

École Merton School 5554 Robinson Avenue Côte-Saint-Luc, QC H4V 2P8

COMPULSORY SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICY

Merton has a compulsory school uniform. The school uniform supplier is Mini Polo Vêtements, Tel. 514-385-3726, Email- <u>etty@minipolo.ca</u>. The uniform guidelines are as follows:

- Merton students in Cycles 1-3 follow a <u>dress code</u> of solid navy blue bottoms and solid white tops daily, EXCEPT on gym days. These clothes can be bought from any store and do not have a Merton crest. In cooler weather the Merton sweatshirt or cardigan should be worn (with school logo). No other sweater, including solid navy, may be worn indoors.
- Every student (including Kindergarten students) must also have a full <u>school uniform</u>, which will be worn for physical education, on field trips and on special days. The uniform consists of red Merton jogging pants (Merton shorts or skorts in warm weather), white T-shirt (with or without logo) and running shoes. In cooler weather, a red Merton cardigan or Merton sweatshirt is worn.
- Jewelry and watches are not permitted on physical education days, and long hair must be tied back.
- <u>Shoes</u> must be worn at all times. In warm weather, students may wear flat sandals to school, but they must have a strap to support the ankle. No flip-flops are permitted. It is advisable for students to have a pair of rain boots, as our school yard gets muddy in the fall and spring. On physical education days, running shoes with appropriate support must be worn. (No Converse or similar flat shoes)
- **Parents are responsible for ensuring that their children are in uniform**. We will call you to bring a change of clothes if your child is not wearing the uniform, or offer a change of clothes at school, if possible.

We value the health and mental benefits of fresh air! All students are expected to go outside at recess and lunch time. Please help us by <u>dressing your child appropriately for the weather</u>, and please <u>label your child's clothes</u>, especially the Merton sweatshirt, to avoid losing them. There is a Lost and Found box in the office which parents are encouraged to check frequently for any lost clothing items.