



# BSS Uniform Information

## Dress Code/Uniform

### Boys

#### Kindergarten through Grade 5

##### **Pants**

- Gray twill dress pants
- Black belt
  - No belt allowed for kindergarten

##### **Shirt**

- Maroon knit collared shirt, long or short sleeve (BSS logo required starting in September 2018)
  - Shirts worn under the uniform shirt must be solid white
- Maroon pullover school sweater (optional)

##### **Summer Option**

- Gray uniform shorts
- Black belt
  - No belt allowed for Kindergarten
- Maroon knit collared shirt—must be tucked in at all times
  - T-shirts worn under the uniform shirt must be solid white
- School sweater may be worn with summer uniform
- Black or brown dress shoes
- White or black crew length socks with no logos, stripes or designs.

## **Grade 6 through Grade 8**

### **Pants**

- Gray twill dress pants
  - must be worn at the waist
- Black belt

### **Shirt**

- Long sleeve or short sleeve white collared polo shirt (BSS logo required starting in September 2018)
  - Must be tucked in at all times.
- T-shirts worn under the uniform shirt must be solid white
- Maroon or gray pullover school sweater (optional)

### **Summer Option**

- Gray uniform shorts
- Black belt
- White short-sleeve polo shirt with no emblem or logo of any kind
  - T-shirts worn under the uniform shirt must be solid white
- School sweater may be worn with summer uniform
- Black or brown dress shoes
- White or black crew length socks with no logos, stripes or designs.

## **All Boys**

### **Shoes & Socks**

- Black or brown dress shoes
  - No slippers, sneakers, moccasins, platform shoes, clogs, or boots of any type
- Crew length socks in gray, black, or white with no logos, stripes or designs.

### **Hair**

- No shaved configurations or “tails”
- No extreme lengths of hair
- Hair length shall not be allowed below the top of the collar
- No facial hair
- No unnatural coloring or highlighting

### **Miscellaneous**

- No hats
- No earrings worn in school
- No body piercing
- Necklaces must not be visible, however, religious medals are permitted providing they are of reasonable size (the homeroom teacher will have the final discretion)
- No tattoos

## **Girls**

### **Kindergarten through Grade 5**

#### **Jumper**

- Maroon BSS plaid
- Tights or bike shorts are required under the jumper for Kindergarten

**Blouse**

- Long or short sleeve white peter-pan collar blouse
- Maroon pullover or cardigan sweater (optional- BSS logo required starting in September 2019)

**Summer Option**

- Gray uniform shorts
  - No belt allowed for Kindergarten
- Pink short-sleeve collared top (BSS logo required starting in September 2019)
- Black or brown dress shoes
- White or black crew-length socks with no logos, stripes or designs
- School sweater may be worn with the summer uniform

**Grade 6 through Grade 8****Kilt**

- Gray BSS kilt – worn no more than 3” above the knee; rolling and/or pinning the kilt is not allowed

**Blouse**

- Long or short sleeve white button down oxford
  - Must be tucked in at all times.
- No colored undergarments worn under the blouse (cream or white camisole and bra)
- Maroon pullover sweater or cardigan sweater (optional - BSS logo required starting in September 2018)
- Vest (optional)

**Shirt**

- Long sleeve or short sleeve white collared polo shirt (BSS logo required starting in September 2018)
  - Must be tucked in at all times.

**Summer Option**

- Gray walking shorts
- Black belt
- Long or short-sleeve white button-down oxford
  - Must be tucked in at all times
- Black or brown dress shoes with no logos or designs
- White or black crew-length socks with no logos, stripes or designs
- School sweater may be worn with the summer uniform

**All Girls****Shoes**

- Black or brown dress shoes
- No slippers, sneakers, moccasins, platform shoes, clogs, or boots of any type
- Maroon knee-hi socks worn to the knee or tights

**Hair**

- No shaved configurations
- No extreme height
- No unnatural coloring, no highlighting

**Miscellaneous**

- No hats

- Minimal nail polish is allowed (distracting colors/patterns are at the discretion of teachers and administration)
- No body piercing (except ears)
- One pair of earrings is permitted. No dangling earrings or hoops
- No makeup or lip gloss
- Necklaces must not be visible, however, religious medals are permitted providing they are of reasonable size. (The homeroom teacher will have final discretion)
- No tattoos

**Pants (Winter/Cold Weather Option—from after Columbus Day until the first day of spring)**

- Gray uniform pants
- Black belt

**Physical Education Uniform – Kindergarten through Grade 5**

*All items that are part of the physical education uniform may only be worn on the student's physical education day.*

