

UNIFORM

The Rockbridge Academy uniform standard includes a Daily Wear option for Upper School students. Students opting to wear this uniform must also be prepared for the Dress Day uniform requirement. The Dress Day Uniform is required whenever a student is giving a speech or Oral Presentation, when going on field trips, for all assemblies, and when directed by the principal for appropriate school events.

The hem of all girls' and young ladies' skirts and jumpers must be to the top of the knee. Skorts must be no more than 1" above the knee. Skirts, jumpers, and skorts can be special ordered with a "long" option for an additional \$10/item, providing an extra four inches of length. The "long" option is strongly encouraged, particularly in the skort. Special orders must be done over the phone and are not available through online ordering. Parents are responsible to monitor skirt length with growth spurts. The school maintains an inventory of skorts in all sizes to facilitate ordering the correct size without having to travel to the Dennis store in Catonsville.

PURCHASING UNIFORM CLOTHING ITEMS

All items are to be purchased from Dennis Uniforms or Lands' End except where noted. Dennis Uniform maintains local storefronts, and items may also be ordered online at dennisuniform.com (School Code BTAORB). The closest local storefront is their Catonsville location: 1110 N Rolling Rd, Catonsville, MD 21228. The Catonsville store number is (410) 869-4682.



LANDS' END

Several uniform pieces are sold by Lands' End. Rockbridge Academy's school code with Lands' End is 900030701. Parents should be aware that Lands' End frequently offers discounts of up to 40% on items at their website, as well as free shipping.

When possible, Rockbridge Academy parents organize uniform clothing exchanges. Sales will be announced in the Rockbridge Essentials and on Parents Web.

Wondering what to do with discontinued uniform items?

The Interact Club (an Upper School service club) will be collecting uniform items and sending them to Christian schools in Africa. Bring all your unwanted uniform items to the next "Pop-Up" shop in August!

GRAMMAR GIRLS			
Shirts	Black, white, or red Polo with logo in long or short sleeves	K-6	Dennis Uniform
	White Peter Pan collar blouse with monogram in long or short sleeves	K-3	
Bottoms	Split Front Jumper in McDonald Plaid	K-3	
	Box Pleat Skirt in McDonald Plaid (length must be to the top of the knee or longer). Available in extra-long (+4") by special order.	4-6	
	Skort with tabs in McDonald Plaid (length must be no shorter than 1" above the knee). Available in extra-long (+4") by special order.	K-6	
	Girls' khaki pant with plain brown belt. Belt may be purchased anywhere.	K-6	
Warm Layer	(optional) Red or black Fleece Zip Front Jacket with Logo	K-6	Lands' End
Hosiery	Black or white opaque tights, white knee socks, or white over-the-ankle socks. No-show/footie socks are not permitted (see below for FOOTWEAR guidelines). Black or white leggings are permitted with matching socks. White athletic socks (no logos) with sneakers only.	K-6	Anywhere
Dress Uniform: Red shirt, plaid skirt/skort/jumper, and shoes (see below for footwear guidelines). The fleece jacket is optional on Dress Uniform days. The Dress Uniform is required for field trips and special events as instructed by the teacher.			

GRAMMAR BOYS			
Shirts	Black, white, or red Polo with logo in long or short sleeves	K-6	Dennis Uniform
Bottoms	Boys' khaki pant with plain brown belt. Belt may be purchased anywhere.	K-6	
	Khaki shorts with plain brown belt (shorts may only be worn in September, October, April, and May). Belt may be purchased anywhere.	K-6	
Warm Layer	(optional) Red or black Fleece ¾ Zip Pullover with Logo	K-6	Lands' End
Hosiery	Khaki socks with dress shoes; White athletic socks (no logos) with sneakers only. No-show/footie socks are not permitted (see below for FOOTWEAR guidelines).	K-6	Anywhere
Dress Uniform: Red shirt, khaki pants, and shoes (see below for footwear guidelines). The fleece pullover is optional on Dress Uniform days. The Dress Uniform is required for field trips and special events as instructed by the teacher.			

GRAMMAR FOOTWEAR
SHOES should look very similar to GH Bass & Co. Emmie (female option) or Pasadena (male option) Oxford in taupe. Shoes are required on Dress Uniform days. Google "Bass Shoe Emmie Oxford" or "Bass Shoe Pasadena Oxford" to see an example.
SNEAKERS are required on PE days, except on Dress Uniform days. Sneakers must be predominantly white and may have accents in Rockbridge colors (black, gray, and red). Sneakers must be worn with white athletic socks only. Sneakers may be worn any non-Dress Uniform day in September, October, April, and May. Lights, character and platform sneakers are not permitted.
Students in Kindergarten Enrichment are required to wear shoes that have Velcro or no-tie laces. No-tie or elastic laces must match the color of the shoe (white for sneakers and khaki for dress shoes). This is optional for all other students in grades K-6. Google "U-Lace," "no tie shoelaces," or "lock laces" to see an example.

