

## Middle School Uniform Guidelines

Clothing should be neat, in good shape, and clean, and it should not be torn, cut, or transparent.

### Middle School Tops

- Outdoor gear such as coats, jackets, snow pants, and boots may not be worn inside.
- A solid red collared shirt must be worn at all times. Permitted are:
  - Red polos
  - Red turtlenecks
  - Red mock turtlenecks
  - Red Oxford cloth dress shirts, and
  - Red blouses.
- Over the uniform top, Middle School students have two choices for an indoor layer worn over the uniform shirt. They may wear a solid-color item or a spirit wear item. The solid-color item may be a red, black, or white sweatshirt, sweater, or fleece, and the entire garment must be of the solid color with no highlights or writing. The spirit wear item may be a red, black, white, gray, or charcoal Yinghua spirit wear sweatshirt from YACA or Yinghua Athletics. The light red or black Yinghua Debate sweatshirts also may be worn.
- Under the uniform top, students may wear a long-sleeved base layer in red, black, or white.
- Clothing should fit appropriately, no excessively oversized tops/bottoms.

### Middle School Bottoms

- Plain, solid-black cargo pants, corduroys, khakis, chinos, dress pants, walking pants, leggings, yoga pants, sweat pants, jogger pants, athletic pants, or warm-up pants.
- Plain, solid-black capris, shorts, skirts, and skorts.
- Lands' End "red plaid" skirt, A-line skirt, or side-pleat skort.
- Plain red knit or polo dresses.
- Shorts, skorts, and dresses must be of reasonable length, not excessively short. No "Volleyball shorts lengths allowed. Recommended fingertip length (hands down to sides and that is the short, skirt, dress length).
- No jeans allowed.
- There should be nothing tied around the waist of the uniform such as, sweaters, jackets, sweatshirts, hoodies, etc...

### Middle School Footwear, Hair, Hair Accessories and Hats

- Shoes must have a closed-toe and closed-heel. *Not permitted are sandals, flip-flops, Keens, Crocs, or slides. Winter boots, UGGs, UGG-style boots, soccer cleats, and wheeled shoes may not be worn inside.*
- Hair may only be dyed natural colors.
- Hair Accessories: Middle School students may wear solid-color red, black, or white hair accessories such as clips, small bows, headbands, scrunchies, and the like.
- Hats, caps, bandanas, and scarves are not allowed unless for religious reasons (Yinghua Policy #504).

### Friday "Spirit Days"

- On Fridays, students may wear Yinghua spirit wear, which is clothing provided by YACA or the school which includes the Yinghua logo or Yinghua lettering. Items include:
  - Spirit wear t-shirts or pullovers, spirit wear red-plaid flannel pants.