



## **PRESCHOOL/ELEMENTARY UNIFORM POLICY**

### **All Lower School Students**

FPD students are expected to follow the uniform guidelines outlined below. Students may only wear clothing that is approved from Lands' End Uniforms or The Viking Store. It will be the responsibility of school Administration to determine whether a uniform fits according to policy. FPD uniform colors are red, white, black or gray; khaki bottoms are also permitted. **Please label all items with your child's name.**

When wearing a short or long-sleeved undershirt with a Lands' End uniform shirt, the undershirt must be solid red, white, black or gray.

No body piercing is allowed, except for pierced ears for girls. Girls' earrings should not be dangling due to safety at PE and other times during the school day. If accessories, outerwear, or jewelry become a distraction, parents may be notified and students asked to remove and/or refrain from wearing.

### **Shoes**

Lower School students are encouraged to wear tennis shoes for safety purposes. Tennis shoes must be worn on PE days to participate. Preferably, tennis shoes should be predominantly red, white, black, or gray. Shoes on non-PE days may include dress style shoes, sandals with a back strap, and/or boots that are red, black, gray or brown, however please remember that Lower School students visit the playground daily, so tennis shoes are best. Socks should be predominately solid red, white, black or gray. Crocs and flip flops are not allowed.

### **Specific to Girls**

Skorts and dresses must not be shorter than 4" above the top of the knee. Leggings or tights may be worn under skorts in plain, solid red, white, black or gray. All accessories (including hair bows, etc.) must be in uniform colors: red, white, black or gray. Hair should be a natural hair color.

### **Specific to Boys**

All shirts must be tucked in and worn with a belt (exceptions for elastic-waisted bottoms for students in 3K, PK, and K). Pants must be worn at the natural waistline. Extreme hair styles are not allowed; hair should be a length that does not cover the ear, collar, or eyes and should be a natural hair color.

### **Spirit Fridays**

Fridays have been designated as Spirit Days. Students may wear FPD spirit-wear (jerseys, cheer tops, spirit logo shirts or t-shirts) instead of uniform shirts. Uniform bottoms must be worn unless otherwise specified, such as a Dress Down Jean Day.

### **Dress Down Days**

Select Fridays are chosen as Dress Down Days. Dress Down Days are ways FPD raises money for specific charities chosen by the students and overseen by the Community Service Director and Community Service office. In exchange for a donation to the select charity, students may wear a FPD Spirit shirt and jeans (or other approved, specified bottoms) instead of uniform bottoms.

### **Outer Wear**

Coats, sweatshirts, and jackets worn in the classroom must be from Lands' End Uniforms or The Viking Store. For colder days, a heavy jacket or overcoat may be worn into the buildings or on the playground.