

## DRESS CODE

The purpose of the dress code is to provide a standard for our students that fosters an environment that is conducive to learning, that promotes respectful behavior, that encourages students to take pride in their appearance, to eliminate competition in dress and to minimize clothing costs.

The responsibility of following the dress code is that of the parents and the students. Your consistency and conscientiousness in following the standards and regulations stated in the dress code are required.

The faculty has the authority to determine if students are in compliance with the dress code, while the administration will have the final determination in the appropriateness of attire. The dress code does not change to reflect current trends and fads.

**Please note: Just because a specific item is not listed as “not permitted” does not necessarily imply that it is permissible.**

### UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS & OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION

#### BOYS K-5

1. Solid navy blue uniform dress pants must be worn. Belt loops or elastic waistbands are permitted. If pants with belt loops are worn, a solid-colored belt of black, brown or navy must be worn. However, belts are optional for Kindergarten and Grade 1 boys. Jeans of any color denim and cargo pants are not permitted.
2. Navy blue uniform shorts may **only** be worn in August, September, October and April, May, June. They must be no shorter than **2-3”** above the knee. If pants with belt loops are worn, a solid-colored belt of black, brown or navy must be worn. However, belts are optional for Kindergarten and Grade 1 boys.

One of the following styles of shirts must be worn and must be neatly tucked in at all times.

- a. A solid white, powder blue or light yellow dress shirt with a turned down collar. The shirt should be buttoned the entire length except for the top two buttons and may be either long or short sleeve.
- b. A solid color white, powder blue or light yellow knit shirt with a collar (polo- style). Shirts may be either long or short sleeve. Polo shirts with Holy Family imprint may be worn. **Shirts with imprint may be purchased at S&T.** Navy blue or dark blue shirts are not permitted.

- c. White turtlenecks are permitted only if worn under pullover sweater or sweatshirt.
4. Solid navy blue cardigan or crewneck sweaters may be worn. Navy blue sweater vests are permitted. Sweaters must be solid in color and may not have any designs or emblems. A uniform shirt or turtleneck must be worn under sweaters. **Hooded sweaters or sweatshirts are not permitted.**
5. Solid navy, black or white socks must be worn at all times. Socks may be of ankle (must cover the ankle) or mid-calf styles. "No show" socks are not permitted.

## **BOYS 6-8**

1. Solid black uniform dress pants must be worn. A solid color belt of black or brown must be worn. Jeans of any color denim and cargo pants are not permitted.
2. Black uniform shorts may **only** be worn in August, September, October and April, May, June. They must be no shorter than **2-3"** above the knee. A solid-colored belt of black, brown must be worn.
3. One of the following styles of shirts must be worn and must be neatly tucked in at all times.
  - a. A solid white dress shirt with a turned down collar. The shirt should be buttoned the entire length except for the top two buttons and may be either long or short sleeve.
  - b. A solid color white or hunter green knit shirt with a collar (polo-style). Shirts may be either long or short sleeve. Shirts with Holy Family imprint may be worn.
  - c. White turtlenecks are permitted only if worn under pullover sweater or sweatshirt.
4. Solid black, gray, hunter green, or white cardigan or crewneck sweaters may be worn. Black, gray, hunter green, or white sweater vests are permitted. Sweaters must be solid in color and may not have any designs or emblems. A uniform shirt or turtleneck must be worn under sweaters. **Hooded sweaters or sweatshirts are not permitted.**
5. Solid navy, black, gray, hunter green, or white socks must be worn at all times. Socks may be of ankle (must cover the ankle) or mid-calf styles. "No show" socks are not permitted.

## **GIRLS K-5**

1. A blue plaid uniform jumper or blue plaid uniform skort is permitted. Both jumper and skort length must be no shorter than 2" above the knee from a kneeling position.
2. Solid navy blue uniform dress pants may be worn. Belt loops or elastic waistbands are permitted. If pants with belt loops are worn, a solid-colored belt of black, brown or navy must be worn. However, belts are optional for Kindergarten and Grade 1 girls. Jeans of any color denim knit stretch pants and cargo pants are not permitted.
3. Navy blue uniform shorts may **only** be worn in August, September, October and April, May, June. They must be no shorter than **2-3"** above the knee. If pants with belt loops are worn, a solid-colored belt of black, brown or navy must be worn. However, belts are optional for Kindergarten and Grade 1 girls.

One of the following styles of shirts must be worn and must be neatly tucked in at all times.

