only. These should not draw undue attention to the student and must be complementary to the uniform.
- Boys may not wear anything in their hair.

Hands/Makeup/Jewelry

- Excluding the ears, no other body piercings are allowed.
- Boys may not wear nail polish.
- Jewelry should be conservative and not distract from the uniform.
- Sunglasses may not be worn inside the building (even on top of or back of the head).
- Choker necklaces may be worn, but must not be distracting to the uniform.
- No long chains hanging outside uniform shirt.

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Hats

No hats, caps, or head covers are to be worn in the building at any time.

Headphones and Backpacks (excluding string backpacks)

- Headphones and backpacks should not be seen on the students during school hours (8:00-3:15) in the hallways or common areas (dining hall, etc.)
- Phones are allowed with specific guidelines for 6-12. These guidelines are issued from the deans and classroom teachers.
- If a teacher allows for headphones and/or cell phone use in class, students should be instructed to put these items away before they exit the classroom.

Jackets and Outerwear

- Only jackets that are Providence uniform jackets, Providence lettermen jackets, Providence uniform sweaters, Providence approved team/club jackets and Providence uniform sweatshirts may be worn inside the building during the school day.
- Authentic Providence hoodies may also be worn during the school day.
- Winter apparel other than Providence may only be worn outside the building during P.E.

Physical Education Uniform

Students must purchase their PE uniform from RC uniforms and must wear the PE uniform per instructions given by teacher. Athletic shoes are required.

Shirts

- Only the top two buttons may be unbuttoned at any time.
- Shirts must be tucked in and belts must be seen at all times.
- All undershirts should be solid and either white, black, or teal.

Shoes

- Athletic shoes of any color may be worn.
- Brown or Black dress shoes may be worn (or conservative one color shoes such as Tom's)
- No sandals, Crocs, sling-back or open-toed shoes, at any time including designated dress down days.
- Boots may only be worn according to specifications listed with dress down days.

Skin

Providence discourages tattoos or brandings on students and does not allow them to be visible when the student is in the school uniform, the PE uniform, team uniform, or other clothing at school or any school-related activity.

Skirts

Should be no shorter than 2" above the knee cap and are not to be rolled.

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Slacks/shorts

- Slacks and shorts must be worn with a belt.
- Slacks and shorts must be worn on the waist.

Socks

Socks should complement the uniform and should not be distracting or inappropriate.

Friday Dress Down Day Guidelines

- The normal policy regarding hair, jewelry, and facial hair applies.
- Students may wear blue jeans and a shirt with a Providence logo (sports teams, homecoming shirt, club shirts, grade shirts, etc.) Blue jeans must be free of cuts, holes, shredded, or worn places. Only full length blue jeans or capris (girls only) may be worn.
- Non uniform shorts are not allowed on dress down days.
- Jeggings/leggings/joggers/sweats are not permissible.
- All outwear must adhere to previously stated policy inside and outside the building.
- Shoes are in compliance with dress down requirements.
- Seniors ONLY may wear black jeans with no holes, rips, etc.