



Eastern Panhandle Preparatory Academy • 449 Rose Hill Drive • Kearneysville, WV 25430 • (304) 850-6038

2025-2026 Student Dress Code

At Eastern Panhandle Prep Academy, a consistent school uniform promotes pride, self-discipline, and a focused learning environment. All students are expected to arrive in clean, properly fitting uniforms and maintain appropriate grooming and hygiene. Adhering to these standards reflects our school's values and helps ensure a respectful, distraction-free atmosphere for all.

Students who arrive out of uniform or poorly groomed will have their families contacted to promptly resolve the issue.

Approved School Attire:

- **Tops:** Solid black, navy blue, yellow, or white polo shirts or button-down shirts (long or short sleeves).
 - *Undergarments should not be visible.*
- **Bottoms:** Navy or khaki slacks only.
 - *No jeans, colored denim, cargo pants, overalls, sweatpants, leggings, or jeggings.*
- **Skirts/Jumpers/Skorts:** Navy or khaki; must be knee-length.
 - *No floor-length dresses.*
- **Shorts:** Navy or khaki; must be knee-length.
- **Belts:** Black or brown belts must be worn when belt loops are present.
 - *Pants must be worn at the waist ("no sagging").*
- **Socks/Stockings:** Solid black, navy blue, yellow, or white.
- **Shoes:**
 - *Any color (closed toe) sneakers are approved.*
 - **Not permitted:** sandals, deck shoes, moccasins, boots, or any open-toe shoes.

- **Sweaters/Jackets:** Solid black, navy blue, yellow, or white.
 - *Hooded sweatshirts (hoodies) are not allowed in the building.*
- **Hats/Caps:**
 - *Baseball caps and hats are not permitted inside the building.*
 - *Hoods may only be worn outside in inclement weather.*

Additional Guidelines:

- **EPPA Spirit Wear:** Students are welcome to wear official Eastern Panhandle Prep Academy apparel at any time.
- **Outerwear:** Coats and jackets must be stored during the school day unless transitioning between buildings.

We appreciate your support in maintaining a positive and professional school environment. If you have questions, please visit www.eppacademy.org or contact Principal Blue at dblue@eppacademy.org