

# The Jersey City Public Schools Cornelia F. Bradford, PS 16 96 Sussex Street Jersey City, New Jersey 07302 201-915-6450



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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Jersey City Public Schools require all students to wear uniforms. PS #16 strictly enforces its uniform policy throughout the year.

## **Daily Uniform**

- Tops: Royal blue polo shirts
- Bottoms: Khaki pants, shorts, skirts, or jumpers (all must be knee-length and loose-fitting)
- Leggings/Tights: Only navy or khaki and/or tights are allowed. No other colors or patterns are permitted.
- Shorts: Khaki shorts (knee-length) are allowed in September and June.
- Sweaters/Hoodies/Cardigans: Navy blue sweaters, hoodies, and cardigans can be worn while in class. They must be plain or feature the school logo.
  - **Note:** Students can wear any outerwear (sweaters, jackets, or coats) to school, but they must be removed in class.
- **Footwear:** No heels, sandals, or open-toed shoes are allowed. Students must wear appropriate, safe, and comfortable shoes.
- **Gym Uniform:** Mandatory Navy blue t-shirt with the school logo, navy blue sweatpants, and sneakers. Leggings are not allowed in gym class.

# **Benefits of Wearing a Uniform**

The school uniform promotes a sense of community and belonging among students. It also helps maintain a professional and respectful learning environment.

### What Happens if the Uniform Policy is Not Followed?

The Main Office will send home a notice and/or contact parents/guardians if a student is not wearing the appropriate uniform.

#### **Questions and Resources**

If you have any questions or concerns about the uniform policy, please do not hesitate to contact the school. You can find uniform items for purchase at: <a href="https://www.ps16cpa.net/uniform-orders/">https://www.ps16cpa.net/uniform-orders/</a>.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Respectfully,

Mrs. B. Tackson

Mrs. Jackson, Principal