





## **PAUL ROBESON MALCOLM X ACADEMY**

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Dear Parent/Guardian:

On January 9, 1990, the Detroit Board of Education approved a resolution to establish a Dress Code procedure at every school. Each school has its own dress code policy that has been established by the staff, parent/guardians and students. The following guidelines have been established at Paul Robeson Malcolm X Academy to insure proper dress procedures are followed. Please read the following guidelines and discuss with your child(ren) today.

- Paul Robeson Malcolm X Academy's dress code still remains **WHITE BLOUSE OR SHIRT, NAVY BLUE PANTS, SKIRTS, JUMPER, NAVY BLUE TIES, BLACK LEATHER SHOES (WITH HARD SOLES), AND NAVY SWEATERS ARE ACCEPTABLE FOR STUDENTS TO WEAR WITH UNIFORMS. GIRLS IN LOWER GRADES (PK-5) MAY NOT WEAR PANTS.**
- Dress students properly for the weather. Weather permitting; students will go outside daily at lunch.
- Children should wear shoes and socks instead of slides or mules because we go on the playground during lunch and gym when weather permits. In addition, shoes such as slides and flip-flops can be dangerous on the stairs. Girls may wear tights or stockings.
- Skirts and jumpers should be worn at or below the knee only.
- Tank tops, halter-tops and blouses that expose the stomach or waist are not acceptable.
- Belts are to be worn on pants. Sagging pants without a belt are not acceptable.
- Hats are not to be worn while inside the building. Hats, scarves, and wave caps may not be worn in the building.
- Coats are not to be worn while inside the building.
- Gang related clothing is not acceptable.
- Children should not bring cell phones and/or electronic devices, any type of cards, lipstick, perfume, make-up, purses, etc.
- Clean net hairstyles. Children may not wear gold jewelry. Earrings may be worn by girls only! No large hoop earrings for safety reasons.

Any student found in violation of these guidelines will be sent to the Office to notify parents immediately. Students wearing the proper uniform will be sent home to change and/or be suspended, and the student will not be allowed to return to school until he/she is in compliance with the PRMXA uniform policy. Your support and cooperation is greatly appreciated in this matter. If you have any questions or concerns, please call (313) 494-8100.

Educationally Yours,  
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### **STUDENT UNIFORM DRESS POLICY**

#### **Girls**

- Navy Blue Skirt or Jumper
- Navy Blue Pants (*Grades 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> ONLY*)
- White Oxford Button-Down Blouse (*must be tucked in*)
- Navy Blue Cross Tie (*worn properly at the neck*)
- Black Leather Shoes (*Hard Soles*)
- No Large Hanging Jewelry or Earrings (*1-inch hoops or smaller*)
- Navy Blue Uniform Sweaters or Vest (*no hooded sweaters or sweatshirts*)

#### **Boys**

- Navy Blue Pants
- White Oxford Button-Down Shirt (*must be tucked in*)
- Solid Navy Blue Tie (*worn properly at the neck*)
- Black Leather Shoes (*Hard Soles*)
- No Earrings or Jewelry
- Belts **MUST** be visibly worn and seen (*no sagging pants*)

#### **NOTE:**

- Students are allowed to wear short sleeved oxford shirts and/or blouses
- Students are not allowed to wear shorts, skorts or tank tops
- Students are not allowed to wear brown or other colored shoes
- Students are not allowed to wear blue jeans or other colored jeans
- Students are not allowed to wear other colored clothing, i.e., orange, yellow, purple, etc.
- Students are not allowed to wear gym shoes unless they are in gym class
- Students are not allowed to wear boots during school; they must change into regulation school shoes after arriving to school

#### **NO EXCEPTIONS!!!**

Violators will be reprimanded accordingly.