



Essex County Schools of Technology

ESSEX COUNTY WEST CALDWELL SCHOOL OF TECHNOLOGY

2021-2022

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The West Caldwell Tech Uniform/Student Dress Code Policy was implemented to maintain a safe, respectful, and positive learning environment and to model good citizenship. All clothing worn to school should be appropriate to a school setting and weather conditions. Students are required to use good judgment, to respect themselves and others, and to demonstrate modesty in selecting attire. Both students and parents share the responsibility for the student's attire because clothing often sets the tone for academics and behavior.

- ✓ THE UNIFORM POLICY WILL BE STRICTLY ADHERED TO FROM THE FIRST TO THE LAST DAY OF SCHOOL.
- ✓ SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION RESERVES THE AUTHORITY TO DETERMINE IF A STUDENT IS WEARING ATTIRE THAT IS APPROPRIATE FOR A SCHOOL SETTING AND IF SO DENY ADMISSION ON THAT DAY OR UNTIL WHICH TIME APPROPRIATE CLOTHING IS ACQUIRED.
- ✓ FAILURE TO ADHERE TO THE UNIFORM POLICY WILL RESULT IN A SATURDAY DETENTION OR SUSPENSION.
- ✓ SHIRTS, SWEATERS, AND BLAZERS MUST BE EMBROIDERED WITH THE SCHOOL LOGO.
- ✓ **NO HOODIES, COATS, JEAN JACKETS, OR NON-UNIFORM COVERINGS MAY BE WORN OVER THE SCHOOL UNIFORM IN SCHOOL DURING THE SCHOOL DAY.**

PHYSICAL EDUCATION ATTIRE

Physical Education (PE) students are required to wear the uniform purchased from the uniform vendor.

NOTE: ATHLETIC SHORTS MAY NOT BE WORN IN SCHOOL OUTSIDE OF THE GYM.

UNIFORMS MUST BE CLEANED REGULARLY.

DRESS-DOWN/SCHOOL SPIRIT DAY DRESS CODE POLICY

- ✓ On dress-down or school spirit days, clothing may not advertise, condone, depict, or promote the use of alcohol, tobacco, and/or drugs; also prohibited is clothing with vulgar or obscene language, gestures, or with images or writings that promote a disruption of the educational setting.
- ✓ Additional garments must be worn under ripped jeans to cover body parts.
- ✓ **The display of undergarments, cleavage, or midriffs is strictly prohibited.**

CLOTHING THAT MAY NOT BE WORN TO SCHOOL AT ANYTIME

- Athletic Shorts with or without pockets
- Visible or Exposed Undergarments
- See-through Clothing, Backless Tops/Halter Tops, Strapless Tops
- Bare Midriffs or Low-Cut Necklines
- Tight/Improperly Fitting Garments
- Skirts, Skorts or Shorts that are above middle finger length
- Footwear with Open toe: Flip-Flops, Sandals, Slippers or Strapless Footwear
- Sleeveless Shirts or blouses of any kind including Spaghetti Straps/A-type Undershirt, Tank Tops, etc.
- Pajamas or Pajama Style Outfits
- Saggy Pants without belts
- Ripped Jeans or shorts without garments underneath to cover body parts.
- Team jerseys without shirts underneath
- Gang-Associated Clothing, Colors, or Beads
- Hats, Head rags, Doo Rags, Bandanas, or Neck Scarves

THE ABOVE LIST IS NOT MEANT TO BE EXHAUSTIVE

REQUIRED DAILY UNIFORM ATTIRE
Effective for the first day of school – September 2, 2021

- ✓ **ORDER EARLY: EMBROIDERED ITEMS TAKE TIME TO PROCESS**
 - ✓ **PLEASE NOTE: THERE ARE MANDATORY AND OPTIONAL ITEMS**
 - ✓ **ALL UNIFORM TOPS MUST BE PURCHASED FROM THE SELECTED SCHOOL UNIFORM VENDOR AND MUST BE TUCKED IN AT ALL TIMES**
 - ✓ **NAVY PANTS, SKIRTS, SKORTS AND SHORTS CAN BE PURCHASED ELSEWHERE. NO NAVY CAMOUFLAGE ITEMS**
 - ✓ **SHOES OR SNEAKERS MAY BE WORN**
- (NO OPEN TOE FOOTWEAR ALLOWED: NO FLIP FLOPS, SLIDES, SANDALS, SLIPPERS, OR STRAPLESS FOOTWEAR. ALL FOOTWEAR WITH LACES MUST BE TIED.)**
- ✓ **IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE INQUIRE PRIOR TO PURCHASE (973-412-2233)**

<u>Girls Uniform Description:</u>	<u>Boys Uniform Description:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Navy Blue Pants, Skirts or Skorts <input type="checkbox"/> White Embroidered Long or Short Sleeve Oxford shirts from the uniform store only <input type="checkbox"/> White Embroidered Blouse <input type="checkbox"/> Belts: All pants must have a belt <input type="checkbox"/> Red and Blue Ascot tie from Uniform Store <input type="checkbox"/> Black or Blue Shoes <input type="checkbox"/> Grey Embroidered Cardigan, Pullover Sweater, or vest from the uniform store <p>Optional:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Navy Blue Embroidered Blazer from the uniform store <input type="checkbox"/> Navy Blue Knee-hi's or Tights <input type="checkbox"/> Red Polo purchased through Custom Ink 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Navy Blue Pants or Shorts (No Blue Camo) <input type="checkbox"/> White Embroidered Long or Short Sleeve Oxford shirts from the uniform store only <input type="checkbox"/> Belts: All pants or shorts must have a belt <input type="checkbox"/> Red, Blue and White tie from Uniform Store <input type="checkbox"/> Black or Blue Shoes <input type="checkbox"/> Grey Embroidered Cardigan, Pullover Sweater, or Vest from the uniform store <p>Optional:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Navy Blue Blazer (Embroidered) from the uniform store <input type="checkbox"/> Red Polo purchased thru Custom Ink

UNIFORM VENDORS

The Uniform Shop @ KIDS PLACE

196-198 Ferry Street, Newark, NJ
 Phone: (973) 344-3300

OR

126 Broad Street, Elizabeth, NJ
 Phone: (908) 355-0600

Store Hours

*Monday- Saturday 10am – 7pm
 Sunday 11am – 6pm*

*All Major Credit Cards are accepted.
 (Layaways are available)*

*Shop online @
www.kpuniformshop.com*

Flynn O’Hara

130 Baldwin Road, Parsippany-Troy Hills, NJ
 Phone: (973) 882-0833

Store Hours

*Monday 10am – 7pm
 Tuesday & Wednesday 10am – 6pm
 Thursday & Friday CLOSED
 Saturday 10am – 5pm
 Sunday CLOSED*

*All Major Credit Cards are accepted.
 (Layaways are available)*

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STRICT ADHERENCE TO THIS POLICY IS INCLUSIVE OF CTE REQUIREMENTS, FIELD TRIPS, AND ANY SCHOOL SPONSORED EVENTS. THE POLICY WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED THROUGHOUT THE SCHOOL YEAR. CONSEQUENCES OF NON-COMPLIANCE WITH THIS POLICY WILL RESULT IN A SATURDAY DETENTION. REPEATED NON-COMPLIANCE WILL LEAD TO SUSPENSION AND POSSIBLY RETURN TO DISTRICT.