



UNIFORM POLICY

Students at the Alnoor International School wear a school uniform that helps to foster a sense of identity and equality amongst the school community. It creates cohesion and a positive sense of belonging regardless of gender, cultural and socioeconomic background. School uniform also enhance individual student safety and group security when on excursions, and away from the school.

We have a comfortable, relaxed uniform that is easy to wear; however, we also want our students to look smart. Presentation is important in all aspects of life.

Our students are encouraged to take pride in them, and at all times be conscious that judgments are made about them and their school based on their behaviour, appearance and manners. The personal appearance of students should reflect individual pride, as well as respect for their school and their community.

General rules:

1. Students are expected to wear the AIS uniform correctly at all times. During weekdays, school uniform will be worn whenever students are on site at school. It is not permitted to wear clothing that is not part of the official uniform.
2. The correct uniform must be worn to and from school, whether travelling by public transport, car and bicycle or on foot.
3. Clothing should be neat, clean and in good repair (stains are to be cleaned and torn seams sewed). Sloppy, tattered or distracting dress detracts from the learning environment and is considered inappropriate.
4. The only shoes permitted are black sports shoes either lace-up or velcro shoes. These must be predominantly black. No open shoes are permitted for safety reasons. No boots, mary-janes, t-bars, sandals, moccasins, thongs etc. of any description – only black sports shoes. Only plain black socks are permitted (any length).



5. The correct sports uniform must be worn for all physical education classes and when representing the School playing sport.
6. The white collar shirt must be worn on co-curriculum activity day with uniform track bottom. It may be required to wear during school excursion or special events. Students will be informed by official memo or announcement.
7. Secondary students only allow wearing AIS hoodie jacket (grey) and primary students may wear any plain black, dark blue or grey jacket in class.
8. House polo/round neck shirts are to be worn for all Inter-House carnivals and activities.
9. Casual clothing is not to be worn any time within the school during regular schools days, including P.E. classes and extra activities after school. Casual clothing includes, but not limited to, graduation T-shirts, varsity uniforms, sport-game uniforms, and other souvenir clothes of specific activities. Students can only wear varsity and sport-game uniforms during trainings, performances and competitions.
10. Hair must be neat, tidy and clean. Students are not permitted to present at school with unnatural or extreme hair styles or colours. The final decision as to what constitutes “unnatural” or “extreme” rests with the Deputy Principal and Principal.
11. Female students are permitted to wear their hair out above shoulder; however, it is compulsory that hair is tied back if it reaches the shoulders. For Muslim students, only dark blue hijab or veil is permitted at all time. Students may be required to wear their hair tied back for formal occasions (e.g.: school photographs), or for practical or safety reasons in some classes.
12. Male students are to be clean shaven. Short hair above ear level is recommended. Forehead fringe must be above eyebrow. Otherwise, neatly gel-up is recommended. Any pony tail or tied up hair is not permitted.
13. The only colours of hair accessories that are permitted are black or blue hair elastics, hairbands, slides, clips and bobby pins. Hair ribbons and scrunchies must be navy blue or black in colour. No other hair accessories or colours are permitted.
14. Students may wear simple and discreet items of jewellery; however, they may be required to remove such items in the interests of safety (e.g.: during sport, science



- labs). Plain sleepers or studs may be worn in ears; however, a maximum of one earring per ear (to be placed in the lobe only) is permitted.
15. Students are not permitted to wear excessive jewellery such as rings, bracelets or necklaces. The final decision as to what constitutes “excessive” rests with the Deputy Principal and Principal. Visible piercings, such as nose, tongue, eyebrow, cheek or neck studs are not permitted.
 16. Necklaces for religion purposes (if worn) should be hidden below the blouse or shirt. However, permission letter by The Principal must be obtained for inspection purposes.
 17. Natural colour sunblock and colourless lip balm are permitted. Makeup, drawing or styling eyebrows are not allowed. Students may be asked to remove excessive makeup. The final decision as to what constitutes “excessive” rests with the Deputy Principal and Principal.
 18. Nails must be kept short and cleaned. Coloured nail polish is not permitted; however, clear nail polish may be worn. No other adornment or decoration of nails is permitted.
 19. Visible tattoos are not permitted. Plastic surgery is not recommended.
 20. Decorations and sharp objects are not allowed to be put onto school bags. The uniform and appearance inspection will carry out regularly by Head of Academic.
 21. Staff may confiscate items that do not comply with the dress code or in the interest of safety.
 22. When new items of school uniform are introduced there will be a transition period of 6 months for them to be phased in to the official school uniform.
 23. Parents and guardians have the responsibility to remind the child to meet the school’s dress code. Teachers have the authority to correct inappropriate clothing of a student, if any.
 24. Any student whose appearance is contrary to the dress and personal grooming expectations may be sent home until such time as their appearance meets the expectations of the school, and assurances have been received from the student and his/her parents or guardians, that appropriate dress and grooming will be maintained in the future.