- a. A solid white, powder blue or light yellow blouse with a turned down collar. The blouse should be buttoned the entire length except for the top two buttons and may be either long or short sleeve.
  - b. A solid color white, powder blue or light yellow knit shirt with a collar (polo-style). Shirts may be either long or short sleeve. Polo shirts with Holy Family imprint may be worn. Navy blue or dark blue shirts are not permitted.
  - c. White turtlenecks are permitted only if worn under pullover sweater or sweatshirt.
5. Solid navy blue or light blue cardigan or crewneck sweaters may be worn. Navy blue or light blue sweater vests are permitted. Sweaters must be solid in color and may not have any designs or emblems. A uniform shirt or turtleneck must be worn under sweaters. **Hooded sweaters or sweatshirts are not permitted.**
  6. Solid navy, black, gray, hunter green or white socks must be worn at all times. Socks may be of ankle (must cover the ankle) or knee-high styles. "No show" socks are not permitted.

## **GIRLS 6-8**

1. A uniform green/gray plaid skort or uniform green/gray plaid skirt must be

worn. Both skirt and skirt length must be no shorter than 2-3" above the knee from a kneeling position.

2. Solid black uniform dress pants may be worn. A solid-colored belt of black or brown must be worn. Jeans of any color denim knit stretch pants and cargo pants are not permitted.

3. Black uniform shorts may **only** be worn in August, September, October and April, May, June. They must be no shorter than **2-3"** above the knee. A solid-colored belt of black or brown must be worn.

4. One of the following styles of shirts must be worn and must be neatly tucked in at all times.

a. A solid white blouse with a turned down collar. The shirt should be buttoned the entire length except for the top two buttons and may be either long or short sleeve.

b. A solid color white or hunter green knit shirt with a collar (polo-style). Shirts may be either long or short sleeve. White and hunter green polo shirts with Holy Family imprint may be worn.

c. White turtlenecks are permitted only if worn under pullover sweater or sweatshirt.

5. Black, gray, hunter green, or white cardigan or crewneck sweaters may be worn. Black, gray, hunter green, or white sweater vests are permitted. Sweaters must be solid in color. A uniform shirt or turtleneck must be worn under sweaters.

6. Solid navy, black, gray, hunter green or white socks must be worn at all times. Socks may be of ankle (must cover the ankle) or knee-high styles. "No show" socks are not permitted.

## **ALL STUDENTS**

### **Gym Uniform**

Tee shirts are yellow-gold and shorts are mesh hunter-green. Tennis shoes are required. Students need to have a gym bag. K-3 students need tennis shoes only. (Uniforms may be purchased at S&T Engraving.)

### **Hair**

#### **Girls:**

Hair should be well groomed and worn in an appropriate style for school. Hair

coloring is not permitted. If hair is highlighted, it must be simple and natural looking. Hair ornaments must compliment the uniform and be simple, small and in good taste. Simple headbands may be worn, but no scarves.

### **Boys:**

Hair should be kept neat, trimmed and well groomed. Hair may not hang to the eyebrows or ears and may not fall below the collar. Hair coloring is not permitted. If hair is highlighted, it must be simple and natural looking. Extreme styles, such as designs or words out into the hair, tail or ponytails are not permitted. Boys must be clean-shaven.

### **Jewelry**

Jewelry can be worn if simple, small and in good taste. The wearing of jewelry related to body piercing is not permitted. Visible tattoos are not permitted. Girls are permitted to wear one pierced earring in each ear. Long earrings or large hoop earrings are not permitted. Boys are not permitted to wear earrings to school or any school function.

### **Shoes**

Shoes must be solid black, brown, navy or similar shades (i.e. brown/tan, black/charcoal, etc). Shoes must be soft soled with non-marking soles and heels. Not permitted are sandals, slippers, moccasins, and boots of any style, crocs or clogs. During inclement weather, boots are permitted to be worn to and from school, but students must change into proper shoes while at school.

### **Sweatshirts**

**Contact not defined.** School sweatshirts may be worn as part of the school uniform. Approved colors as well as current and prior year designs are permitted. A uniform shirt or turtleneck must be worn under sweatshirts. Hooded sweatshirts are not permitted except on Friday when Holy Family Spirit-wear and Holy Family School Athletic sweatshirts may be worn.

### **Holiday sweatshirts**

Holiday sweatshirts may be worn two weeks prior to the holiday. A blouse or shirt must be worn under a sweatshirt.

**Dress Down Day** – Dress down day may include all or any part of this description. Jeans, tennis shoes, T-shirts (no offensive writing on t-shirt) Holy Family shirt or sweatshirt (a shirt must be worn under a sweatshirt). Spandex or leggings are not acceptable attire.

When a student or class is representing Holy Family at a function outside of the building such as English Festival, Math Counts etc. the students must be dressed in complete uniform or dress up clothes. NO JEANS. The supervising teacher will give specific directions on dress code.

If your child comes to school out of uniform, you will be called promptly.

