



School Year: 2019-2020

TMA Student Uniform Update

Dear TMA Families,

Every year it is our goal to ensure that our students are abiding by the policies and that student and parent voices are heard. The policy for uniforms will be the same with some minor adjustments to the shoe policy. We will continue to use RISSE Brothers as our uniform vendor.

We will need your help in ensuring that your student complies with the TMA uniform policy for the 2019-2020 school year. Please review the policy below:

Policy

Students are required to wear a school uniform each day. Students may continue to wear uniform clothing purchased in previous years, but all new uniform items containing a logo (shirts, sweaters, gym clothes, etc.) must be purchased from RISSE Brothers, we will not have items regularly available for purchase. During cold weather months, students may only wear the Thurgood Marshall Academy uniform sweater or fleece, which also may be purchased through RISSE Brothers or a long-sleeved solid color **hoodless** white, black or burgundy shirt. Additionally, any TMA issued outer wear (clubs, athletic, etc.) may be worn throughout the school day. For the complete student uniform policy please refer to the 2019-2020 Student Handbook.

Shirts

RISSE Brothers will have a long and short sleeve option for polo shirts. Students can select from white or burgundy. Each year there are special shirts that are embroidered for Senior (12th grade) students. Senior polo shirts can be purchased through TMA **ONLY** at the price \$18.50 for sizes S-XL and \$20.50 for 2XL-4XL. Shirts **must** be tucked into the uniform pant. Belt and belt loops **must** be visible.

Uniform Pants

All pants should be tan in color khaki in material. **All** pants **must** have belt loops. Pants may be purchased at any store, but must meet the same color and style as the option offered through RISSE Brothers. When purchasing pants be aware of the following guidelines:

- Pants must be tan in color and khaki in material
- **Must** have belt loops (No drawstrings or all elastic waist)
- **Cannot** be joggers or any drawstring and or elastic pant legs, or spandex material (e.g. stretch pants, leggings, jeggings, etc.)
- **Cannot** be denim material or denim look (must resemble slacks)
- Color must be tan (various shades of brown are prohibited)
- Pants must be full length (No shorts, stretch pants, capris, skorts, or any pants that expose the ankles; ankles should not be visible)

Skirts

Students will have the option of wearing skirts as long as it meets the following criteria:

- Must be tan in color and khaki in material
- **Must** be knee length all the way around
- Cannot be cargo, stretch, or spandex in material
- **NO SPLITS**



Boys Pleated
Front Pants



Girls Midrise
Straight Legged
Pants



Girls Kick Pleat
Skirt

Belts

All students **MUST** wear a belt with their pants. Belts should have a plain buckle. Belts will be available through RISSE Brother for purchase. Belts must be worn appropriately through the belt loops with shirt tucked in pants. Belt and belt loops must be visible. Belt can be any color. Fanny packs cannot be worn in lieu of a belt.

Cold Weather Options

As the weather changes the building temperature changes. We recognize that students may get cold and will need additional clothing to remain in compliance with the dress code. Students will continue to have the option of purchasing a TMA fleece or sweater through our vendor. Students can also elect to wear a long sleeve solid black, solid white, or solid burgundy shirt underneath the TMA short sleeve polo. The shirt **cannot** have a hood, any writing or print, and should be solid in color. Students can also purchase a long-sleeved TMA polo shirt for their convenience.

Shoes

Students will be allowed to wear any color closed toed and closed heel shoe. The shoe cannot be a Croc, flip-flop, or slide in shoe.

Boots may be worn to school. If boots have laces they must be fully laced on the feet and not flopping or untied. Boots cannot be taller than mid-calves. Failure to abide by this rule will result in the removal of boot wearing during the 2019-2020 school year.

Purchasing Information

In order to purchase uniforms you will need to purchase through RISSE Brothers. You will be able to purchase uniforms through any of the following options:

- In Store or Phone Orders
 - RISSE Brothers

9700 Martin Luther King Jr Highway Suite B
 Lanham, MD 20706
 Telephone: 301-220-1985

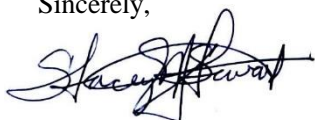
- Online
 - www.rissebrothers.com
 - You will need to create an account. Uniforms will be shipped to your house.
- At TMA (limited to only special days- we will no longer stock uniforms for standard sale at school)
 - RISSE Brothers will travel to TMA to sell uniforms for convenience on **August 2, 2019 from 3 pm until 7 pm.**
 - After the date has passed you must utilize the two options above.

