The Donoho School
Uniform Guidelines
2026-2027

All Lower School students at The Donoho School must wear designated uniforms during regular school hours and at most school-sponsored events, such as field trips and special assemblies.

Uniform tops and bottoms must be purchased through Southern School Uniforms. Replacement items can be ordered as needed for shipping throughout the school year.

TOPS (shirts and blouses)

- Must be purchased through Southern School Uniforms, and all shirts must have the appropriate logo.
- Long-sleeved shirts (including turtlenecks) may be worn under short-sleeved shirts as long as they are white or grey. The short-sleeved uniform top must stay on throughout the day.
- Undershirts may be white or grey; sleeves may not show.
- Midriff exposure is not permitted.
- Shirts should be tucked in.

BOTTOMS

- Must be purchased from Southern School Uniforms.
- Shorts/skorts/skirts/dresses may not be hemmed above fingertip length.
- If not built into the garment, girls must wear privacy/cartwheel shorts under skirts, jumpers, and dresses of any length.
- When a garment has belt loops, a belt is required for 3rd grade and up.
- White, gray, or black leggings or tights may be worn under skorts/dresses.

SHOES/FOOTWEAR

- Students must wear an athletic/tennis shoe daily.

OUTERWEAR

- Non-uniform outerwear (jackets, vests, coats, fleece) may be worn to and from school but must be removed inside the building.
- Only Donoho uniform outerwear from Southern School Uniforms (jackets, sweatshirts, hoodies, fleece) may be worn inside the building.
- When outside, students may wear unofficial outerwear, including coats, hats, gloves, and scarves.
- **The student's name must be on outerwear tags.**
- Outerwear purchased through Donoho athletic team consumables may be worn.

HAIR & ACCESSORIES

- Hair must be neat, clean, and of modest style. Extreme hairstyles and unnatural hair color are not permitted.
- Female students may have visible ear piercings only.
- Hats/Caps/Visors are not permitted inside the building.

SPECIAL ASSEMBLY/FIELD TRIP UNIFORM:

- Special assembly/field trip uniforms shall be worn on designated days. See below for required items by gender.
- Girls: Maroon uniform polo shirt and khaki skort, shorts, or pants.
- Boys: Maroon uniform polo shirt and khaki shorts or pants.

FALCON SPIRIT FRIDAYS:

- **ON FRIDAYS:** Students may wear a Donoho t-shirt in lieu of a uniform top on Fridays. On Fridays, students may wear solid-colored denim (jeans, shorts, or skirts) or a uniform bottom of their choice. Denim must be free of rips, tears, holes, and fraying. No leggings, joggers, sweatpants, athletic shorts, or athletic wear of any kind. If students are not wearing solid denim, they should wear a uniform bottom.

GENERAL EXPECTATIONS:

- Uniforms must be clean and in good condition. Pieces should fit correctly and be worn appropriately.
- Athletic wear is not permitted. On some occasions, as approved by the Division Heads, athletes may wear a Donoho sports jersey with a bottom that adheres to the dress code.
- Transparent, extremely tight-fitting, and holes/rips/tears are not permitted.
- Students may not wear tops promoting other schools/school systems.

UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS:

- Every student must purchase one special **assembly/field trip uniform** (required for special events, performances, and designated dress-up days). Other uniform items may be purchased based on personal preference.
- Daily wear items (polos, pants, shorts, skorts, jumpers, etc.) must be ordered directly from our approved vendor, Southern School Uniforms.
- All available styles and approved pieces are organized by gender and grade level on the Southern School Uniforms website for easy shopping.
- Items may be ordered throughout the school year as needed from Southern School Uniforms.

Note: Please do not donate uniform items that are no longer being worn to thrift stores. Families are welcome to sell items to another parent, pass them down to younger students, or return them to the school office.