

## SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICY

The aim of the school is to have students dress with a school identity in a smart and presentable way, which conforms to standards of decency and safety and enables all pupils to be treated equally. The school uniform shows that pupils belong to our school community and should be worn with pride. School Uniform is a requirement for being part of our school and is compulsory for all students.

The Liwa International School for Girls expects all students to comply with compulsory school uniform standards. All items of school uniform must be clearly labeled with your child's name.

### **The uniform is:**

- Beige shirt with school logo (Grade 1-7)
- Light Pink Pinafore dress (KG)
- Dark Pink Pinafore dress (Grade 1-4)
- School uniform colored tights/leggings may be worn (KG-Grade 4)
- Beige cardigan with school logo
- Long dark pink skirt or dark pink school trousers (Grade 5-7)
- Plain black, white, grey or beige socks
- Plain black, flat school shoes.
  - No flashing lights
  - No high heels
  - No ankle boots
- An appropriate coat whenever it is likely to be cold or wet may be worn but only with full uniform and when outdoors
- Abayas cannot be worn in school

### **PE Uniform:**

- Plain pink T shirt with school logo (only available from school).
- Plain dark blue tracksuit trousers with white stripe down the side.
- Plain dark blue tracksuit jacket with school logo.
- Trainers for PE (no lights or bright colors).
- No jewelry should be worn during any PE activity

### **Jewelry:**

- One pair of plain, small stud earrings – must be removed for any PE activity.
- Wristwatch – must be removed for any PE activity.
- No other jewelry is allowed.

### **General:**

- The school does not allow extremes of hair fashions i.e. no obvious dying of the hair. Please check with school first if you are unsure.
- No nail varnish or nail extensions
- No make up
- Mobile phones are not allowed in school

All appropriate items of school uniform can be obtained from our uniform store based in school.

The parent/guardian of any pupil with a genuine reason for not wearing an item of uniform must inform the school outlining the reason and agree a date when the student will be wearing the correct uniform.

If no communication is received the pupil will be given 3 written warning and parents will be contacted for a meeting.

If the issue is not resolved then the parent will be asked to meet with the Vice Principal/Principal.

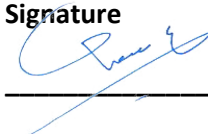
We recognise that it is the responsibility of the parents to ensure that their child(ren) is wearing correct uniform. However, where it becomes apparent that the child is refusing to comply with the uniform standards they will be given a warning and given the opportunity to rectify the matter within an agreed time scale – normally one week. If the matter is not resolved then the pupil will lose their recreational time. However, where it is apparent that there is serious flagrant refusal to follow uniform policy then this will result in a formal meeting.

Periodic uniform checks will be carried out. If a child's uniform does not meet the standards outlined in this policy parents/guardians will be informed by a warning which will identify the reason(s) and there will then be a second check a few days later. We will always try to act in a reasonable manner and involve parents at an early stage. In the interests of fairness and consistency across the school, please accept the Principal/Vice Principal's decisions on all uniform matters.

**This policy will be reviewed in June 2017.**

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**Endorsed by the school's Board of Trustees and signed by the Chairman of the Board:**

| Name                            | Signature   | Date       |
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| Ali Saeed Bin Harmal Al Dhaheri |  | 21-08-2016 |

**Appendix 1**

**Uniform warning**

Your child has not followed the Uniform policy in the points mentioned below:

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This is the: ( ) First offence ( ) Second offence ( ) Third offence

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Social Worker's Signature

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Parent Signature

Date: / / .