



**UNIFORM POLICY**

Pinecrest Academy of Nevada will be following a policy of standard student attire. By wearing school uniforms, students will become part of a team. It is this team effort and sense of belonging that will help students experience a greater sense of identify and promote academic excellence.

We are committed to keeping the cost of uniforms as low as possible for our families. Please visit our uniform vendor to shop: [www.alluniformwear.com](http://www.alluniformwear.com)

Article	Color	Guidelines
<b>Shirts</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Navy (accepted at all Pinecrests)</li> <li>• Crimson/Burgundy</li> <li>• Grey</li> <li>• White</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be purchased at the uniform store and monogrammed.</li> <li>• May wear a solid navy, crimson/burgundy, grey, or white long-sleeved shirt under a monogrammed polo shirt.</li> </ul>
<b>Pants Shorts Skirts Jumpers</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Navy (accepted at all Pinecrests)</li> <li>• Tan/Khaki (accepted at all Pinecrests)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Form fitting, skinny cut, cargo, denim material, denim style pockets, tapered and/or elastic at the ankle, and all other variations are not acceptable for wear.</li> <li>• Slacks <b>ONLY</b> will be acceptable for pants.</li> <li>• Shorts and skirts must be <b>at least fingertip length</b> and may not be cut-offs.</li> <li>• Jumpers must be monogrammed and purchased from the vendor.</li> <li>• <i>*It is highly recommended that uniform pants be purchased through the uniform vendor, as these are the acceptable styles.</i></li> </ul>
<b>Socks</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Solid <b>ONLY</b> – Black, White, or School Colors</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Brand names, logos, and any other variations of designs or colors will not be permitted.</li> <li>• Socks must be fully solid in color (school colors).</li> </ul>
<b>Leggings Tights</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Solid Navy (accepted at all Pinecrests)</li> <li>• Solid Crimson/Burgundy</li> <li>• Solid Grey</li> <li>• Solid White</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• May <b>not</b> be worn as pants.</li> <li>• May only be worn under skirts, jumpers or PE shorts</li> <li>• Available for purchase at the vendor.</li> </ul>
<b>Shoes</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No preference</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Closed toe required and appropriate for playground use. High heels and Heelys are not permitted.</li> </ul>
<b>Jackets Hoodies Cardigans Sweaters</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Monogrammed Navy (accepted at all Pinecrests)</li> <li>• Panther Spirit Sweatshirt (uniform shirt <b>MUST</b> be underneath)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be purchased at the uniform store and monogrammed.</li> <li>• May wear a solid navy, crimson/burgundy, grey, or white long-sleeved shirt under a monogrammed polo shirt.</li> </ul>
<b>Outerwear</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No preference</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Coats, Sweatshirts, Sweaters, Hoodies, etc. that do not adhere to the policy may <b>ONLY</b> be worn outdoors and must be removed prior to entering the classroom. No preference of color or style. Only school appropriate graphics are permissible on campus.</li> </ul>
<b>PE Shirt</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Grey</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pinecrest Athletics T-shirt</li> <li>• May wear a solid navy, crimson/burgundy, grey, or white long-sleeved shirt under a monogrammed PE shirt.</li> <li>• PE attire may only be worn on days the student has PE.</li> </ul>
<b>PE Short PE Pant</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Solid Navy (accepted at all Pinecrests)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Loose-fitting</li> <li>• Limited branding if not purchased from vendor</li> <li>• Must be fingertip length</li> <li>• <i>*It is highly recommended that athletic shorts/pants be purchased through the uniform vendor, as these are the acceptable styles.</i></li> <li>• PE attire may only be worn on days the student has PE.</li> </ul>
<b>Spirit Day</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jeans</li> <li>• Pinecrest shirt or Pinecrest Team Wear</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Allowed <b>ONLY</b> on designated spirit days.</li> <li>• Students are permitted to wear jeans and a Pinecrest Spirit Shirt or other Pinecrest activities shirt.</li> <li>• Jeans <b>MAY NOT</b> have holes, rips, tears, etc. and must be school appropriate.</li> <li>• "Jeggings" are <b>NOT</b> considered jeans.</li> </ul>
<b>Hair</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Natural</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Students' hair must be of natural color and style that will not create distraction.</li> </ul>

