



## GEORGIA MILITARY COLLEGE PREPARATORY SCHOOL

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# FAQ FOR GRADES 3, 4, AND 5

## GENERAL INFORMATION

- 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> grades are housed in the Prep School Annex and Jenkins Hall.
- Students are grouped into homerooms and work with either 2 or 3 academic teachers, depending on the grade level.
- Full academic program along with Art, Musical Theatre, and Physical Education classes.
- Pickup and Dropoff Location is the Prep School Annex – drop off begins at 7am and ends at 7:30am while pick up begins at 3:05pm and ends at 3:30 pm. Car rider route is highlighted in yellow on the campus map included.
- Homeroom begins at 7:40 am and classes end at 3 pm.
- NOTE: 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> graders must be picked up by an adult in the car-rider line; no student may walk off campus by him/herself. They are only released to adults who have the official GMC Prep car-rider hang tag (will be issued at Open House in August) with the student's name visible to school personnel. Students in grades 3, 4, and 5 will not be released to an older sibling unless the sibling drives and proceeds through the car-rider line with the official hang tag visible.
- After-school program is available from 3:30pm until 5:30pm each full day of school. Cost for full-time enrollment is \$7 per day and drop-ins are available at \$8 per day. Students must register to participate in the After School Program.
- Junior Bulldogs Program – cross country, football, football cheerleading, basketball, and soccer – all practices and games are outside of school hours and rely on parent volunteers as coaches/sponsors
- Art Club – meets once per month after school
- All students participate in Musical Theatre classes and perform in two shows per year – one Holiday show in December with grades 3-12 and one Spring Musical featuring only students in grades 3-5
- Special Programs by grade level – 3<sup>rd</sup> graders: Bulldog Buddies (partnership with our 12<sup>th</sup> grade students), 4<sup>th</sup> graders: Baldwin County 4H, 5<sup>th</sup> graders: Baldwin County Sheriff's Dept CHAMPS

## UNIFORM INFORMATION

- 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> graders do not wear a military uniform as is worn by our 6<sup>th</sup>- 12<sup>th</sup> graders. The daily uniform for an elementary student is --
  - red GMC polo shirt with GMC Prep logo --- short sleeves acceptable all year, long sleeves optional in January – March
  - khaki pants – may substitute khaki shorts during designated times. Girls may also choose to wear a khaki skort during the same times designated for shorts.
  - black tennis shoes
  - black GMC fleece jacket with GMC Prep logo --- student's preference of when to wear, but is the only jacket allowed to be worn at school
- The Usery Legacy Fund will cover the Elementary uniform issue supplied by the GMC Bookstore.
- Parents should call the GMC Bookstore at 478.387.4909 or 478.387.4910 to schedule an appointment. Appointments are available for the weeks of June 15 and June 22.
- The GMC Elementary Uniform issue from the GMC Bookstore will include the following items at no cost to parents:
  - 4 of the required GMC short sleeve Polo shirts embroidered with GMC Prep logo
  - the required GMC Prep black fleece jacket embroidered with the GMC logo and the student's last name
  - 1 GMC Prep spirit t-shirt

- The **required** uniform items available in the Bookstore are:
  - Short sleeve red polo shirt featuring the GMC Prep logo.
  - Black fleece jacket featuring the GMC Prep logo and embroidered with student's last name – must be ordered from the GMC Bookstore
- The **required** uniform items that parents should purchase at vendor of their choice are:
  - Full length khaki pants --- must be uniform style with belt loops and no cargo pockets on the leg. Leggings/Jeggings are not allowed. We prefer that pants are not a “skinny” fit. Pants are to be full length and should cover the top of the shoe.
  - Black tennis shoes --- athletic type sneaker with either a white or black sole and only white logos. A list of approved styles is attached and shoes on the list may be purchased from provider of your choice. You may choose a brand that is not on the list, but the shoe must be very similar in nature and meet all shoe guidelines.
  - Black leather/leather-type dress belt --- simple square/rectangle/circle/oval gold or silver buckle.
  - White socks -- plain white with no logos, colors, etc. and must be visible above the shoe.
- The following uniform items are **optional** and may be purchased at the GMC Bookstore.
  - Long sleeve red polo featuring the GMC Prep logo
  - Black GMC Prep Raincoat with GMC Prep logo
  - Black winter knit cap
- The following uniform items are **optional** and may be purchased at the vendor of your choice:
  - Khaki shorts --- must be uniform style with length no greater than 2 inches above the knee and belt loops. No cargo pockets on the legs. Shorts are seasonal items (August, September, October, March, April, and May)
  - Khaki skorts for females --- must be a plain front uniform style with length no greater than 2 inches above the knee. Belt loops are not required for skorts. Skorts are seasonal items (August, September, October, March, April, and May)
  - Black winter knit cap -- solid black

## SCHOOL LUNCH

- All Elementary students eat lunch in the Bulldog Café located in the Prep School Annex. Students may bring their own lunch or purchase from the cafeteria using our electronic fund system – no cash is accepted. Parents will receive information at the start of school about the process for depositing funds into a student's lunch account. Student ID cards will be issued to students during first days of school and will be kept on a lanyard in the classroom. ID cards will be used as debit cards for those who wish to purchase school lunch. Our menu is a four week rotation and is provided to students/parents.

## SCHOOL SUPPLIES

- School Supply Lists will be available at [www.gmcprep.com](http://www.gmcprep.com) during the week of June 8
- Bookbags of any type (including rolling) are allowed.
- All 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> graders are required to purchase a GMC planner and basic supply pack from the school at a cost of \$15-20 with exact amount varying by grade level. Included supplies are grade specific with all being distributed to students during first week of school. GMC Prep will automatically bill each student's SMART Tuition account with this supply charge in September.

## PARENT PORTAL ACCOUNTS

- Our Parent Portal will provide you with access to school announcements, grades, class pages, homework assignments, and much more! Accounts will be set up during the first week of school. If you have a child who attend GMC Prep in SY1920, your new student will be linked to your existing account.

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

- Thursday, Aug 6 – Open House/Meet the Teacher/Visit Classrooms. This will be a drop in event with exact times and details to be announced on our website in mid-July.
- Friday, August 7 - First Day of School for SY20-21 will be a half day with dismissal at 11:50am

**NOTE** -- Please continue to visit our website – [www.gmcprep.com](http://www.gmcprep.com) – and check the New Students for SY20-21 section under the Admissions Tab for more information. We will continue to communicate with you via email as updates are available and will post all information to this section of our website.