



Islamic School of Irving

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2009-2010 UNIFORM POLICY

Overview

The Islamic School of Irving administration believes that a mandatory school uniform policy will provide a more secure school environment, promote an atmosphere for greater discipline, and increase learning opportunities for students by removing many of the distractions and connotations associated with various types of clothing. All ISI Students are required to wear uniforms to class. Parents are responsible for ensuring that their children wear the designated school uniform clothing as outlined below.

Appearance

Students shall be expected to maintain a neat, clean, and well-groomed appearance at school. Shirttails must be tucked in. Undergarments must not be visible. No article of clothing shall be bizarre in style, unsuitable for school activities, or of a nature to call undue attention to the wearer.

Since school life prepares students to take their place in adult life, these primary requirements are expected of all students. The first responsibility for maintaining proper standards belongs to the student and parents, or guardian. The school should deal with this responsibility when the student or parents fail to recognize this need.

Purchase

School uniforms are available at a variety of stores in the metroplex. A+ School Uniforms, located in the Valley View Mall and Town East Mall will give our students a 15% discount off of the entire purchase. Abayas and jilbabs for Middle and High school girls are available at various Islamic clothing stores in the city.

Colors

Socks (All grade levels) - Solid Light Blue, Navy Blue, Black or White

Students are permitted to wear solid navy, white or black socks. Students are not permitted to wear socks with logos, or patterns. Girls may wear solid navy, white opaque or black tights or leggings with jumpers only.

Shoes (All grade levels)

Solid black dress shoes are the required shoe. White or black sneakers without logos are also permitted on PE days.

Sweaters, Cardigans and Vests (All grade levels)

Solid Navy Blue or Black sweaters, pullovers, cardigans and sweater vests may be worn during school hours. *Sweat shirts with hoods are strictly prohibited.*



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Coats, jackets, and windbreakers worn as an outerwear, may be of any color, but may not be worn in class. They must be taken off once inside the classroom or building.

Physical Education Uniforms

Students taking a P.E. course are required to wear the ISI approved P.E. uniform. The PE uniform is mandatory for students in 2nd to 10th grade. The PE teachers will designate the PE uniform at the commencement of the academic year.

Warm Weather

Students in Pre-K – 2nd grades may wear short sleeve light blue shirts during warm weather.

Boys' Uniforms

Shirts (Pre K- Middle School)

Students are required to wear long or short-sleeved (boys only) light blue button-down oxford/dress shirts. Polo shirts are not allowed. The hem of the shirt must be fully tucked in and not rolled under. Tucking in only the shirttail is not acceptable. All shirt buttons, including the buttons on the collar points, must be buttoned during school hours.

Shirts (High School)

Standard light blue collar oxford shirts or white oxfords (with Monday uniform) must be worn. Long sleeves must be either buttoned or rolled up.

Pants (Pre K- Middle School)

Solid Navy Blue pants for PreK – 8th grade. Navy blue shorts are allowed for students in PreK – KG during summer.

Pants (High School)

Navy blue or Tan (khaki) pants with a white shirt for 9 – 12th grade boys must be worn appropriately and modestly. Belts must be worn on all pants designed with belt loops. Socks may be the same color as the shirt or pants with no visible logo. Socks must match the uniform and be in a solid color.

Thobes (High School)- *Solid White or Black, may be worn on **Fridays** for 9th – 12th grade boys over the regular school uniform.* The following guidelines must be observed:

- Students may not wear pants that fit tightly.
- Students may not wear “hip-huggers” or pants that hang below the waist.
- Hems may not touch the floor.
- All items must be at the waist, no “sagging” will be permitted.
- No cargo pants, pant with pockets or zippers on pant leg.*



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Belts

Student wearing pants, must wear a black leather woven or flat belt with a small, simple buckle. Students may not wear billfold or watch chains that hang from the waist. *Belts are optional for Pre-K to 1st grades.*

Undershirts

Students may only wear a solid white long or short sleeved T-shirt under the dress shirt. Colored shirts and logos are not permitted underneath uniform shirts.

Blazers (Grades 9 – 12 Girls and Boys) and Tie (Boys)

Blazers (High School) - Navy Blue with gold buttons.

Students are required to wear Navy Blue blazers on Mondays beginning the first Monday in November through the last Monday in April.

Monday Uniform - high school boys are required to wear white shirt, tan pant with their blue blazers and tie as their Monday uniform.

Girls' Uniforms

Jumpers (Elementary Girls)

Solid navy blue jumpers should be worn with light blue dress shirts and appropriate socks or leggings. White hose optional in place of pants for Girls Grades Pre-K through 5th. (*Shorts must be worn under jumper if wearing hose.*)

Black jilbabs/abayas for elementary grades are allowed on Fridays or any other special days designated by the school administration. However, the school uniform (blouses and pants) must be worn underneath the abayas.

