



Oakdale Academy

UNIFORM GUIDE

BUILDING CULTURE

At Oakdale Academy, we have a strong desire to create a culture that upholds virtue, consistency, and decorum. Our school uniform seeks to achieve a lovely, academy-appropriate appearance so as to keep all students properly focused on their development in wisdom and character.

To assist in creating this culture, all families of our school community will create this culture by adhering to the following standards at all Oakdale community events.



APPROVED VENDORS

A daily uniform check will be performed prior to the first class of each day.

All questions of uniforms are at the discretion of the Headmaster or her designee.

Land's End

Metro School Uniforms

Used Uniform Sales: The Oakdale Parent Association (OPA) will periodically hold used uniform sales of approved uniform items.

No outside vendors may be used.

SCHOOL CRESTS

The school crest with the following details must be visible on the outermost uniform item:

- Size: 7.81 x 7.52cm
- Placement
 - Non-blazers: Upper left side of garment
 - Gentlemen's blazers: Centered on left pocket
 - Ladies' blazers: Centered with the notch of the left lapel



On white garments



On red garments



On navy/
plaid
garments
and blazers

LADIES' UNIFORM

Regular Uniform

Required M/T/Th/F

- **Polos:** red, navy, and white; short-sleeve or long-sleeve
- **Socks:** white or navy (knee socks or above the ankle; solid color with no logos); or tights (solid white or navy)
- **Skirts/skorts:** khaki, navy, and plaid (no more than 2" above the knee)
- **Shoes:** Mary-Jane style or ballet flats; black, navy, or brown (solid color; no white); no straps around the ankle; no sneakers. (JrKindergarten students may wear sneakers if they choose, and do not need to wear a belt.)

Optional Items

- **Sweaters:** red or navy (must have collared uniform shirt beneath)
- **Cardigans:** red or navy
- **1/4 Zip Pullover:** red or navy
- **Pants/shorts:** khaki or navy (belt required; except for JrK)
- **Vests:** red or navy (must have collared uniform shirt beneath)
- **Leggings:** navy; may only be worn under skirts/dresses; must reach the ankle
- **Belt:** black, brown, or plaid must be worn with pants/shorts
- **Hair Accessories:** red, white, blue, navy, or plaid
- **Tie:** plaid
- **Grammar School: Jumpers:** khaki, navy, or plaid (no more than 2" above the knee)
- **Grammar & Logic Schools: Polo dresses:** red or navy; short-sleeve or long-sleeve (no more than 2" above the knee)

Formal Uniform

Required Wednesdays
And other days as
announced

- **Oxford Blouse:** white; short-sleeve or long-sleeve
- **Skirt:** plaid (no more than 2" above the knee)
- **Grammar School:** may wear plaid jumper in place of skirt.
- **Grammar & Logic Schools:** no blazer required
- **Rhetoric School Only:** blazer with crest

GENTLEMEN'S UNIFORM

Regular Uniform

Required M/T/Th/F

- **Polos:** red, navy, or white; short-sleeve or long-sleeve
- **Pants or shorts:** khaki or navy (belt required)
- **Socks:** navy, black or tan; solid color with no logos; must go above the ankle
- **Belt:** black or brown (no belt required in JrKindergarten)
- **Shoes:** dress shoes; black or brown; solid color, no white on uppers; no sneakers. (*Junior Kindergarten students may choose to wear sneakers.*)

Optional Items

- **Sweaters:** red or navy (must have collared uniform shirt beneath)
- **1/4 Zip Pullover:** red or navy
- **Vests:** red or navy (must have collared uniform shirt beneath)

Formal Uniform

Required Wednesdays
And other days as
announced

- **Oxford Shirts:** white; short-sleeve or long-sleeve
- **Tie:** plaid
- **Belt:** black or brown
- **Pants:** khaki; full length (no shorts; belt required)
- **Shoes:** dress shoes; black or brown; solid color; no white on uppers; no sneakers
- **Grammar & Logic Schools:** no blazer required
- **Rhetoric School Only:** blazer with crest



APPEARANCE

- Students must attend to personal hygiene, ensuring cleanliness and tidiness of hair and attire at all times.
- Students should not be repeatedly reminded about tucking in shirts.
- All students' hair should be a natural hair color and not be extreme or faddish.
- Gentlemen should be clean shaven.
- Hair for gentlemen should be no longer than collar length, not covering the ears or eyes.
- Ladies must ensure that their skirt or dresses are no shorter than 2" above the knee at all times.
- Hair accessories for ladies must compliment the uniform and be red, white, or navy.
- Lip, nose, and eyebrow piercings should not be worn at school.

NON-UNIFORM DAYS

During non-uniform days, we expect students to refrain from wearing tight-fitting clothing, shirts that reveal a midriff (even if covered by another shirt), leggings, clothing that reveals undergarments/straps, and clothing that draws attention to private areas of the body. All students may wear athletic or comfortable non-uniform shoes on these days. No high heels, flip-flops, or other impractical shoes may be worn.

BLUE JEANS DAYS

On designated Blue Jeans Days, students may wear comfortable, loose-fitting, full-length, only blue in color denim jeans with an approved Oakdale Academy spirit wear shirt.

GAME DAYS

On days when games are scheduled, athletes on that team may wear their team warm-up jackets (not polos) or varsity letter jackets (if they have an earned varsity letter from OA) over their regular uniform attire.

BIRTHDAYS

On their birthday (or half-birthday for summer birthdays), students may have a free Blue Jeans Day. If their birthday falls on a Chapel Day or other formal uniform day, the student must celebrate their birthday Blue Jeans Day the day before or after.