UNIFORMS/DRESS CODE

Rowland Hall's dress code and uniform policies are intended to reinforce an environment which maximizes respect among faculty, staff, and students, and fosters an atmosphere of learning with the focus on academics rather than dress.

For our uniform and dress code policies to be successful, the support of every parent is essential. All clothing must fit properly, be clean, and in good condition with no rips, tears, or holes. If a student is consistently out of uniform, parents will be called to bring in appropriate clothing or the student will be given clean uniform attire from school supplies before attending class. Please label all clothing with your child's name. All unclaimed items in the Lost and Found will be donated to charities.

We encourage students to wear sun hats during all outside activities.

UNIFORMS (MONDAY THROUGH THURSDAY)

Clothing must be solid colors with no trim or contrasting colors. Only RH uniform logo on specified uniform items are allowed. Other brand-name logos are not allowed.

TOPS

- Collared shirt or blouse, white or navy blue, long or short sleeves
- Solid, navy blue sweaters, including pullovers, cardigans, and vests
- Collared shirts must be worn under sweaters, sweatshirts, and vests
- RH logo crew sweatshirts
- RH logo fleece vests
- Lower School Chess, Choir (members only,) and Rowmark shirts as well as Boy/Girl Scout Uniforms are allowed only on designated days

PANTS/SHORTS/SKIRTS/JUMPERS

- Slacks, solid navy blue
- Capri or cropped pants, solid navy blue September/October and April/May/June only
- Bermuda/walk length shorts, solid navy blue, September/October and April/May/June only (minimum length: to end of fingertips of fully extended arm)
- Jumper, skirt, or skorts, blackwatch plaid or solid navy blue

SOCKS

- Solid color, any length, navy blue, white, or black (no logos)
- All shoes must be worn with socks
- Solid color tights, navy blue or white, worn under other clothing, in place of socks

SHOES

- Rubber soles, closed at the toes and heels, tennis shoes or any low-heeled shoes
- Sandals, clogs, open-toe or open-heel shoes, and platform shoes are not permitted
- Shoes with laces must have the laces in and tied
- All shoes must be worn with socks
- For PE Monday through Friday, students must wear athletic shoes with sufficient support, tied or secured with velcro
- Parents should supervise the selection of footwear based on weather conditions. On days that students need boots, it is generally advisable that they also bring a pair of regular school shoes for wearing inside during the day.

NOT ACCEPTABLE AS UNIFORM

Denim, leggings, jeans style, cargo, gaucho, warm-up athletic type pants or shorts

Bib overalls, jumpers or shorts

Lacy, frilly, zippered, hooded shirts or sweatshirts

Jackets, fleece pullovers and other outerwear

DRESS CODE (FRIDAYS)

Students may wear non-uniform dress on Fridays with the following restrictions:

Not acceptable any time (Monday through Friday)

- Athletic team attire, gym shorts, sweat or warm-up pants or shorts
- Fatigues/camouflage
- Leggings, tights, or aerobic wear replacing pants
- Sandals, clogs, mules, jellies, cowboy boots, platform shoes, open-toe and open-heel shoes
- Hats worn indoors
- Exposed underwear or T-shirts larger and longer than outer shirts
- Oversized pants or shirts
- Sleeveless tops, tank tops, or body suits
- Tight fitting fabrics
- Cropped shirts
- Exposed midriff
- Ethnic, racial, gender-specific slurs, or alcohol, drug, tobacco advertizing on shirts

JEWELRY, HAIRSTYLES, COSMETICS, ETC.

Jewelry worn to school must be kept to a minimum. Dangling earrings, chains and bracelets, etc. can be restrictive and hazardous, as well as distracting in the classroom and on the playground. Body piercing jewelry must be limited to the ears. Students may be asked not to wear some jewelry to school.

Only natural hair color is allowed (No dyes).

Students are not to wear or bring cosmetics or make up (including glitter lip gloss) to school.

Nail polish is not permitted.

Body paint, tattoos, etc. are not permitted.

Physical Education Class Attire (Monday - Friday)

Students need to be able to move freely when they have physical education. Please check your child's PE schedule. We recommend that all students wear uniform shirts in which they have a full range of motion without restriction or discomfort.

Students must wear athletic shoes for PE with sufficient support, tied or secured with velcro.

Rain/snow/cowboy/hiking boots, snow trekkers, platform shoes, open-toe and open-heel shoes are not acceptable for PE.

EXCEPTIONS TO THE UNIFORM POLICY

Some field trips and special events may call for appropriate, non-uniform clothing such as hiking clothes or dress clothes. Parents are informed in advance of such occasions.

Lower School Choir, Rowmark, and Chess Club shirts are allowed on designated days.

Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts may wear scout uniforms on meeting days.

UNIFORM RECYCLING

The Home and School Association organizes "gently used" uniform sales several times each year. The first sale is on the first day of school.

APPROVED ROWLAND HALL UNIFORM SUPPLIERS

RH SCHOOL STORE

See <u>www.rowlandhall.org/store</u>. The school receives a portion of the proceeds.

LANDS' END

The Preferred School Contribution Program donates 3% of your net sales from Lands' End School uniform purhases back to Rowland Hall. You must include the Preferred School number (9001-0397-9) when ordering. Catalogs are available at the Lower School. The following ordering options are available: Phone:1-800-469-2222 or www.landsend.com/school

DENNIS UNIFORM COMPANY

Dennis Uniform Company, 3560 South Main, SLC, or www.dennisuniform.com. The RH code is R3M.

Catalogs are available at the Lower School.

HOME AND SCHOOL

RH Lower School used uniforms available in the main office.

If uniforms are purchased from other vendors, they must have the same color, style, fit and look as the approved uniform suppliers.