Dear Parents/Guardians,

Middle Ridge Elementary is a uniform school. Research indicates that wearing school uniforms improves a student’s attitude, disposition, and academic success and promotes positive behaviors. School uniforms also give students a sense of community and pride. Please use this information to prepare for your student’s attire while attending Middle Ridge Elementary School.

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<th>Shirts (Solid color &amp; tucked in)</th>
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<th>Pants, shorts, skirt or jumper</th>
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<td>Round Neck or</td>
<td>Heavy coats hung for the day</td>
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<td>Collared Shirt</td>
<td>Light jackets, sweaters, &amp; sweatshirts must be a solid uniform color</td>
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Uniforms worn Monday – Thursday

- If it can be seen it must be a uniform color, including but not limited to long-sleeve undershirts, sweaters and vests.
- Athletic tennis shoes are preferred, but all shoes must have a back or strap that goes around the heel.
- No slides or flip-flops.
- Students entering Middle Ridge Elementary are expected to be in uniform as quickly as possible upon enrollment. 10 days are given as a grace period to allow for planning or purchasing purposes, but uniforms should be worn in a timely manner to avoid consequences.

**Consequences for not complying with the Uniform Policy**

**UNIFORM LETTER SENT HOME EACH TIME**

**Offense #1.** Verbal warning to student. No change or adjustment made to student clothing, unless it does not meet Newton County dress code. Courtesy call to parents if change is necessary.

**Offense #2.** Parent contact made with a verbal warning, we will change the student if clothes are available and permission is given.

**Offense #3.** Parent contact made, parent must bring a change of clothes for the student.

**Offense #4.** Parent contact made, parent must bring a change of clothes and child will serve 1 ISS.

**Offense #5.** Parent conference with administration.

Warmest Regards,

Ms. Rhonda Battle
Principal

Mrs. De’Wanda Chester
Assistant Principal