Pricing

Item	Sty	Color	Sizes	Description	Price
SHORT SLEEVE POLO	437J-2154	WHITE OR BURGUNDY	YOUTH	SHORT SLEEVE POLO W/ LOGO	\$16.50
			ADULT		\$18.50
			ADULT 2XL – 4XL		\$20.50
LONG SLEEVE POLO	437JL-2154	WHITE	ADULT	LONG SLEEVE POLO W/ LOGO (DOES NOT COME IN YOUTH SIZES)	\$20.50
			ADULT 2XL - 4XL		\$22.50
GYM T-SHIRT	29-2154	ASH	YOUTH	SHORT SLEEVE T-SHIRT W/ LOGO	\$10.00
			ADULT		\$10.00
MESH	580	BLACK	YOUTH	BLANK MESH GYM SHORTS W/O LOGO	\$13.75
			ADULT		\$13.75
SWEATER	6500-2154	BLACK	YOUTH	LONG SLEEVE V-NECK SWEATER W/ LOGO	\$38.00
			ADULT		\$38.00
			ADULT 2XL - 4XL		\$38.00
PERFORMANCE WEAR	1026-2154	BLACK	YOUTH	FULL ZIP PERFORMANCE JACKET	\$34.00
			ADULT		\$36.00
FLEECE	KJF14-2154	BLACK	YOUTH	FULL ZIP FLEECE W/ LOGO	\$34.00
BELT	3876	BLACK	ALL	BLACK BELT	\$12.00
BOYS PANTS	CP6540	KHAKI	REGULAR/SLIM	K-12 PLEATED FRONT PANTS**	\$17.00
			HUSKY		\$21.00
			MENS/PREP		\$23.00
GIRLS PANTS	CP2548	KHAKI	REGULAR/SLIM	K-12 MID RISE PANTS**	\$17.00
			HALF		\$21.00
			JR.		\$23.00
SKIRT	2660	KHAKI	REGULAR / SLIM	K-12 KICK PLEAT	\$20.00
			6 HALF - 18 HALF		\$22.00
			HALF TEENS		\$24.00

I hope this information is helpful as you plan for the upcoming school year. Please feel free to reach out to me if you have any questions in reference to the uniform expectations for the 2010-2020 school year.

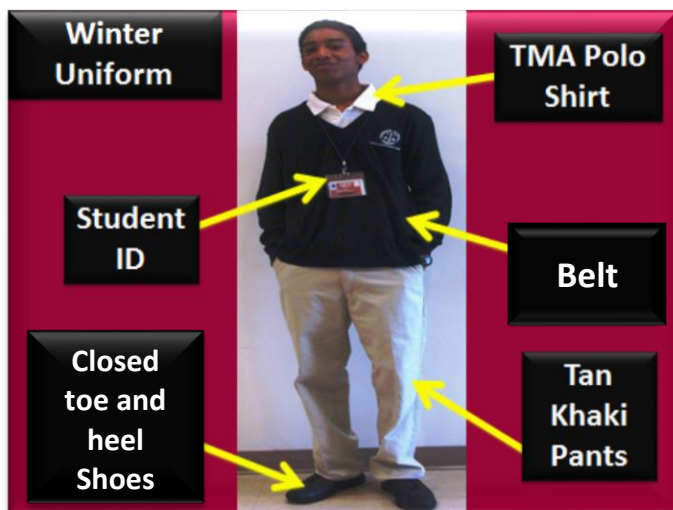
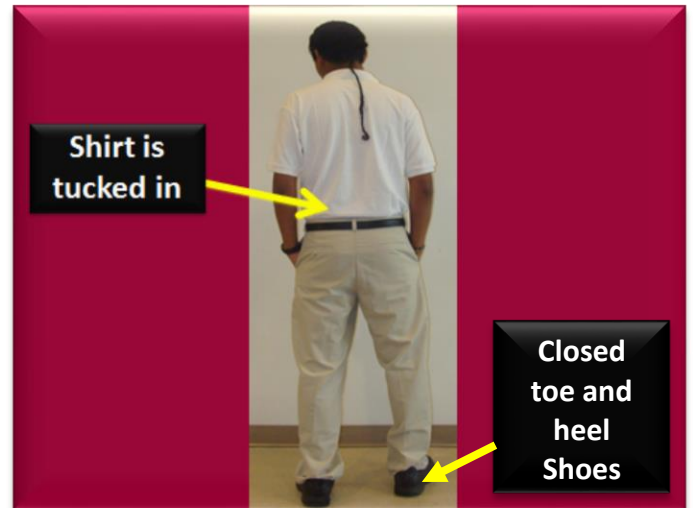
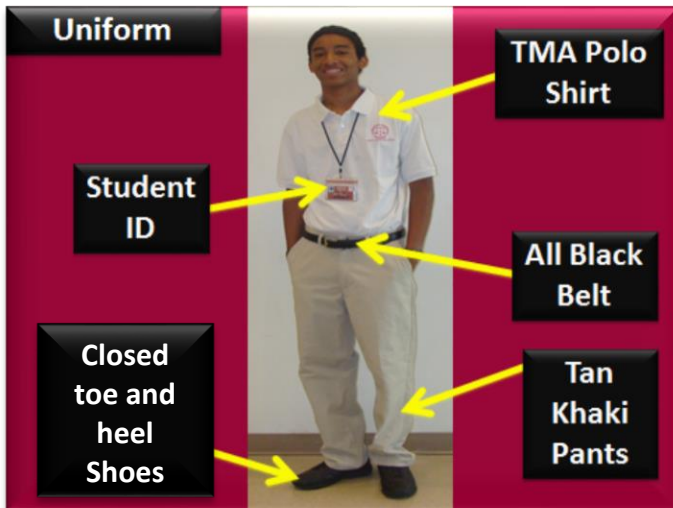
Sincerely,



Stacey Stewart
 Director of Student Affairs

TMA Student Uniform

Below is how our students should look with their uniform on correctly.



- Burgundy or white, polo TMA logo shirt
- Tan, khaki pants
- A belt with plain buckle
- Any colored closed toe and closed heel shoe
- TMA logoed fleece or sweater (TMA polo shirt MUST be underneath)
- Long sleeve solid black, solid white, or solid burgundy shirt (Optional—If worn must be under the TMA polo shirt)
- TMA student ID (must be worn at all times)