Dunbar Creative and Performing Arts Magnet Middle School
Uniform Policy 2026-27

The justification of our uniform policy is as follows:

- To create an atmosphere conducive to learning and minimize disruptions attributable to personal appearance, conduct, grooming, hygiene, and attire.
- To foster an attitude of respect for authority, and to prepare students to enter the workplace, which often has rules regarding dress, conduct, and appearance.
- To ensure that the conduct and grooming of students who represent MCPSS in extracurricular activities creates a favorable impression of the System.

In accordance with MCPSS, Dunbar Magnet School administration, teachers, and staff will strictly enforce our uniform policy. The administrative team will make final decisions pertaining to compliance with the policy and discipline as a result of non-compliance. Responsibility for proper uniforms and appearance of the students begin with parents.

Girls' Shirts	Boys' Shirt
6th Grade: Yellow Oxford button down collar (long/short sleeved) **7th Grade:** Light blue Oxford button down collar (long/short sleeved) **8th Grade:** White Oxford button down (long/short sleeved) ***ALL shirts must have DMS monogrammed on the LEFT collar ('1/2" in height and 1" in length) Uppercase block lettering in "Navy Blue"*** *Shirts must remain tucked in at all times. This includes compliance on the bus, carline, gym, and cafeteria.* **SOLID WHITE UNDERSHIRTS ONLY** **No** PE shirts, or shirts with emblem, writing, or color under uniform shirts.	**6th Grade**: Yellow Oxford button down collar (long/short sleeved) **7th Grade:** Light blue Oxford button down collar (long/short sleeved) **8th Grade:** White Oxford button down (long/short sleeved) ***ALL shirts must have DMS monogrammed on the LEFT collar ('1/2" in height and 1" in length) Uppercase block lettering in "Navy Blue"*** *Shirts must remain tucked in at all times. This includes compliance on the bus, carline, gym, and cafeteria.* **SOLID WHITE UNDERSHIRTS ONLY** **No** PE shirts, or shirts with emblem, writing, or color under uniform shirts.
Girls' Bottoms	**Boys' Bottoms**
Light Khaki pants, traditional uniform style. Must sit at natural waist. **No shorts/skorts, jeggings, or skinny.** Skirts- #37 plaid – Navy and red plaid pattern – **NO** solid Khaki. Navy shorts must be worn under skirts. ***Length must measure no shorter than 3" from the middle of the kneecap and 3" from the back of the knee crease for the entire year. Allow seam for extra growth*** **Belt:** Solid black or navy-blue belt with small buckle. **No** ornaments or studs. Must be visible at all times.	Light Khaki pants, traditional uniform style. Must sit at natural waist. **No shorts/skorts, jeggings, or skinny.** **Belt:** Solid black or navy-blue belt with small buckle. **No** ornaments or studs. Must be visible at all times.
Pants must be worn at the natural waistline, and belt loops must be visible at all times. No low-cut, skinny, cargo jean, or boot cut styles allowed. Students must wear traditional uniform style pants.	