PenTab Academy K-8 Dress Code

PenTab Academy promotes a safe, neutral environment for all.

PENTAB ACADEMY

Students are to dress modestly and in a manner which upholds the integrity of our school and Pentecostal Tabernacle

International. Therefore, **UNIFORMS ARE MANDATORY FOR ALL STUDENTS.**Uniforms with our logo are available at Ibiley's School Uniform stores, but may be purchased elsewhere as long as the colors and patterns match. Parents may purchase the school logo for self-application at the church bookstore. At all times, uniforms must be cleaned, pressed and be free of excessive holes, rips, and tears that expose private areas of the body or undergarments. The following guidelines **MUST** be observed:

Girls' Dress Code

Shirts: Shirts must be solid white, navy blue or hunter green. (See the PenTab School Uniform Color Chart). Shirts must be polo shirts or have a "Peter Pan" or Oxford collar. All shirts must have the school's logo on the left chest area. Shirts should not have insignias, labels, words or pictures. Shirts must be appropriately sized and tucked in. Students may wear plain white undershirts or camisoles. Undergarments must not be visible at any time.

Skirts, Skorts or Tunics: Skirts, skorts or tunics must be navy blue or hunter green (*See PenTab School Uniform Color Chart*). Tunics must have the school approved crest on the left chest area, and no other insignias, labels, words, or pictures. The length of skirts, skorts and tunics should be at least one inch below the knee when standing. No denim is allowed. Pants for girls are NOT permitted at any time. Skirts are required for girls on dress-down days, field trips and on Field Day as well. Girls may wear white, navy blue or black leggings or shorts under their skirts.

Hair and Hair Accessories: Hair should be neatly combed at all times. Colored or dyed hair is not allowed. Hair accessories and ornaments cannot be excessive and can only be white, black, navy blue or hunter green.

Boys' Dress Code

Shirts: Shirts must be solid white, navy blue or hunter green. (See PenTab School Uniform Color Chart). Shirts must be polo shirts with a collar or dress shirts. All shirts must have the school's logo on the left chest area. Shirts should not have insignias, labels, words or pictures. Shirts must be appropriately sized and tucked in. Students may wear plain white under-shirts only. Undergarments must not be visible at any time.

Pants or Shorts: Pants or shorts must be solid white, navy blue or hunter green. (See PenTab School Uniform Color Chart). Pants must be worn with a solid black belt with a plain belt buckle that is not oversized. Pants must be appropriately sized. No tight, baggy or sagging pants or shorts are allowed.

No "low rise" clothing is allowed. Pants or shorts must be worn with the waistbands at or above the hipbone.

Hair: Hair should be neatly combed at all times. Colored or dyed hair is not allowed. No braided hair for boys. Boys must have a low, plain haircut with no markings. No "Hair Art," designs or lines are permitted. Mohawks, "Faux" hawks, fades and other fad haircuts are not acceptable.

All Students

Shoes: Students may wear solid black, navy blue or white sneakers or black school shoes. No color, designs or prints allowed. Shoes that have laces must be tied at all times. All shoes must be closed-toe.

Slippers, flip flops, sandals and open-back shoes are not allowed. Students should wear plain navy blue, hunter green, black or white socks only with no patterns. •

Outerwear: Jackets, sweaters and vests must be navy blue or black, and plain without any writing or patterns.

Other Accessories: Students are not allowed to wear jewelry or nail polish. No gang-related clothing, accessories, symbols or intimidating manner of dress are allowed. No headwear, hats or sunglasses. Bandanas are not permitted. The Principal may make exceptions to the uniform policy for special events such as "Dress-Down Day." Clothing designed for other school events

(i.e. field day or field trip shirts) should only be worn for that specific event.

Chapel Attire Every Wednesday

This is also the uniform for performances, assemblies and any other special school-wide events.

Girls: A "Peter Pan" or Oxford collared *white blouse with the school's logo on the left chest area;* a Ladies' navy blue tie; Navy blue skirt; Navy blue or white socks or stockings; and Black or navy blue dress shoes or school shoes (No sneakers). A navy blue blazer is welcomed, but not required.

Boys: A white collared dress *shirt with the school's logo on the left chest area;* A navy blue tie; Navy blue pants with a black belt; and black dress shoes or school shoes with navy blue or white socks (No sneakers). A navy blue blazer or vest is welcomed, but not required.

Dress Code Enforcement and Disciplinary Actions

The Principal, teachers and administrative staff shall ensure that the uniform policy is enforced in a consistent manner and will require the student and/or the student's parents or guardian to take appropriate action to remedy situations determined to be in conflict with this policy. Disciplinary action shall be taken for violation of the School Uniform and Appearance Policy in accordance with Parent/ Student Handbook.

First Offense: Parents shall be informed that they have violated the policy.

Additional Offenses: Parents will receive a phone call to bring an acceptable change of clothes. Students will not be permitted in class until the dress code violation has been remediated.