

OMS Dress Code (Clarifications)

Students and parents need to be aware of the importance of good grooming and its effect upon the learning environment. Good taste is knowing where and when to wear the appropriate clothing and accessories. Since the home provides the funds, guidance, and upkeep of the student's clothing worn in school, it is the responsibility of the parent to see that grooming reflects the modesty and good taste expected in school. The following dress and grooming requirements are to be followed by all students as may be reasonably determined by the Principal. Other requirements may be made to avoid disruption of the educational process. **When a question arises on a clarification, Administration will refer to Rule #11, "Dress and Grooming Code" in the Collier County Code of Student Conduct.**

ID Badges

– Students are issued an ID badge and a lanyard at no cost at the start of the new school year. Students must wear and properly display their badge by wearing it around their neck with the school issued lanyard. Students must not alter their badge in any way. Failure to wear the badge, or display it properly will/can result in disciplinary actions in accordance with a dress code violation. If a student loses his/her badge a replacement badge can be purchased

Tops

Any solid color collared polo style shirt, long or short sleeved. Logo acceptable if smaller than 2" in size or without logo is fine as well. Bottom of shirt 1-3" below waist.

Any OMS shirt is acceptable on Spirit Days only.

Shirts meant to be worn as a stand alone shirt MAY NOT be worn over the polo style shirt. Example: T-shirts (short & long sleeve) over the polo shirt.

Bottoms/Dresses

Solid color knee length **dresses**, shorts, skorts or skirts. **(refer to rule 11, #10 concerning length)**

Solid color pants or jeans (no jeggings, yoga pants, or other "stretch" materials, or sophies).

All bottoms must sit at waist.

No athletic shorts, sweat pants, or stretchy (lycra or lycra-like) material.

Footwear

Closed toe AND heel shoes only. No clogs or croc-style shoes

No heels, wheels, or rollers.

Outerwear

Hooded sweatshirts are permitted as long as polo collar showing and no logo greater than 2 inches is visible. Button down sweater with polo collar showing are also permitted as outerwear.

Outerwear is defined as a sweatshirt, sweater, or jacket. (the material is of a heavier quality material – thicker than the average long & short sleeve t-shirt)

Shirts intended/meant, by the manufacturer to be worn as shirts cannot substitute as a jacket/outerwear. Example: Long sleeve flannel-style shirts worn over a polo is not permitted; a button down dress shirt is not permitted over a polo shirt.