

SRM DRESS CODE

Albuquerque Public School's Board of Education has approved a policy which states that students at SRM will wear standard uniform dress. Some of the benefits of having uniforms are:

- The school uniform saves students from putting their fashion tastes before their learning requirements.
- Wearing the same type of dress reduces social or peer pressure in educational institutions. This minimizes incidents of bullying and theft.
- A school uniform can instill a sense of community feeling. This naturally reduces incidents of violence. Students can come to school without worrying about personal safety. Teachers can concentrate on teaching.
- A school uniform makes it easier for staff to recognize students belonging to their school. Your Principals spend less time on daily battles regarding what's appropriate or not for school and more time supporting teachers and students in the classrooms.

Students who come out of uniform will receive a warning and a note home. If student continues to come to school out of uniform the Principal's will call home. If you are a family in need of support with getting uniforms for your child please call the school at 831-5400, we are happy to help!

Guidelines of appropriate school wear are described in your Student Parent Agenda Handbook on page 8 and are listed below:

General Requirements

Students will refrain from wearing anything which promote negative behaviors (profanity, violence, drugs, alcohol, tobacco, bigotry, disrespect, or gangs) or that is highly distractive and/or disruptive. This includes jackets and hats.

SHIRTS (Boys and Girls)

Solid Colors: burgundy, light blue, navy blue, white

- Collared polo or blouse
- Shirts worn tucked in
- Turtleneck (mock or regular)
- Short or long sleeves, not sleeveless

PANTS (Boys and Girls)

Solid Colors: black, khaki, navy

- Straight-legged, regular cut
- Pleated or plain front
- Fitted at the waist
- Neither baggy or tight



SHORTS (Boys and Girls)

Solid Colors: black, khaki, navy

- Must be no shorter than two inches above knee

SKIRTS (Girls)

Solid Colors: black, khaki, navy

- Pleated or straight skirt or skort
- Must be no shorter than two inches above knee