**Pants/Shorts**

- Gray long elastic-bottom or open-bottom sweatpants (sweatshirt material)
  - Must be worn at the waist
  - BSS logo optional
  - If no BSS logo, then sweatpants must be plain gray, without markings or lettering
- BSS logo gym shorts
  - May be worn during summer uniform time period only
  - BSS logo optional
  - If no BSS logo, then shorts must be plain gray or maroon and without markings or lettering

**Tops**

- BSS logo long or short-sleeve T-shirt (white, maroon or gray)
- BSS logo long-sleeve sweatshirt (white, maroon or gray)

**Footwear**

- Sneakers are allowed on physical education day only
- Sneakers must be flat, rubber sole type
- No platforms, distracting lights or sounds are permitted
- Sneakers must be lace tied
- White socks with no logos or designs

**Physical Education Uniform – Grade 6 through Grade 8**

*All items that are part of the physical education uniform may only be worn on the student's physical education day.*

New Option:

- Maroon warm-up jacket and pants
- Optional open-bottom sweatpants

Families/students who prefer to continue wearing the traditional sweatshirt and sweatpants are welcome to do so.

**Pants/Shorts**

- Gray long elastic-bottom or open-bottom sweatpants (sweatshirt material)
  - No Leggings or Yoga Pants allowed
  - Must be worn at the waist

- BSS logo optional
  - If no BSS logo, then sweatpants must be plain gray, without markings or lettering
- Gym shorts
  - May be worn during summer uniform time period only
  - No shorts under sweatpants
  - No spandex may be worn under shorts
  - If no BSS logo, then shorts must be plain gray or maroon, without markings or lettering

### **Tops**

- BSS logo long or short-sleeve T-shirt (white, maroon or gray)
- BSS logo long-sleeve sweatshirt (white, maroon or gray)

### **Footwear**

- Sneakers are allowed on physical education day only
- Sneakers must be flat, rubber sole type
- No platforms, distracting lights or sounds are permitted
- Sneakers must be lace tied
- White socks with no logos or designs

### **TAG Days**

Several times throughout the course of the school year students are permitted to dress in TAG (Tastefully Approved Garment) attire. These TAG days will appear on the monthly calendar. Students and their parents/guardians are asked to exercise good judgment when making their clothing choices.

#### **TAG Day Dress Code:**

- Slacks or jeans are permitted with no cutoffs, holes, patches or excessive bagginess – worn at the waist.
- Shorts are permitted (during summer uniform months ) but they should be of an appropriate length
- Skirts, dresses and jumpers are permitted with no cutoffs, holes, patches or excessive bagginess
- Sweatshirts and tee shirts are permitted providing they contain no slogans or advertisements that are offensive
- Girls may wear only one pair of earrings
- Boys are not permitted to wear earrings

#### **TAG Day attire that is not appropriate for girls:**

- No backless shirts
- No tank tops or thin strapped tops
- No bare shoulders
- No short shorts
- No visible or bare midriffs
- No extreme length of nails or colors
- No hair color or tint
- No makeup
- No tattoos
- No Yoga Pants unless covered with a long tunic/sweatshirt

#### **TAG Day attire that is not appropriate for boys:**

- No visible or bare midriffs
- No sleeveless shirts or sweatshirts
- No tank tops
- No hair color or tint
- No tattoos

**The administration and teachers will have final judgment on matters related to dress code and may require a student to modify his or her attire on uniform days and casual days**

## **Summer Uniform Dates**

Summer uniform options apply from September through Columbus Day and immediately following April vacation until the end of the school year.

## **Purchasing Uniforms**

Parents may order uniform options through:

J. B. Pride Uniform  
28 Corey Street  
West Roxbury, MA 02132  
(617) 323-8832  
www.jbprideuniforms.com  
BSS School Code: 006

Land's End Kids Uniform Catalog  
1-800-469-2222  
www.landsend.com  
BSS code: 9000 4842-2

Parents have the choice of purchasing certain uniform items through the Land's End School Uniform program. Items available include white long-sleeve shirts and blouses, gray slacks, embroidery-monogrammed burgundy v-neck sweaters, burgundy short sleeve polo shirts, boys' gray shorts, and monogrammed gym sweatshirts.

*Using the BSS order number will ensure that the School receives partial credit for the sale at no added cost to the purchaser. All credits earned will defray the cost of a designated academic program.*