25. Students who are not in the correct uniform or where their general appearances do not fall in line with the policy will receive detention. Students who refuse to dress properly after correction will be issued a level one warning letter.

26. The school reserves the right to review and update this policy when required.

Uniform Standards:

BOYS

The formal uniform includes white short-sleeve shirt to be worn with dark blue trouser (designed to be tucked in). Neck tie must be worn on every Monday. The appropriate trouser length after wearing shoes should not have contact with the floor or ground. Black belt with plain silver or black buckle may be worn.

GIRLS

The formal uniform includes white short-sleeve shirt to be worn with dark blue vest and skirt. The shirt designed to be tucked in and skirt's hemline should be NO higher than 5cm from the middle of the knee cap. Neck tie must be worn on every Monday.

P.E. uniform guidelines:

- For days when there is P.E. on a student's schedule, the student should bring or wear his or her P.E. uniform and also prepare a towel.
- The P.E. uniform and student houses sportswear are permitted outfits for P.E. classes – casual clothing are prohibited. Wet/sweaty clothes are to be changed after class into formal uniform. The P.E teacher will give time for students to change. Students should finish changing clothes within the given time and store their removed clothes in their bag or lockers for the rest of the day.
- P.E. (and sports clubs) shirtless is prohibited. Slippers, including sandals and flip flops, are not to be worn at any time.



STUDENT	GIRLS	BOYS
Daily Uniform	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AIS white shirt • AIS blue vest • AIS blue skirt • Black shoes & Black socks • Dark blue hijab / veil (Muslim) • Neck tie on Monday 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AIS white shirt • AIS blue trouser • Black shoes & Black socks • Neck tie on Monday • Black belt if required
Sport Uniform (PE) <i>Note: Not to be worn as the Daily Uniform</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AIS round neck t-shirt • AIS blue track bottom • Sport shoes and socks • Own towel & water • House-T when advise by PE teacher 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AIS round neck t-shirt • AIS blue track bottom • Sport shoes and socks • Own towel & water • House-T when advise by PE teacher
<i>Student needs to change wet clothing into daily uniform, unless PE falls on the last period</i>		
Co-curriculum	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AIS white collar t-shirt • AIS blue track bottom • Sport shoes • House-T upon special training • Sport attire (eg: swimming, dancing) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AIS white collar t-shirt • AIS blue track bottom • Sport shoes • House-T upon special training • Sport attire (eg: swimming, dancing)
Special Activity/ Events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AIS White collar t-shirt / Event t-shirt / Attire / Costume/ AIS uniform • AIS blue track bottom • Sport shoes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AIS White collar t-shirt / Event t-shirt / Attire / Costume/ AIS uniform • AIS blue track bottom • Sport shoes



Free Dress Days

On Free Dress days, when students are permitted to wear their own casual clothes or dress according to a designated theme, the following rules apply:

1. Clothing may not be worn that displays obscene or distasteful slogans, or advertises tobacco, drugs, alcoholic beverages or other prohibited substances.
2. Garments that expose the midriff during normal school activities are not acceptable.
3. Skimpy halter and/or spaghetti strap style tops, revealing tank tops, tube tops, see-through tops, and other tops that are immodest and/or exposed undergarments are not permitted.
4. Shorts and skirts must be modest and not too short or revealing.
5. Closed-in shoes must be worn for safety reasons.
6. Discretion as to the appropriateness of individual student choices of clothes for Free Dress Days lies with the Deputy Principals.

Shoes & Socks Standards:



Note colour and material requirements.



Note: Knee length socks are allowed for female student