DIALECTIC LADIES				
	Dress Uniform (required)	Daily Wear (optional)	Grades	Where to Purchase
Shirts	Woven Stretch Blouse without logo <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Long Sleeve • Short Sleeve Blouse • ¾ Sleeve Blouse Use the Rockbridge Academy Preferred School Number at Lands' End: 900030701. Note: Adult sizes are fitted; Big Girl sizes are straight.	Black or white Capped Sleeve (short-sleeved) Polo with logo	7-12	Dress Uniform: Lands' End Daily Wear: Dennis Uniform
		Black or white Long Sleeve Cotton Polo with logo		
Bottoms	Box Pleat Skirt in McDonald Plaid (length must be to the top of the knee or longer). Available in extra-long (+4") by special order.		7-12	Dennis Uniform
		Skort with tabs in McDonald Plaid (length must be no shorter than 1" above the knee). Available in extra-long (+4") by special order.		
Warm Layer	(optional) Red or Black Fleece Zip Front Jacket with Logo		7-9	Lands' End
Physical Education	Uniform for PE class: Rockbridge Academy grey t-shirt and black shorts. Optional Rockbridge Academy sweatpants and sweatshirts. Students will change into PE clothes for PE class.		7-12	Dennis Uniform
Hosiery	Black tights, white knee socks, or white over-the-ankle dress socks. No-show/footie socks are not permitted. Athletic socks are not permitted.		7-12	Anywhere
Shoes	Bucks - should look very similar to GH Bass & Co. Emmie (female option) in taupe. Google "Bass Shoe Emmie Oxford" to see an example. FOR PHYSICAL EDUCATION ONLY: Running or cross training shoes required. Should be a combination of any Rockbridge colors (black, white, gray, and red) and should be worn with white or black athletic socks.		7-12	

RHETORIC LADIES				
	Dress Uniform (required)	Daily Wear (optional)	Grades	Where to Purchase
Shirts	Woven Stretch Blouse without logo <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Long Sleeve • Short Sleeve Blouse • ¾ Sleeve Blouse Use the Rockbridge Academy Preferred School Number at Lands' End: 900030701. Note: Adult sizes are fitted; Big Girl sizes are straight.	Black or white Capped Sleeve (short-sleeved) Polo with logo	7-12	Dress Uniform: Lands' End Daily Wear: Dennis Uniform
		Black or white Long Sleeve Cotton Polo with logo		
Bottoms	Box Pleat Skirt in McDonald Plaid (length must be to the top of the knee or longer). Available in extra-long (+4") by special order.		7-12	Dennis Uniform
		Skort with tabs in McDonald Plaid (length must be no shorter than 1" above the knee). Available in extra-long (+4") by special order.		
Warm Layer	(optional) Fine gauge black cotton crew-neck cardigan without logo	(optional) Red or Black Fleece Zip Front Jacket with Logo	10-12	Lands' End
Physical Education	Uniform for PE class: Rockbridge Academy grey t-shirt and black shorts. Optional Rockbridge Academy sweatpants and sweatshirts. Students will change into PE clothes for PE class.		7-12	Dennis Uniform
Hosiery	With optional black shoes: Neutral pantyhose, black tights, or bare legs		10-12	Anywhere
	When wearing Bucks: black tights, white knee socks, or white over-the-ankle dress socks. No-show/footie socks are not permitted. Athletic socks are not permitted.		7-12	
Shoes	Black dress shoes (optional) – traditional, closed-toe, classic heel style (no tie-ups) with the Dress Uniform only. Heels may be no higher than 1"		10-12	Anywhere
	Bucks – should look very similar to GH Bass & Co. Emmie (female option) in taupe. Google "Bass Shoe Emmie Oxford" to see an example.		7-12	

DIALECTIC GENTLEMEN				
	Dress Uniform (required)	Daily Wear (optional)	Grades	Where to Purchase
Shirts	White button down, long sleeve oxford cloth shirt without logo	Black, red or white Performance Polo with logo	7-12	Dennis Uniform
		Black, red or white Long Sleeve Cotton Polo with logo		
Bottoms	Mens' khaki pant with plain brown belt. Belt may be purchased anywhere.		7-12	Dennis Uniform
Tie	McDonald plaid tie		7-9	Dennis Uniform
Physical Education	Uniform for PE class: Rockbridge Academy grey t-shirt and black shorts. Optional Rockbridge Academy sweatpants and sweatshirts. Students will change into PE clothes for PE class.		7-12	Dennis Uniform
Warm Layer	(optional) Red or Black Fleece ¾ Zip Jacket with Logo		7-9	Lands' End
Hosiery	Khaki socks – Dress socks, not athletic socks.		7-12	Anywhere
Shoes	Bucks - should look very similar to GH Bass & Co. Pasadena (male option) Oxford in taupe. Google "Bass Shoe Pasadena Oxford" to see an example. FOR PHYSICAL EDUCATION ONLY: Running or cross training shoes required. Should be a combination of any Rockbridge colors (black, white, gray, and red) and should be worn with white or black athletic socks.		7-12	

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	Dress Uniform (required)	Daily Wear (optional)	Grades	Where to Purchase
Shirts	White button down, long sleeve oxford cloth shirt without logo	Black, red or white Performance Polo with logo	7-12	Dennis Uniform
		Black, red or white Long Sleeve Cotton Polo with logo		
Bottoms	Mens' khaki pant with plain brown belt. Belt may be purchased anywhere.		7-12	Dennis Uniform
Tie	Red tie with black and white stripes		10-12	Dennis Uniform
Warm Layer	(required*) Navy blue Hopsack Blazer	(optional) Red or Black Fleece ¾ Zip Jacket with Logo	10-12	Lands' End (Blazer Dennis or Lands' End)
Physical Education	Uniform for PE class: Rockbridge Academy grey t-shirt and black shorts. Optional Rockbridge Academy sweatpants and sweatshirts. Students will change into PE clothes for PE class.		7-12	Dennis Uniform
Hosiery	Khaki socks – Dress socks, not athletic socks.		7-12	Anywhere
Shoes	Bucks – should look very similar to GH Bass & Co. Pasadena (male option) Oxford in taupe. Google "Bass Shoe Pasadena Oxford" to see an example.		7-12	

*Note that after the one-year transition, the men's blazer is now **required** for men's dress uniform.