Scarves- (KG-8th grade) one or two-piece fitted solid White
(9th –12th grade) one or two-piece fitted solid Light Blue

Pre-K to 5th grade*

Navy blue jumpers with a light blue dress shirt *may* be worn with a white scarf. The scarf is optional for girls 2nd grade and below. The length of the jumper shall be mid calf or below knee length. Navy blue hose or navy blue pants (with no stripes) must be worn under the jumper. Girls may wear stud earrings only.

Exception: *For Fridays only, girls from Pre-K to 5th grade have the option of wearing a black abaya/jilbab with a white scarf over their school shirt and pants.



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Girls (6th-8th grade)

Abayas and jilbabs – Black

Girls in middle school must wear:

1. A solid black abaya or jilbab – **ONLY** black embroidery and no velcro side closure.
**Undergarments must not be apparent
2. A solid white scarf.
3. Dark blue or black pants with white or dark blue shirt. . Jeans cannot be worn under the abaya or jilbab.
4. Solid Black dress shoes or solid white sneakers are recommended.
5. Girls may wear stud earrings and one ring only. No other jewelry is allowed.

9th –12th grade

Abayas and jilbabs – Black

Girls in high school must wear:

1. A solid black abaya or jilbab - **ONLY** black embroidery and no velcro side closure.
**Undergarments must not be apparent.
2. A solid light blue scarf.
3. Dark blue or black pants with white or dark blue shirt. Jeans cannot be worn under the abaya or jilbab..
4. Solid Black dress shoes or solid white sneakers are recommended.
5. Girls may wear stud earrings and one ring only. No other jewelry is allowed.

Blazers (High School Girls) - Navy Blue with blue buttons.

Students are required to wear Navy Blue blazers on Mondays beginning the first Monday in November through the last Monday in April.

Cold Weather Apparel

- **Outerwear** coats, jackets, and windbreakers may be of any color, but may not be worn in class. They must be taken off once inside the classroom.
- **Innerwear must be solid navy blue or black** (blazers, sweaters, pullovers, cardigan or vests are the only accepted innerwear during cold weather).
- Leggings of navy blue may be worn in place of hose
- Visible brand-name labels, emblems, logos or designs are not permitted on winter apparel (Example: Tommy Hilfiger, Guess, Trench coats, Camouflage, etc.)
- Extremes in size, style or fit are not appropriate and will not be permitted.

School wide Physical Education Uniform Policy

- **During P.E.**, all students will wear the designated school P.E. Uniform from grades 2nd and up.
- **During cold weather, students** are allowed to wear navy blue or black long, loose fitting sweat pants or athletic jerseys over their P.E. uniforms.

- Upper grade girls must wear hijabs
- Shorts of any kind are not allowed
- No ball hats
- Non-marking athletic shoes must be worn during P.E.
- As a safety precaution, all earrings, watches and rings must be removed during P.E.

Not Allowed (*both girls and boys*):

The following are not appropriate attire for school and will not be permitted inside school.

- Polo shirts – no polo shirts are allowed in place of uniform dress shirts.
- Extremes hairstyles
 - No shaved, half-shaven designs or layered haircuts for boys
 - Hair should not extend below the eyebrows or ears
- Extremes in style or fit of clothing
 - No Cargo pants (pants with pockets)
 - No plastic pants
 - No flared pants
 - No Jeans (especially under abayas or jilbabs) or shorts
 - No sweat pants, t-shirts, athletic jerseys outside of P.E.
 - No tank tops
 - No sagging, extremely oversized, or extremely tight fitting clothes
 - No visible brand name labels, emblems, images, designs or logos EXCEPT the school logo
 - No caps, hats or hoods from sweater sets
 - No socks or hose with designs or lace
- No Jewelry of any type or during any school activities, with the exception of stud earrings for girls. Any kind of bracelet is not allowed.
- Girls may not wear make-up, perfume, artificial nails or nail polish
- No open-toed shoes ("flip flops", sandals, beach or house shoes)
- No high-heel or colorful fashion shoes
- No non-prescription sunglasses

Violations

The principal or his or her designee(s) will determine if the uniform policy has been violated. Any prohibited items of clothing will be taken by school officials and returned to the parent or guardian only. On special school days, the principal may not require students to wear the uniform. During these times, students must wear attire that is in accordance with school policy and the Islamic dress code.

Consequences of Violations

First Offense:

Student will receive a pink slip regarding the dress code violation for the parent to sign and return to the office.

Second Offense:

Contact parents or guardian and allow them the opportunity to bring the missing item(s) to school, or allow them to take the child home to dress in the proper uniform. Students will be assigned one day after school detention.

Third Offense:

Contact parents or guardian and allow them the opportunity to bring the missing item(s) to school, or allow them to take the child home to dress in the proper uniform. Student will lose recess and receive after school detention.

Fourth Offense:

Contact parents or guardian to pick up the student.