## SUNSET ELEMENTARY SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICY


#### Abstract

All students are required to wear school uniforms at Sunset Elementary. A safe and disciplined learning environment is the first requirement of an effective school. Students who are safe and secure and learn basic values and the essentials of good citizenship, do better in school. School uniforms are a positive way to reduce discipline problems and improve school safety and security.


The potential benefits of school uniforms include:

- helping students concentrate on schoolwork;
- helping school officials recognize intruders;
- helping students resist peer pressure;
- increasing school safety by reducing incidents of bullying, theft, and violence; and
- building school spirit by creating a sense of teamwork.

Please note that as part of our uniform policy, school bookbags may not be rolling. Only backpacks are allowed in school as rolling bookbags are a safety hazard. If necessary, speak with your child's teachers to ensure the school bookbags are not too heavy and limited to only essential items.

All students are expected to wear the uniforms beginning the first day of the school year. Please refer to School Board Policy 5511 - Dress Code and School Uniforms for more information on the requirements. You may also visit our school website at sunsetinternationalschools.com for our complete uniform policy and to receive the latest news regarding school uniforms. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the school office at 305-661-8527.

## Sunset Elementary School Uniform Policy



Polo Uniform Shirt Colors White, Gold, Royal Blue, Navy

Polo Long Sleeve White, Royal Blue, Navy


SUNSET ELEMENTARY INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL


Pants

Skirts/Skorts


Cardigan Sweater


Rain Jacket

Sunset Elementary School is a mandatory uniform school. Students will be asked to call home if they are not in uniform to have their parents bring them the appropriate uniform attire. Students are required to wear uniforms to school every day.

The selected school uniform or generic option may be purchased from a variety of sources, such as uniform companies, department/retail stores, on-line retailers, catalogs, etc.

TOPS: White, royal, navy and/or gold polo shirts
Polo-style dress, in navy, is also approved. Selected school T-shirts may be worn only on Fridays.

Uniform logo patches are not available.
Jackets and sweaters, ONLY in navy; see styles below.
A white polo is required for special occasions/events.
BOTTOMS: Navy or khaki pants, shorts, skirts and/or, with shorts and/or skorts at a length just above the knees.

SHOES: Closed toe and back shoes at all times; see approved styles below. White ankle height socks are to be worn with approved closed toe shoes.


## RESTRICTIONS:

The following articles of clothing are not permitted:
-athletic or gym shorts
-leggings
-sweatpants
-capris
-jean/denim fabric
-shoes/laces with lights/sounds
-caps
-visors
-sunglasses
-bandanas
-knee high socks
-studded earrings
-long/oval large hoop earrings
-large chains or rings
-sandals, platform or wheel/roller shoes

## OTHER:

-Tops must be tucked in at all times
-Tops must be in appropriate size and length
-Bottoms must be worn to the waist and accompanied by a belt if skirt or pants have loops

