| Policy<br>Name:        | UNIFORM POLICY       |            |                 |           |            |
|------------------------|----------------------|------------|-----------------|-----------|------------|
| Approval Authority:    | Director / Principal | Adopted:   | April 2012      | Reviewed: | April 2016 |
| Responsible Executive: | HM                   | Revised:   | April 2017      |           |            |
| Responsible Office:    | Admin / Academic     | Available: | In the Library, | Website   |            |

Other Distribution List Principal Headmaster Headmistress Supervisors Academic Staff Parents

The uniform is worn with pride. It is a way to demonstrate that students have made to join the DPS community. It is a symbol of pride and their commitment to fully embrace the values and spirit at our school. Our policy is that all children should wear clothing that is in keeping with a purposeful learning ethos. We also believe that certain school activities are facilitated by specialised and appropriate clothing (including organised events outside normal school hours). There is an expectation that students will comply with the dress requirements and that valuable school time will not need to be diverted to following up on breaches of school uniform policy.

### Aim

Our policy is based on the belief that a school uniform:

- promotes a sense of pride in the school
- engenders a feeling of belonging
- is practical and distinctive
- identifies the children with the school
- is not distracting in class (as fashion clothing might be)
- makes children feel equal to one another in terms of appearance
- reflects the sense both of community and of diversity that the school takes pride in
- is regarded as suitable, and good value for money, by most parents

## **School Uniform Policy**

- Pants or shorts must be worn with a belt at the waist and belts must be through the loops. Pants can be cotton, cotton blend. Absolutely NO cargo pants, jeans, sweat suit pants, pajamas, logos, insignias, pictures or messages. Shorts must be knee length or longer.
- Skirts must be knee level or longer. Can be cotton, cotton blend
- Shirts must be tucked into pants. Absolutely NO logos, insignias, pictures or messages.
- Only School sweater with logo to be worn.
- Shoes must fit securely on the foot. No shoes with open toes or backless shoes (including flip flops, sandals, mules and slides). Shoes must be laced or buckled. No heels or rollers.
- NO OVERSIZED CLOTHING WILL BE ALLOWED. NO TIGHT FIT CLOTHING WILL BE ALLOWED.
- No colored wrist bands, neck beads, head bands are allowed.
- Hair longer than shoulder length to be plaited for girls or tied neatly. For short hair,
   black hairbands/black . IT IS AGAINST THE SCHOOL POLICY TO COLOUR THE HAIR.
- Rubberbands to be worn. For boys, hair should be trimmed neatly.
- Nails to be trimmed and no nail polish allowed.
- No make-up, jewelry and body adornments must be worn. Earrings should be kept to studs.
- In case of defaulters, student will be warned first. Repeated defaulter, will not be allowed to attend classes. Parents will be asked to bring the uniform / or the students wears the uniform which he /she will purchase from the store.

## **Health and Safety**

Students will be issued with a Health and Safety policy in the Science departments. This may include appropriate closed footwear, protective clothing/coat, safety goggles etc. If students do not wear the appropriate uniform for a lab work, they will not be allowed to enter the lab.

#### THE RULES ARE FOR STRICT COMPLIANCE

# **Uniform availability:**

You may purchase school uniforms from the Uniform Shop available at the School Premises.

Opening Hours: 7:15am-1:00pm

Parents are expected to purchase the school uniforms/attire prior to the student attending school.

| KG1                       | KG2                             | Year 1 to Year 12  |  |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|
| Boys                      |                                 | Boys   |  |
| DPS Red T Shirt           | DPS Green T Shirt               | DPS White Shirt  |  |
| DPS Khaki Shorts/Pants    | DPS Khaki Shorts/Pants          | DPS White Trousers/(Pants optional for Grade 3 and 4) DPS White Pants for grades 5 to 12 |  |
| Foot Wear: Black leather  | Foot Wear: Black leather school | Foot Wear: Black leather school  |  |
| school shoes & red socks/ | shoes & green socks             | shoes & white socks  |  |
|                           |                                 | Green Tie and Green Belt   |  |
| Girls                     |                                 | Girls  |  |
| DPS Red T Shirt           | DPS Green T Shirt               | DPS White Shirt  |  |
| DPS Khaki Tunicks         | DPS Khaki Tunicks               | White Pinafore (for grades 1 to 4) DPS White Skirt (for grades 5 to 12)                  |  |
| Foot Wear: Black school   | Foot Wear: Black school shoes   | Foot Wear: Black school shoes  |  |
| shoes & red socks         | & green socks                   | & white socks  |  |
|                           |                                 | Green Tie and Green Belt   |  |
| PE                        |                                 | PE   |  |
|                           |                                 |  |  |
| DPS Blue Track Suit       | DPS Blue Track Suit             | DPS Blue Track Suit (of specific House Uniform)  |  |
| Foot Wear: White Trainers | Foot Wear: White Trainers and   | Foot Wear: White Trainers and  |  |
| and Red socks             | Green socks                     | White socks  |  |
| Sweater                   | Sweater                         | Sweater  |  |
|                           |                                 |  |  |
| Red V-Neck Sweater        | Green V-neck Sweater            | Dark Green V-Neck Sweater  |  |
| Blazer                    | Blazer                          | Blazer   |  |
| -                         | -                               | Green Blazer from Grade 4<br>onwards<br>Blue /Maroon Blazers for<br>achievers            |  |