Putnam County Charter School System Dress Code

Putnam County Charter School System seeks to promote a positive and safe learning environment with the establishment of a uniform dress codes policy. No student should dress in a manner that is disruptive to or has an adverse effect on school. These minimum standards for student attire have been developed. The school principal will make the final determination of whether a student's attire or appearance conflicts with these standards.

TOPS

- Tops must be of solid color. Shirts must be collared golf or polo shirts, long or short sleeved color style shirts, button down collared shirts, or turtle necks. Shirts may have school insignia, if one is chosen, and other insignia is permitted if smaller than a quarter.
- All shirts must be tucked in for girls and boys.
- Tee shirts & thermal undergarment that are in a solid color may be worn UNDER the uniform top.
- Solid colored sweaters and vests may be worn over uniform shirts.

Bottoms

Girls and Boys

- Solid blue, black or Khaki shorts, skirts, skorts and jumpers, capris, or pants/slacks.
- All shorts, skirts, skorts, dresses, and jumpers must be knee length.
- Jeans are permitted on Fridays at PCPS
- Belt buckles must be plain and of a solid color. They should not be oversized. They should not bear offensive messages, images, nor have an electronic belt buckle.

Clothing should fit properly so that no underwear is showing.

Outer Wear

- The Uniform Dress Code shall not prohibit students from wearing coats, jackets and sweater when necessary due to weather conditions. Trench coats and dusters are not permitted.
- Wind shirts, sweaters, sweater vests, sweatshirts or fleeces must be of a solid color and must be worn over the uniform shirt. If the extra garment has a hood, the hood cannot be worn in the building.

Professional/Formal Wear

 Students may wear professional attire such as dresses, suits and ties as approved by principal.

Footwear

- Flip-flops, house shoes and athletic flip-flops are not permitted during the week.
- Shoes designed for laces must be laced and tied. Shoes with Velcro straps must be firmly strapped at all times.
- All students must wear socks unless they have on sandals.

Exceptions

- The principal may establish non uniform days such as spirit days.
- A student may wear the uniform of a national recognized youth organization such as Boy Scouts or Girl Scouts, as approved by the principal.
- School organizations, clubs, and teams may be permitted to wear their uniforms or organizations shirts during the instructional day, as approved by the principal.