

Brinkley School District
Proposed Uniform Dress Code for Students

A Uniform Dress Code has been established for P-12 students in the Brinkley School District. Student attire should be comfortable, clean, and appropriate at all times.

Pants

Khaki style pants shall be solid color in either khaki, navy, or black shall be worn at waist level, they shall be of appropriate size no more than 1 size larger than normal (for example, waist size is a true 32, pant cannot be larger than a 34 waist), must be hemmed, and may be cuffed or uncuffed but should not touch the ground. Pant legs cannot be rolled. Skirts shall be solid color in either khaki or navy and shall be worn at waist level and extend to within two inches of the middle knee. Pants and skirts with large “cargo” style pockets are not appropriate. Pants and skirts may be beltless style or have belt loops. Those with belt loops shall be worn with a belt of a length appropriate to waist size in black or brown, and the belt must be buckled. When shirts are tucked in, the belt and/or waistband must be visible. Belts will be black, navy, or brown. It may be made of fabric or leather. The belt must run through all loops. It cannot hang longer than the student’s thumb and index finger spread apart with the thumb starting on any part of the buckle. Belt buckles must be plain with no initials, emblems, jewels, rhinestones, or symbols.

Girls may wear skirts, jumpers (with an appropriate top underneath), pants, Capri-style pants, and skirts in solid color khaki, navy or black. The jumpers shall extend to within two inches of the middle knee.

When weather permits (as determined by the building principal) students may wear shorts to school. They shall be the same style as the pants described above, be solid khaki, navy or black in color, and shall extend to within two inches of the middle knee.

Jeans, denim pants, denim skirts, denim jumpers, and pants and skirts of stretch material, terry cloth, corduroy, or those with any type of logo or tag are not allowed. Sagging pants shall not be worn.

Shirts

Polo style tops shall be solid color in black, navy, gold, or white with no more than three (3) buttons. They shall be of appropriate size no more than one (1) size larger than normal (for example, if normal shirt size is medium, the shirt cannot be larger than large), have a collar and must be worn with shirttail tucked into the pants or skirt. Polo tops may be either short-sleeve or long-sleeve, but they may not be sleeveless. Students may wear undershirts/t-shirts beneath the polo shirts, however they must be solid black, navy, gold, or white. Neither polo tops nor undershirts/t-shirts shall have words, pictures, or emblems on them.

Shoes

Shoes must be closed toe with heel strap and predominantly white, black, or brown. Trim on shoes may be a different color. They may be lace-up style, Velcro or slip-on. Those with laces must be laced up and tied. Those with Velcro must be fastened. They may be either sneaker or hard sole style. "Flip-flops," sandals, house shoes, and steel-toed boots are not allowed.

Only white, black, or brown shoelaces are allowed. Laces must be the thin style only. No multi-colored laces are permitted.

Socks must be white, black, navy, or brown. They cannot go above mid-calf. A sock must be worn on each foot, they must be the same color, and they must be the same height. Footies or no show socks are allowed. In addition to socks, girls may wear tights, leggings, and panty hose in black, brown, or navy.

Shoes with any type of wheels are not allowed (for example, spinners and heeleys).

Outerwear

Outerwear, including heavy coats, fleece pullovers, and sweatshirts with or without hoods are not allowed to be worn inside the school building. If students wear those items to school, they must be removed upon entry into the school building.

Lightweight jackets or sweaters in navy, black, khaki, or white may be worn inside during cold weather. Such items should button, snap, or zip all the way down the front. Pullovers and apparel with hoods are not allowed.

Jewelry

Jewelry may be worn. Chains and necklaces must be put inside uniforms. Students may wear no more than two sets of earrings. One ring on each hand is allowed. No visible body piercing is allowed other than ears. No students may have jewelry that presents a safety risk, can be used as a weapon, or infers gang affiliation. No wrist or ankle bracelets are allowed.

Headwear

No headgear is allowed (hats, visors, sweatbands, bandanas, etc.).

Hair

Multicolored or painted hair is not allowed. No student will be allowed to leave an ordinary hair comb, pick, or brush in their hair.

Additional Information

Students may not wear all navy blue, all black, or any combination of navy blue and black.

Students are not required to wear the school uniform during after school activities however, they are still expected to dress appropriately and to present a neat appearance at all times.

Students may not have additional items that are not part of the school uniforms and are not being worn. They may not be “flagging” any article (for example, washcloths, extra t-shirts, towels, bandanas, etc.).

Sunglasses are not allowed at any time.

Please remember to mark all items of clothing such as coats, jackets, sweaters, gloves, etc., with identification.

Spirit wear may be worn at the discretion of the principal on designated days (for example, school t-shirts, jerseys, cheerleader gear).

Incoming students who are new to the district will have a five (5) day window after registration to comply with the dress code.

Consequences, C. B. Partee Elementary School (P-6)

Students who violate the above rules will be subject to disciplinary action.

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| 1 st Offense | If a required part of the uniform is missing the parent will be notified to bring the appropriate article and the student will be placed in ISS that day until the parent brings the item. |
| 2 nd Offense | Student will be placed in ISS for 1 day. |
| 3 rd Offense | Student will be placed in ISS for 3 days. |
| 4 th Offense | Student will be placed in ISS for 5 days. |
| 5 th Offense | Student will be disciplined based on the circumstances and discretion of the principal, and may include additional ISS days or suspension from school. |

Consequences, Brinkley High School (7-12)

Students who violate the above rules will be subject to disciplinary action.

- 1st Offense If a required part of the uniform is missing the parent will be notified to bring the appropriate article and the student will be placed in ISS that day until the parent brings the item.
- 2nd Offense Student will be suspended for 1 day.
- 3rd Offense Student will be suspended for 3 days.
- 4th Offense Student will be suspended for 5 days.