

Kindergarten

UNIFORM GUIDE



Students are expected to arrive and leave school in full uniform.

***Only available at the GNS Uniform Store**

The Kindergarten Uniform is the same as the Junior Kindergarten Uniform, with the addition of a **navy GNS cardigan with the school crest**.

Number One Dress

Mondays, Special Events and some Field Trips. In the event of a long weekend or school break, students are expected to wear Number One Dress on the first day back.

- ☐ Navy golf shirt with GNS logo (short or long sleeve)*
- ☐ Navy GNS cardigan with school crest*
- ☐ Tartan tunic*
- ☐ Navy or black under kilt shorts, in an opaque fabric
- ☐ Navy knee socks or navy tights allowed on cold days
- ☐ Solid black *slip on or velcro polishable* shoes
- ☐ Navy tights allowed on cold days

- **or** -

- ☐ Navy golf shirt with GNS logo (short or long sleeve)*
- ☐ Navy GNS cardigan with school crest*
- ☐ Grey shorts*
- ☐ Grey knee socks
- ☐ Solid black *slip on or velcro polishable* shoes
- ☐ Long grey pants* allowed on cold days

Daily Dress

Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays

- ☐ Same as Number One Dress, worn with or without the cardigan

*Worn with navy golf shirt with GNS logo**

- ☐ Navy hoodie, *crested**
- ☐ ¼ Zip*
- ☐ Navy GNS Sweatshirt*

- **or** -

- ☐ GNS PHE sweats
 - ☐ GNS sweatshirt or track jacket*
 - ☐ GNS sweatpants or track pants*

PHE Strip

- ☐ No PHE strip is required for Kindergarten
- ☐ Proper active footwear with non-marking soles
- ☐ House shirt* (red, yellow, green and blue)

Optional PHE Items

- ☐ House drawstring PE bag

Nature School Clothing

At the forefront of ensuring our students make the most of Nature School is having them dress appropriately for the weather. We ask parents to purchase good quality rain gear: splash pants, rain jacket with hood, hat, mittens and wool socks. All students must wear GNS track pants and track jacket or sweatshirt and sweatpants with their house shirt or nature school shirt on days when they will be participating in Nature School.

Other Kindergarten Required Items

- ☐ Extra clothing set (socks, underwear, shirt, pants). Non-GNS branded items are acceptable.
- ☐ Quality waterproof rain gear (recommended two-piece)
- ☐ Waterproof, above ankle rain boots
- ☐ Warm hat and mittens (seasonal)
- ☐ Sun hat and sunscreen (seasonal)
- ☐ Personal water bottle
- ☐ Small lunch bag
- ☐ Backpack *with chest strap*

Please make sure all Number One Dress, Daily Dress, Nature School and Other Required Items are labelled with the student's first and last name

Additional Uniform Details

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How to wear the uniform

Students should arrive and leave the school each day in full uniform. The uniform must be kept in good condition: clean, no rips or tears, no large stains, etc. Regardless of what uniform is worn, students are expected to wear the uniform properly. (e.g., proper fit, proper shoes, appropriate tunic length, pant length).

Tops

- Golf shirt may be worn tucked in or untucked

Shoes

- Footwear must be worn at all times in school. Shoes must be *slip on* and should provide adequate support to be comfortable and have a flat heel
- *Solid black, polishable* Blundstones and Native brand footwear are allowed (no coloured shoes, accents or stitching)

PHE and Athletic Shoes

- Non-marking outer sole

Hats

- Hats are not worn in school, except in classes where they are part of a costume
- Baseball hats, bucket hats and toques may be worn outside during recess and while coming to and from school. Unbranded hats are permitted

Hair

- Hair ornamentation should be restricted to small ribbons, scrunchies, barrettes or hair bands in school colours (navy, white, dark green or GNS tartan)

Outerwear and Seasonal Weather

- Students who are cold in the school should wear their GNS school sweaters or sweatshirts.
- Unbranded outerwear is allowed during outdoor recess time and while coming to and from school. Non-GNS personal clothing must be kept in student cubbies/lockers during the day
- Non-GNS sweaters, sweatshirts, hoodies or any other shirt are not allowed to be worn inside the school

House Colours

Every GNS student, faculty and staff member is assigned to one of our four houses: Caister-Mackenzie (red), Wyndham-Douglas (yellow), Dereham-Fraser (blue) or Walsingham-Thompson (green).

Kindergarten students are expected to wear house t-shirts for some special events (e.g., Terry Fox Run, Spirit Day). Students can earn house points throughout the year through contests, challenges and by demonstrating the school's core values. At the end of the year, the house that has earned the most points is awarded the coveted House Cup.