

DRESS CODE

The Academy believes the dress code is an important component in promoting and teaching many characteristics that we feel are essential; among them are responsibility, accountability, attention to detail, and the importance of a neat and well-groomed appearance. There are guidelines that govern dress and grooming to ensure a relatively consistent appearance. This list is not all inclusive. **The school reserves the right to make and enforce changes during the school year that are not listed.**

DRESS CODE REQUIREMENTS

- I. All attire must be neat, clean, appropriately sized and free of holes or ragged appearance.
- II. Clothing Identification: To facilitate the return of lost clothing, all items should be clearly labeled with nametags or indelible ink.
- III. Uniform clothing is required for all grades, K4-12th. Items with GWA logo must be purchased from the following sources: GWA Dawg Shop, Lands' End School Uniform division and S'Cool Stuff, AND meet the uniform requirements detailed in the grid below.
- IV. Solid red, black, white and gray undershirts only.
- V. Belts must be worn.
- VI. Hats, caps, sunglasses, or head scarves may not be worn during the school day or in buildings. When hats and caps are worn on campus after school, they must be worn with the bill in front at all times.

UNIFORM SUPPLIERS

All uniform clothing with a required logo must be purchased from one of the suppliers listed below or obtained through a sports player pack.

The Dawg Shop

Located on the GWA campus near the cafeteria
Stocks shirts, sweatshirts, jackets, skorts, and spirit wear.
678.635.3826

Lands' End School Uniform Catalog

Use School Code 900043035
Items ordered from the regular Lands' End catalog may not be approved uniform items.
1.800.963.4816
landsend.com/school

S'Cool Stuff

125 Camp Street
Loganville, GA 30052
770.554.888

Shirts	Long or short sleeve polo-style in white, red, gray or black - <u>GWA logo required</u> Long or short sleeve Oxford in white Pre-K – 5 th only – Peter Pan collar blouse in white	Long or short sleeve polo-style in white, red, gray or black - <u>GWA logo required</u> Long or short sleeve Oxford in white
Shorts	Plain or pleated front chino in khaki or black	Plain or pleated front chino in khaki or black
Skirts / Skorts	Skirts or skorts in khaki, black, gray or GWA plaid #70 Skorts and skirts should not be short or revealing and should reflect modesty and professionalism.	N/A
Jumpers	Solid jumper in khaki or black Pre –K – 5 th only – Plaid jumper in GWA plaid #70	N/A
Dress	Pre-K – 5 th only – Short sleeve knit shirt dress in red Short sleeve knit ruffle dress in red <u>GWA logo required</u>	N/A
Pants	Plain or pleated front chino in khaki or black Capri slacks in khaki or black	Plain or pleated front chino in khaki or black
Sweatshirts	<u>GWA logo is required.</u> Crewneck sweatshirts in white, red, black or gray A GWA collared shirt must be worn underneath at all times. Hooded sweatshirts and quarter zips in white, red, black or gray	<u>GWA logo is required.</u> Crewneck sweatshirts in white, red, black or gray A GWA collared shirt must be worn underneath at all times. Hooded sweatshirts and quarter zips in white, red, black or gray
Sweaters	V-neck or crewneck in white, red, black or gray Cardigan in white, red, black or gray Vest in red or black	V-neck or crewneck in white, red, black or gray Cardigan in white, red, black or gray Vest in red or black
Belts	Solid or braided in brown, black or plaid #70 Standard buckle, no ornamentation	Solid or braided in brown or black Standard buckle, no ornamentation
Hosiery	Solid black, solid white, or solid gray leggings Solid –colored opaque tights in red, black, white or gray 6 th – 12 th only -Sheer hosiery, no patterns allowed	N/A
Shoes	All shoes must be closed heel and toe. No high heels.	All shoes must be closed heel and toe.
P. E. Uniforms (For middle & high school students.)	Gym shorts, t-shirts and sweatshirts. Appropriate athletic shoes must be worn.	Gym shorts, t-shirts and sweatshirts. Appropriate athletic shoes must be worn.
Outerwear	Coats and jackets should be GWA colors but do not require the logo.	Coats and jackets should be GWA colors but do not require the logo.

ACCESSORIES

- Earrings on boys are prohibited.
- Girls' earrings are to be conservative in size and number.

HAIR

Hair is to be maintained so that it is not extreme. No shaved heads or inappropriate hair color. Boys' hairstyles must meet the following limitations:

- Not below the bottom of the ear lobe
- Above the eyes in front
- Not over the collar
- Clean shaven (Seniors may have well-groomed facial hair)

ALL GWA ATHLETIC TEAMS, CHEERLEADERS, ETC.

When arriving at the destination of a game or competition (home or away), students must be attired AS A TEAM, either in the team warm up or in school uniform.

SPIRIT WEAR FRIDAYS

Most Fridays are Spirit Days. Students may wear GWA spirit wear shirts with jeans (no holes or tears).

THE FOLLOWING ARE PROHIBITED FOR STUDENTS AT GEORGE WALTON ACADEMY:

- Earrings on boys
- Hats or sunglasses inside buildings
- Bandanas
- Facial and body piercing
- Chains on billfolds
- Tattoos
- Any clothing item or accessory the administration deems unsuitable

APPROVED GWA LOGOS:

The following logos are the only approved logos for the 2018-2019 school year.



DRESS CODE VIOLATIONS GUIDELINES:

Dress code issues should be addressed at the beginning of school each day by the student's first period teacher. Inappropriate dress could result in the student being sent home or the parent being asked to bring a change of clothes.