

UNIFORM POLICY FOR TIA STUDENTS

TIA has an established uniform that meets Islamic dress code requirements. Information about the uniform is given to the parents at the time of registration. The school policy states that *all* students must comply and adhere to the school uniform. Full compliance is required of all students and full cooperation is required of all parents.

ORDERING ABAYAS/TUNIC(Kurti)

Abayas should be ordered through East Essence online at www.eastessence.com. Orders take 3-4 weeks to process so please order early. The MS/HS office can assist you with ordering abayas if you have any questions.

UNIFORM GUIDELINES

The following pages contain specific information regarding uniform guidelines for elementary, middle, and high school students.

BOYS' UNIFORM: GRADES PRESCHOOL-5

- Shirts: Elementary: Navy blue polo shirt (short or long-sleeved)
- Pants: Khaki dress pants. If the pants have belt loops, a belt must be worn.
NO carpenter pants, cargo pants or shorts
- Sweaters: Navy, gray or black sweater/vest may be worn over a collared uniform shirt.
NO designs, stripes, or sweatshirts with hoods
- Shoes: **SOLID** black gym shoes (white soles allowed, but not preferred)
Footwear must be in good condition.
For safety, **NO** sandals or open toed shoes
- Socks: **SOLID** white, black or any dark color
- Hair: Must be kept **SHORT** and **NEAT** with no shaved designs.
NO highlighted or dyed hair

BOYS' UNIFORM: GRADES 6-12

- Shirts: MS (6th-8th): Light blue polo shirt (short or long-sleeved)
HS (9th-12th): White polo shirt (short or long-sleeved)
- Pants: **LOOSE** Khaki dress pants. **NO carpenter, cargo pants or shorts**
- Sweaters: Navy, black or gray sweater or vest may be worn over a collared uniform

shirt.

NO designs, stripes, or sweatshirts with hoods

Blazer: Navy blazer over a collared shirt in the same color as grade designation is required for Fridays.

Tie: A navy/gold tie is to be worn with the blazer

Shoes: **SOLID** black loafers or solid black gym shoes (white soles allowed, but not preferred)

Footwear must be in good condition.

For safety, no sandals or open toed shoes

Socks: **SOLID** white, black or any dark color

Hair: Must be **SHORT** and **NEAT**. **NO** shaved designs. **NO** highlighted/dyed hair

GIRLS' UNIFORM: GRADES PRESCHOOL-5

Jumper: Plain, sleeveless, navy blue.

Leggings: PS-4th grade: White or navy blue- no designs. **NO TIGHTS**

Pants: 5th grade: Loose-fitting navy blue or black dress pants.
Must be worn under a jumper. **NO LEGGINGS**

Blouse: PS-4th grade: White, plain, short or long-sleeved
5th grade: White, long-sleeve, plain

Sweaters: Plain navy blue, gray, or black sweaters, vests, or suit jackets
NO designs, stripes, hoodies or sweatshirts.

Shoes: **SOLID** black loafers or solid black gym shoes (white soles allowed, but not preferred)

Footwear must be in good condition

For safety, **NO** sandals or open toed shoes

Socks: **SOLID** white, black or any dark color

Hijab: **PS-4th: WHITE**, long hijab for salah (**MUST** cover arms and hair)
5th grade: 2-piece, white hijab is optional

GIRLS' UNIFORM: GRADES 6-12

Abaya/Tunic(Kurti): Plain, navy blue (At least 2)
Must be loose and non-form-fitting.
Must be in good condition

- Slacks: Loose-fitting navy blue or black dress slacks under the abaya.
- Hijab: ANY SOLID color **WITH UNDERPIECE** worn Monday-Thursday
White hijab **WITH WHITE UNDERPIECE** required on Fridays
- Sweaters: Plain navy blue or black or gray sweaters, vests, or suit jackets may be worn over the abaya.
- Shoes: **SOLID** black loafers or solid black gym shoes (white soles allowed, but not preferred)
Footwear must be in good condition.
For safety, **NO** sandals or open toed shoes
- Socks: **SOLID** white, black or any dark color

NON-UNIFORM DAYS

Toledo Islamic Academy has established a dress code for dress up or dress down days, field trips, school events, and extracurricular activities

GIRLS GRADES 6-12:

Must wear a hijab. Absolutely **NO** leggings, sweatpants/pajama pants, and skinny jeans/pants. Blouses must be loose-fitting and at least fingertip length when arms are extended to sides. Pants/jeans must be loose-fitting with a 2-inch pull off body.

ALL BOYS:

NO shorts, sweatpants, skinny jeans. T-shirts may not have any hidden messages, offensive language or pictures.

UNACCEPTABLE ATTIRE AND ITEMS FOR ALL STUDENTS

No jeans, shorts, sweat pants, athletic jerseys, t-shirts, hats, tank tops, sunglasses (unless prescribed by a doctor), dangly earrings or sandals. No make-up, perfume, fake nails, or nail polish for all girls. No writing or images of any kind on the uniform. Uniforms may not be oversized.

Parents of any student not conforming to the dress code will be called, and asked to bring suitable clothing to the school. Failure to observe the school dress code may result in rejecting the student from attending classes. It is the responsibility of the teachers and other staff members to enforce the dress code.

If a uniform is not required for a field trip, Islamic dress code should be followed. All students should dress in clean and neatly cared for clothing. Extreme attention-getting styles are not allowed.

Moreover, parents should ensure at all times that children come to school equipped to deal with the weather: sweaters, winter hats, boots, and mittens for wintry days; boots and raincoats for rainy days; jackets and sweaters in Spring and Fall.

