

ST. MICHAEL'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

UNIFORM DRESS CODE

2019-2020

Shirts and Blouses

Girls and boys may wear

1. Short or long-sleeved plain white, navy blue, dark purple polo shirts with no identifying logo/print or shirts with official school logo which may be purchased through the school office.
2. Long-sleeved white or navy turtlenecks (not mock turtlenecks).
3. Girls may wear short or long-sleeved white Peter Pan collared blouses with navy or khaki jumper.
4. St. Michael's School t-shirts with uniform bottoms may be worn on Wednesdays unless otherwise informed. These may be purchased through the school office.

Pants, Shorts, Skirts & Skorts

Girls and boys may wear

1. Khaki or navy blue pants (no denim) that are pleated or not pleated in the front and have no external pockets (such as pockets like that are on jeans). No cargo pants.
2. Khaki or navy blue shorts (no denim) that are pleated or not pleated in the front and have no external pockets. No cargo shorts.

Girls may wear khaki or navy blue (no denim) skorts or skirts. **Skorts and skirts should have no external pockets.**

All pants, shorts, skirts and skorts

1. Should be of medium tan khaki (not the darkest, but not the near white) or navy blue (no denim).
2. Should be plain with no outside pockets.
3. **Belts must be worn in Grades K-6 with all pants, shorts, skorts, and skirts that have belt loops.**
4. Shorts must be of the walking type, and the bottom of the hem must be no higher than the tip of the wearer's middle finger when the arm is extended at the side. This applies to jumpers, skorts and skirts also.
5. Girls must wear shorts under skirts and jumpers.

Jumpers

Girls may wear jumpers that are khaki or navy blue (no denim). **One-piece dresses are not allowed.**

All shorts, skirts, skorts, and jumpers must be no higher than the wearer's middle finger when the arm is extended at the side.

Dress Uniforms

"Dress Uniforms" must be worn on Mass days. For boys, the "Dress Uniform" consists of khaki pants and the navy blue polo shirt (with logo preferred). For girls, the "Dress Uniform" consists of skirts (not skorts), or jumpers with a white shirt. Cowboy boots may not be worn on mass days.

Outer Wear

Girls and boys may wear

1. Any jacket that fits appropriately.

2. Navy blue or white sweaters and sweatshirts (over approved shirts). The sweaters may be pullovers or cardigans. Sweatshirts may be zippered or not.
3. No outerwear may contain logos that would not be appropriate for the Catholic School setting (beer logos, tobacco logos, bad words, etc.)
4. In cold weather, long sleeved white, dark purple, or navy blue shirts may be worn under the uniform shirt.
5. Jackets are to be worn only during cold temperatures. Jackets are never to be worn for the purpose of covering a uniform only. No hoods or other caps or hats are ever allowed in the building.

Monograms

Though not required but recommended, monogrammed patches for polo shirts may be ordered through the office. Check with the office for a list of vendors who will have the expected logo information.

Hair

Hair must be neat, clean and not a distraction. Girl's hair should be pulled back away from the face. Boy's hair should be short--it should not touch their shirt collar or come down to cover their eyes. Ponytails for boys are not acceptable.

Noncompliance

Homeroom teachers and other staff members will report to the office students who are not complying with the uniform requirement. Three instances of noncompliance in a grading period will result in lunch or after-school detention.

UNIFORM RULES

1. Shoes and belts may have color other than primarily white, brown, or black but should not be distracting. No flashing lights.
2. Open-toed shoes and backless shoes are not acceptable.
3. Socks and leggings should be a solid color: khaki/tan, navy, black, gray, or white.
4. Shirts must be tucked in.
5. Caps or sunglasses are not permitted inside the building.
6. Boys and girls may wear watches and neck chains. Girls' earrings may not be large or long.
7. Shirts with spaghetti straps, tank tops, and sleeveless shirts are never allowed even on free dress days.
8. White shirts that are see-through must have a t-shirt or camisole under it.