

STUDENT DRESS CODE

DRESS CODE FOR BOYS

Shirts	Solid light blue or white with a collar. (2-3 button knit polo shirt or full button tailored long or short sleeved dress shirt) Shirts must be tucked in at all times. Only solid white t-shirts without emblems, writing, pictures, colors, etc. on them may be worn under the regular school uniform shirt. <u>Solid</u> white turtlenecks may be worn <u>under</u> long sleeved uniform shirts, uniform sweaters, uniform vests or school sweatshirts.
Slacks/ Shorts	Grades K-5: Navy blue uniform pants/shorts (K students may wear elastic waist pants) Grade 6-8: Khaki uniform pants/shorts No jeans, cargo pants, pants with rivets or multi-pocketed pants may be worn. No baggy, oversized, or torn pants are permitted. Pants/shorts must be worn at the natural waist. Uniform shorts (no knit, cargo, jean, athletic, or baggy oversized shorts) of no more than knee length may be worn by students from April 1 st through October 31 st .
Belts	Grades 4-8 must wear black, brown, or blue colored belts with all slacks and shorts. Grades K-3 may choose to wear black, brown or blue colored belts with all slacks and shorts.
Sweaters	Solid navy blue cardigan or crew neck sweaters (no oversized sweaters or “sweatshirt” material) may be worn. Solid navy blue pullover sweater vests are acceptable. These must be worn over uniform shirts, polo shirts or white turtlenecks.
Official School Sweatshirts	Official school sweatshirts and fleece, purchased through the school office, may be worn in lieu of uniform sweaters throughout the year. These must be worn over uniform shirts or white turtlenecks. Athletic Association sweatshirts are NOT permitted except on Spirit Days.
Socks	<u>Solid</u> white, navy blue, or black above the ankle socks.
Shoes	Practical shoes or gym shoes with non-marking soles must be worn. Shoes must be fastened to stay on the feet. NO shoes with wheels, elevated platform shoes, sandals, hiking boots, clogs, Crocs, work boots, or moccasins/slippers may be worn. Snow boots must be removed during the day.
Hair	All students' hair must be neat, clean, well groomed and shall not create a safety or health hazard. Hair may not hang over eye brows or exceed collar length including tails. Extreme/unusual hair color or haircuts including lines and/or shaving head are not acceptable. Any facial hair (mustaches and beards) must be clean shaven.
Jewelry/ Tattoos/ Other	Earrings, distracting jewelry, such as large or multiple necklaces or rings etc., belt to pocket chains and any kind of tattoo are not permitted. Perfume, cologne, scented lotions are not to be brought to school.