<b>Piercings</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• N/A</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Only piercing of the ears is allowed.</li> <li>• No visible facial or body piercings are permitted, including but not limited to nose, lip, tongue or eyebrow piercings.</li> <li>• Excessive earring loops or length is not allowed nor are spiked gauges.</li> </ul>
<b>Accessories</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• N/A</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Belts must be worn through belt loops and may not hang down, have a large buckle, spikes or chains. Belts must be brown or black.</li> <li>• Hair accessories are to be solid colors (no patterns or stripes) and worn in school colors only. No hats are permitted inside the building.</li> </ul>

***\*\*The uniform policy will be enforced through the progressive discipline plan.\*\****

**A Few Clarifications on the Dress Code:**

**Pants:** Tan/Khaki or Navy shorts, skirts, slacks (see the uniform options on our website for styles).

The biggest clarification here is on the pants – the permitted style is slacks. This means no corduroy pants, no cargo pants, no skinny jeans, no leggings or any other style that is not a "slacks" type style. They are intended to look like professional dress and help promote an environment of higher education, preparing them to enter a professional world.

Many stores sell “uniform clothing” that is not in the Pinecrest dress code. We are happy to permit parents to buy uniform shorts, skirts and slacks at businesses other than our vendor if that works better for cost and/or convenience for your family; however, we ask that you are careful to purchase items that are the same style as the items offered through our vendor.

The shorts and slacks on our website are a loose fitting style and could easily be identified as “dress pants”.

Please consider purchasing through our vendor – the pants are high quality and are still cost effective. Slacks, shorts and skirts are all under \$20 and are available for same day take home at the uniform vendor. This makes convenient and easy shopping for parents and the kids will certainly be in dress code.

If you choose to purchase clothing from other retailers, here are a few things to look for:

- “Flat Front Pants” – generally means this is an item that is going to work.
- “Classic Fit” – generally means this is an item that is going to work. Please check the overall style.
- “Skinny” is a big flag that these are NOT going to be in dress code.
- The overall style and cut – if they are trendy and look like a jeans type cut with pockets sewn on the outside of the pant, these are NOT going to be in dress code.

A few vendors which have been found to carry acceptable styles include Old Navy, Target, Walmart, JCPenney, and Kohl's. If pants are purchased from these stores, it does not guarantee that the style is appropriate, again, please check the vendor for the appropriate cuts of pants and help the school maintain a uniformed environment.

**Shirt:** Grey, Crimson/Burgundy, White or Navy monogrammed (see the uniform options on our website for styles)

Families are welcome to use long sleeved shirts under uniform shirts for warmth if needed (however long sleeved uniform shirts are available on our website). If you choose to use long sleeved shirts under a short sleeved uniform shirt, they are required to be Pinecrest colors – grey, navy, white or crimson/burgundy.

Please note – all students need to have a monogrammed shirt with the Pinecrest logo. If your child would like to wear a jumper (they are available on our website) it must have a Pinecrest logo – as it will cover up a uniform shirt.

Jumpers need to be worn with a collared shirt (uniform style – either polo or oxford shirt) underneath. These do not need to be monogrammed since they will be covered by the jumper and the jumper will have the logo. Shirts under jumpers should be a Pinecrest color.

**Leggings/Tights:** Solid Crimson/Burgundy, Navy, Grey & White.

**Jackets (if worn in the classroom):** Navy (monogrammed is required, see the uniform options on our website for styles). Since students are only allowed to wear monogrammed jackets or sweaters in the classroom, we suggest that is what you send with your student so that they can be confident they will not be out of dress code in the classroom. Please make sure that your student's name is somewhere on the jacket, in case it finds its way to the lost and found. Panther Spirit Sweatshirts are permitted to be worn as well; however, a uniform shirt **MUST** be worn underneath at all times.

**PE:** Grey, St. Rose T-Shirt and solid Navy Athletic shorts/pants.

The main issue we see with athletic wear are shorts that are not a solid color. Please be aware of stripes down the side of shorts or other markings that would not adhere to the dress code. If your child has PE, athletic shorts or pants are allowed during the entire school day.

PE T-Shirts are optional. If your student prefers a regular uniform shirt they are welcome to wear those to PE.

The PE T-Shirts are just an additional option.

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