



ODYSSEY CHARTER SCHOOL

Updated Uniform Policy : 2024/2025 School Year

The Odyssey dress code has been established to support and encourage a standard of respect for all scholars and results in a higher standard of behavior. The dress code guidelines indicate appropriate school dress for normal school days. Odyssey Charter School administration reserves the right to interpret these guidelines and/or make changes during the academic school year.

School uniforms shall be worn by every scholar in attendance, every day and will be strictly enforced.

If scholars are in violation of the dress code:

1. Scholars will be sent to the office/ISS to call parents
2. Once dress code is corrected the student may return to class
3. If dress code is NOT corrected, the scholar will remain in In School Suspension for the remainder of the day
4. If scholar is a habitual violator, the policy will be followed with Out of School Suspension and/or expulsion

Uniforms are to be purchased from the following vendor **ONLY:**

1. J&R Clothing
 - a. 600 W. Lanier Ave, Fayetteville, GA 30214
 - b. Phone: (770)461-3440
 - c. <https://www.jandrclothing.com/>

Section 1: Uniform Attire

Shirts:

1. Black, White, and Gold Polo shirts-(long or short sleeves) must have Odyssey logo
2. White Oxford Shirt with the Odyssey logo
3. Shirts must be tucked in at all times

*****All Scholars must have 1 Black Odyssey Polo for Field Trips*****

Slacks/Shorts:

1. Pants, skirts, shorts, or skorts must be khaki or plaid as specified by the vendors.

*****All shorts/skirts/skorts must be mid -length*****

Socks/Shoes:

1. Black or white low cut tennis shoes. High tops will be allowed this year.
2. Black dress shoes

***** Tights, ankle, or knee socks must be solid in color *****

Jackets/Sweaters:

1. Must have Odyssey logo and should be purchased through specified vendors

*****NO hooded jackets or sweatshirts*****

Belts:

1. Brown or black belts must be worn with pants or shorts in grades 4th-8th

Hair:

1. Headbands or bows may be worn to match uniforms.
2. Hair designs are not permitted including: Mohawks, shapes, sport logos

***** No hair wraps, hats, or head coverings except of religious standards *****

Face Covering:

1. No longer allowed unless it is required per our nurses' recommendations at which point a medical mask will be given.

Section 2. IMMEDIATE DRESS CODE VIOLATIONS (Shall Not Be Worn at School)

- Hoodies worn in the building
- Jackets with hoods worn on the property
- Pants not worn at the waist, No Sagging
- Halter-top, tank tops, fishnet tops, and midriff blouses
- Excessively large or baggy clothing
- Tops and dresses with spaghetti straps or sleeveless
- Muscle shirts
- Shirts that advertise alcohol, tobacco, or drugs
- Short shorts and skirts (Must be mid- length)
- Shorts covered by a full-length shirt
- Bicycle pants or shorts
- Yoga pants or shorts
- Clothing with holes
- Clothing that is suggestive, advocates disobedience to society or causes a possible disruption to the school
- Clothing or attire with statements or symbols which might be deemed offensive to others, violent or of a threatening nature
- Shoes with cleats and/or wheels (Heelys) or flashing lights. Gliders, flip-flops, house slippers, house shoes, high topped tennis shoes, mid top tennis shoes or boots of any kind.
- No wheeled backpacks or tow behind cases
- Hardware chains
- Caps, hat, visors, any other headgear, and sunglasses
- Boys and girls may not wear body piercings other than earrings or studs in their earlobes.

Odyssey Charter School uniforms may not be required for all Odyssey Charter School functions i.e. athletic events, parties, and/or social gatherings. Scholars should wear clothing that is clean and suitable for school activities. Keeping in mind weather conditions, location, and type of event. See parent's handbook for specific instruction in dress code for casual events.