



## **Dress for Success Sonny Carter Elementary School Unified Dress Code for 2020-2021**

The following is a list of the acceptable items for the Sonny Carter Elementary "Dress for Success" Unified Dress Code.

- ALL clothing must be the appropriate size and length.
- **BOTTOMS** -- KHAKI, NAVY, or BLUE DENIM walking shorts, pants, jumpers, Capri pants, skirts, and skorts. Blue denim must be plain, non-faded, without holes, fraying, or other decoration. All pants, shorts, etc., must be fitted at the waist and be the proper length, meaning pants may NOT touch the floor. Shorts and skirts must be "fingertip length" (the hem of shorts and skirts must be longer than the tips of your fingers when your arms hang at your sides.) No athletic shorts/pants allowed.
- **TOPS** -- WHITE, LIGHT BLUE, LIGHT PINK, NAVY, or RED collared shirts with sleeves. Shirts must be plain, solid, collared, containing no designs or logos, except the school logo/crest. Turtlenecks, long-sleeved collared shirts, sweatshirts and sweaters (pullover or cardigan) are allowed but must be WHITE, LIGHT BLUE, LIGHT PINK, NAVY, or RED. No thermal shirts allowed. No hoodies allowed.
- **SKIRTS** -- Girls wearing skirts and jumpers must wear shorts or biking shorts in uniform colors (navy, khaki, or denim) underneath their skirts or jumpers.
- Shirts must be tucked in and belts worn if item has belt loops.
- **WEDNESDAYS & FRIDAYS are "Sonny Carter T-Shirt Days."** Students may wear any "Leader in Me" T-shirt or Sonny Carter T-shirt containing the school logo/crest instead of a collared uniform shirt. All other items of clothing must be within the unified dress code.
- Socks must be worn and shoes must have closed toes and backs. Only students who can tie them may wear shoes with laces. Younger children, especially kindergarteners and first graders, tend to injure themselves or others when wearing boots. We strongly suggest they do NOT wear boots.
- Cub Scout and Girl Scout uniforms are acceptable.
- **OUTERWEAR:** When weather is cold or rainy, any outerwear students plan to wear all day must comply with the unified dress code colors (see above.) Coats only worn to and from school and on the playground do not have to comply with school dress code colors, but still must comply with Bibb County School District Dress Code policies. NO writing, logos, or advertising is permitted on outerwear.

Participation is mandatory for all students (K-5) unless the School Advisory Council has granted an exemption.