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DRESS CODE FOR GIRLS

Blouses/ shirts	Solid white with a collar (knit polo shirt or full button tailored long or short sleeved dress shirt) must be worn. Solid light blue shirts may be worn with the <u>slacks or shorts only</u> . Shirts and blouses must be tucked in at all times. Only solid white t-shirts without emblems, writing, pictures, colors, etc. on them may be worn under the regular school uniform shirt. <u>Solid</u> white turtlenecks may be worn <u>under</u> long sleeved uniform shirts, uniform sweaters, or school sweatshirts.
Jumper/ Skirt	Grades K-3: Red plaid uniform jumper must be no shorter than 2” above the knee. Grades 4-8: Red plaid uniform skirt must be no shorter than 2” above the knee. Shorts worn under the uniform must not show below the jumper/skirt hemline. Our uniform code is #1966 through Schoolbelles.
Slacks/ Shorts	Grades K-5: Navy blue uniform pants/shorts (K students may wear elastic waist pants) Grades 6-8: Khaki uniform pants/shorts No jeans, capris, cargo pants, knit pants, yoga pants/spandex, pants with rivets or multi-pocketed pants may be worn. No baggy, oversized, or torn pants are permitted. Pants/shorts must be worn at the natural waist. Uniform shorts (no knit, cargo, jean, athletic, or baggy oversized shorts) of no more than knee length may be worn by students from April 1 st through October 31 st .
Belts	Grades 4-8 must wear black, brown, or blue colored belts with all slacks and shorts. Grades K-3 may choose to wear black, brown or blue colored belts with all slacks and shorts.
Sweaters	Solid navy blue cardigan or crew neck sweaters may be worn. (No oversized sweaters or "sweatshirt" material.) Solid navy blue pull-over sweater vests are acceptable. These must be worn over uniform shirts, polo shirts or white turtlenecks.
Official School Sweatshirts	Official school sweatshirts and fleece, purchased through the school office, may be worn in lieu of uniform sweaters throughout the year. These must be worn over uniform shirts or white turtlenecks. Athletic Association Sweatshirts are NOT permitted except on Spirit Days.
Socks/ Tights	Grades K-3: Socks must be worn at all times. Sock colors must be a single solid white, navy blue or black. White, navy blue, black leggings to the ankle, footed opaque or knit tights without designs may be worn with the uniform skirt/jumper. Grades 4-8: Socks must be worn at all times. Sock colors must be a single solid white, navy blue or black. White, navy blue, or black leggings may be worn, but must go all the way to the ankle, with the uniform skirt/jumper.
Shoes	Practical shoes or gym shoes with non-marking soles must be worn. Shoes must be fastened to stay on the feet. NO shoes with wheels, elevated platform shoes, sandals, hiking boots, clogs, Crocs, work boots, or moccasins/slippers may be worn. Snow boots must be removed during the day.
Hair	All students' hair must be neat, clean, well groomed and bangs may not hang over the eyebrows. Extreme/unusual hair color or haircuts are not acceptable.
Jewelry/ Tattoos/ Nail Polish/ Cosmetics	Hoop or dangling earrings below the earlobe are not permitted. Only one earring per ear is permitted, to be worn in the lower lobe. No distracting jewelry, only one necklace, ring, or bracelet is permitted. Acrylic nails and nail polish are not permitted. Tattoos are not permitted. No make-up is permitted. Perfume, cologne, scented lotions are not to be brought to school.

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NAME BADGES

Student name badges are required at all times. Students are not permitted to place stickers or pins on nametags. Lost or damaged nametags will be replaced at a cost of **\$3.00**.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION DRESS CODE

Grades 4-8 will be required to change out of uniform and into active attire for gym class. Appropriate attire includes t-shirts with sleeves (no tank tops), shorts (finger-tip length), sweats, and secure fitting gym shoes. No jeans, zippers or snaps due to safety concerns.

Grades K-3 do not change out of uniform, but will need to wear gym shoes and the girls should wear shorts under their jumper/skirts.

In the fall and spring, the gym classes may go outside. Students should dress accordingly. The early morning classes may encounter wet grass from the dew. It is suggested they bring a change of shoes and socks for the remainder of the school day.

SPIRIT WEAR DAY

Wednesday is designated as "Blue Jay Spirit Wear Day." Students may wear school spirit wear and uniform tops from any St. John the Baptist activity. Regulation uniform bottoms are required. Shirts must be tucked in at all times. All other uniform rules apply.

OUT OF UNIFORM POLICY

School out of uniform days will be announced in advance and **apply only to the clothing** a student may wear on an out of uniform day. All other aspects of the dress code and personal grooming are in effect on an out of uniform day. Students may wear street clothes including jeans (no tears or rips). Extreme styles of clothing are not to be worn. Unacceptable forms of clothing are short shorts (must be fingertip length), short skirts (must be two inches above the knee), spaghetti strap garments, yoga/spandex pants, bare midriffs, tank tops, see-through clothes, or clothing which reveals undergarments. Shoes and socks must be worn. Clothing must reflect the atmosphere of a Catholic school and not have any references to alcohol, drugs, violence, tobacco, sex, and inappropriate/derogatory messages. The school administration reserves the right to make the final decision on a given student's attire for the day. If a student's clothing is deemed unacceptable, the parents will be called to bring other clothing to the school.

DRESS CODE VIOLATIONS

- A warning notification will be sent if your child is in violation of the dress code.
- The third dress code violation, in one trimester, will also result in an after school detention.
- Repeated, serious and/or intentional violations can result in suspension and/or expulsions.
- Please send an explanatory note if you cannot send your child in the correct uniform for some unexpected and unforeseen reason (i.e. a broken limb).

The principal reserves the right to decide whether or not something conforms to the dress code.