UNIFORM AND PERSONAL APPEARANCE

Uniforms encourage students to focus on an educational atmosphere that emphasizes learning rather than the latest fashion. It is the school's desire to keep the school uniform simple and easy to enforce. **Uniforms should be neat and clean, reflecting pride in our school and respect for oneself.** The following rules are not meant to disregard a child's heritage but to make a uniform policy easier to administer:

- All uniforms must bear the official SJE school logos.
- Uniforms must be purchased at the following uniform stores: J&R Clothing in Fayetteville, Flynn O'Hara in Sandy Springs, or the SJE Used Uniform Store.
- All uniforms must be sized correctly and worn appropriately (i.e., shirts tucked in, ties tied at the neckline, collars buttoned down, long sleeve shirts not rolled up).
- Worn, torn, or outgrown shoes and uniforms (including shirts with bleached out logos) may not be worn and must be replaced promptly.
- Plain white T-shirts may be worn under the uniform shirt as long as the sleeves are shorter than the uniform shirt.
- Pants, shorts, and skirts must fit properly and be worn at the natural waistline.
- Underwear should not be visible at any time.
- Shorts shorter than the skirts and jumpers must be worn underneath skirts or jumpers for modesty
- Label all uniform pieces with your child's name using a permanent marker.
- Shoes may be purchased at any location that sells <u>solid black leather</u> tennis shoes with non-marking soles. Any logo on the shoe must also be black. Acceptable styles include, but are not limited to, New Balance 680v6, KX624, 623v3, 624v2, 577. Both tie and Velcro styles are acceptable for students in grades 1-8. Girls may also wear the Keds Kids School Days II Saddle Shoe.
- Pre-K and Kindergarten students <u>must wear Velcro</u> all black New Balance 624 (or similar style solid black Velcro leather) tennis shoes or the Stride Rite Cooper 2.0 hook and loop shoe. Pre-K and Kindergarten girls may also wear the Keds Kids School Days II Saddle Shoe (on dress uniform days only).
- The warm weather dress uniform is optional and may be worn during Daylight Savings Time.

The school's Used Uniform Store offers gently used uniform pieces for \$5 each, subject to availability. Please contact the school office if you wish to purchase used uniforms or donate gently used items.

PE Uniform (PK-8th Grade)

Shirts – Dark Gray T-shirt (short or long sleeve, color is 'sport gray' at J&R Clothing and 'light steel' at Flynn O'Hara) with navy heat pressed SJE PE logo

Shorts – Navy blue mesh uniform shorts with white heat pressed SJE PE logo

Sweatshirt – Navy blue with white heat pressed SJE PE logo

**Note: Hoodies may not be substituted for the uniform PE sweatshirt

Sweatpants – Navy blue uniform sweatpants with heat pressed SJE PE logo

Warm-up Pants (Optional for all grades) – Navy blue with white piping warm-up pants – ONLY available at Flynn O'Hara

Warm-up Jacket (Optional for all grades) – Navy blue with white piping warm-up jacket – ONLY available at Flynn O'Hara

Socks - Dark or white ankle or crew socks (no emblems/writing; no low cut/no-show socks) PE Shoes - solid black leather (tie or Velcro) uniform shoes (like New Balance 680v6, KX624, 623v3, 624v2, 577, or similar styles) **Note: Pre-K and Kindergarten <u>must wear Velcro</u> all black New Balance 624v2 (or similar solid black leather Velcro shoes) or the Stride Rite Cooper 2.0 hook and loop shoe