

# 2016 - 2017 Bridge School Student Dress Code Policy

With the exception of designated *out-of-uniform days* for special events, the following dress code is in effect for all students in grades 1<sup>st</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup>.

All uniforms must be clean and appropriate.

**TOPS:** PLAIN white, blue or black and must be long enough to meet the bottoms without showing skin. Undergarment must also be plain so it does not show through with a pattern or different color.

A sweater or sweatshirt may be worn over the appropriate uniform top if it is PLAIN white, blue or black. No outerwear (coats, heavy vests, etc.) will be worn during the school day.

*Bridge School* shirts, t-shirts or sweatshirts may be worn any day.

**BOTTOMS:** **PLAIN navy blue or black dress pants/shorts/skirts – NO JEANS.** Skirts, skorts or shorts must be no more than 3 inches above the top of the knee. Pants need to fit properly at the waist – no baggy pants.

Socks, leggings and legwarmers must be PLAIN white, navy blue or black. Leggings/yoga pants may be worn ONLY under skirts or with a top long enough to cover hips and buttocks/groin area.

*Bridge School* sweatpants, flannel pants or shorts may be worn any day.

**SHOES:** must be a style with a closed heel or strap at the heel. No flip-flops.

NO bandanas, head sweatbands or wristbands, do-rags, scarves, hats, gloves or sunglasses will be worn after the outerwear has been removed (except for religious or cultural purposes).

The only earrings that may be worn are stud or post – no hoop or dangling earrings for safety purposes. Any other piercings must be covered or removed. A clear piercing retainer may be used in its place.

The school administration reserves the right to restrict the wearing of any clothing, make-up, jewelry, hair style or manner of dress that is thought to be disruptive to the educational process or is known to be representative of any group or cause which is contrary to the educational purposes of Bridge School.

**STUDENT IDS:** For safety and security purposes all 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade Bridge Jr. High students are required to wear their Bridge School ID on their Bridge School lanyard at all times during the school day and at all before/after school sponsored events.

***Consequences for violating the Bridge School Dress Code Policy are listed in the CPS Student Code of Conduct.***