

# *Trafton Academy*

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Dear Parents,

Trafton Academy's dress code is straightforward and simple. This dress code should be maintained at all Trafton functions excluding the Fall Carnival and Camp Tejas. The three vendors you may use for the purchase of shirts, sweatshirts, and jackets are **Lands' End, Buffalo Specialties, and Parker Uniforms.**

The Trafton Lands' End preferred school number is 9000-6530-4, and our logo number is 0127195K. If you misplace this letter, just remember the account number is located on the back of the catalog. This identifies the school and the items you are allowed to order. Lands' End may be contacted as follows:

Phone:	1-800-469-2222
Internet:	<a href="http://www.landsend.com/school">www.landsend.com/school</a>
Fax:	1-800-332-0103

To order from Buffalo Specialties, just go to [www.Trafton.org](http://www.Trafton.org) and click on uniforms. (Buffalo Specialties carries the Trafton hoodies, as well as shirts, sweatshirts, and jackets.) For information regarding products, you may contact Karen Bookstaff at 713-271-6107.

Parker School Uniforms has several stores. The one closest to most of our students is located at 5243 Buffalo Speedway. Their phone number at this location is 713-661-6110.

## **Uniform Details/Requirements:**

The pleated skirt may be purchased at Lands' End or Parker Uniform. Shorts must always be worn under skirts. Remember, the length of the skirts should be no shorter than 2½" above the knee.

The pants allowed for school may be purchased anywhere and are as follows: plain 5 pocket classic jeans, khaki pants, 7-8" walking shorts (khaki or denim). Pants and shorts must fit. They may not be oversized or too tight.

Footwear should be sensible and appropriate for the school day. Tennis shoes are required for every P.E. day. Sandals without backs are not safe or convenient for P.E. or campus activities.

Jewelry should not be excessive. Fingernail polish is limited to clear, beige, and shades of pink and red. No purple, green, blue, or black.

**The administration reserves the right to review and reject any fashion statement (hair styles, jewelry, appropriate sizing, etc.)**

Please make sure that your student is wearing the correct footwear and socks. Appropriate school style shoes with backs must be worn with socks (unless sandals are being worn). Hair should be combed, clean, and neat in appearance. Hair (for boys) should not be in the eyes, over the ears, nor over the collar. Just a good, old fashioned haircut. Hair is not to be colored or bleached. There is nothing wrong with the color with which the child was born. These are children and hopefully will stay unaltered as long as possible. No fad hair styles for the girls or boys.

We want to be reasonable and not have to fight the battle of dress this fall, but we do need the help of the parents. We know that a few parents do not want to fight this battle either and leave it to us...But think about it. Do you really want to put us in that position? Don't you want your child to feel good about coming to school? Why start the year with a bad attitude about school? It is in the best interest of your child for you to step up and set the rules before we have to get involved. We would like to be teachers and advisors, not fashion police. However, we do feel that if we have rules, those rules must be obeyed.

If you have any questions about the dress code, please do not hesitate to call the school. We are here to help you.

Thank you,

Sylvia Bryan

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Required Trip Wear

<b>Grades 4-6</b>	<b>Grades 7-8 Texas History Trip</b>	<b>Grades 7-8 Spring Trip</b>
Royal blue polo or t-shirt, or cobalt (Lands's End)	Royal blue polo shirt or t-shirt, or cobalt (Lands's End)	Royal blue polo shirt or t-shirt, or cobalt (Lands's End)
Royal blue sweatshirt or Trafton jacket	Red polo or t-shirt	Red polo or t-shirt
Grey, pink, or black hoodie	Polo or t-shirt: Girls: Light pink Boys: Light blue	Polo or t-shirt: Girls: Light pink Boys: Light blue
	Royal blue sweatshirt or Trafton jacket	Blue sweatshirt
	Grey, pink, or black hoodie	Trafton jacket
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