

Why We Should Wear Uniforms

I believe that all T.C.D.S.B. students should wear uniforms for the following reasons:

Firstly, you would represent the school that you attend. If you buy uniforms with the school logo, everyone would know what school you attend and that you are proud of it. Also, when we go on field trips or walks outside of school, all the community would know that we are students and not strangers from the neighbourhood.

Secondly, you would get ready for school much faster than if you did not wear uniforms. Since you wear the same thing every day, you know exactly what to wear the next day which makes it much quicker to get ready in the morning. Also, on civvies day, I realize that I take much longer to get ready than usual since I have a larger variety of clothing items to choose from rather than the normal shirt and pair of pants.

Now, people may say that uniforms are expensive and that you have to buy them once or twice a year. You could also just buy clothing slightly bigger than your regular size to make them last longer. Also, if you do not wear uniforms, you would have to buy a new set of clothing every few months so that you do not wear the same thing more than twice a week.

Lastly, uniforms ensure that students wear appropriate clothing. The shortest clothing item sold in navy blue is the girls' skirt that lands just above the knee. I also noticed that before, when we did not wear uniforms, that girls, grade eights in particular, wore short shirts and the boys wore t-shirts with inappropriate language or images.

For those and more reasons, I believe that wearing uniforms is required for all students who attend the T.C.D.S.B.

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