

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL
DRESS CODE/UNIFORM POLICY
2008-2009

This dress code/uniform policy has been established to help create a positive school climate. Students are to abide by this policy in an effort to emphasize standards of neatness in grooming, uniformity in our school's image, and pride in our school. Parents are requested to cooperate and enforce the school uniform policy. To be fair to all students, the staff will enforce this policy.

All students are expected to be in full uniform each day with the exception of scheduled non-uniform days.

Uniform Policy Grades K-8

Girls Uniform Grades K-8:

- Twill uniform pants or shorts in Navy, Khaki or Black
- Twill uniform skorts or jumpers in Navy, Khaki or Black
- Uniform Cardigan Sweater in Navy
- Uniform **round** collared blouse, long or short sleeve in white
- Uniform knit polo shirts long or short sleeve (no logos, monograms, or frills) in **White, Navy, and Royal Blue.**
- Crew Neck Sweatshirt with **embroidered St. Mary's School Logo** on it in **Navy, Royal Blue, or Gray.**
- Turtle Necks may be worn under the sweaters, sweatshirts and polos in **Navy, Royal Blue or White.**

Boys Uniform Grades K-8:

- Twill uniform pants or shorts in Navy, Khaki or Black
- Uniform Cardigan Sweaters in Navy
- Uniform knit polo shirts, long or short sleeve (no logos, or monograms) in **White, Navy, and Royal Blue.**
- Crew neck Sweatshirt with **embroidered St. Mary's School Logo** on it in **Navy, Royal Blue, or Gray.**
- Turtle Necks may be worn under the sweaters, sweatshirts and polos in **Navy, Royal Blue or White.**

Uniform Purchases:

- All uniforms, except sweatshirts, must be purchased at Donald's Uniform Store, or J.C Penney uniform selection. The former/original "classroom" brand uniform polos (navy & white) and pants that are in circulation will also continue to be acceptable. Sweatshirts may be purchased at Moore Imprints in New Richmond.
- Deviations from the specified uniform colors are not acceptable. For example, khaki cannot have substitutions of cement, tan, beige, etc. at any store.
- Bottoms can have either pleats or plain fronts. Pants must be straight leg and have no outside pockets on the back. They must also fit properly on student's waist.
- Any special size requirements that cannot be met at either Donald's should be brought to the attention of the school principal. The principal will advise.
- All uniforms must be neat, clean, and in good repair. Worn out uniforms must be replaced. Any alteration to the fit of the uniform must be consistent with the basic design.

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Dress Code Grades Preschool-8

1. Shoes/Socks:

Shoes: *Only* neat, clean, non-marking tennis shoes. No clogs, slip-ons, loafers, sandals (except sandals for 6, 7 & 8 as noted below). No boots of any kind can be worn in the classroom.

Socks: Solid colored socks or tights must always be worn K-8 grades.

Middle School (Grades 6, 7 & 8):

May wear leather strapped on sandals with socks from the beginning of the school year until October 15 and from April 15 until the end of the school year.

2. Shirts:

Under shirts in white only, no printing, may be worn under the polo shirts

For non-uniform days: Tee shirts without advertisements for alcohol and cigarettes or inappropriate language may be worn. No spaghetti straps or tank tops are allowed. Shirts must be long enough to cover stomach.

3. Pants:

For non-uniform days: Jeans without holes and walking shorts may be worn.

4. Hair:

No extreme hairstyles, and your hair must be of your natural color.

5. Jewelry:

No large or excessive jewelry is allowed. Only ears may be pierced and one non-dangling, non-hoop earring per ear.

6. Make Up/Nails:

Excessive make-up is not acceptable. No eye make-up is allowed. Colored polish in the pink family only can be worn. No body markings allowed.

Uniform/Dress Code Violation Policy

Parental cooperation is necessary to maintain a uniform dress code. It is the parent's responsibility to assure the uniform regulations are followed so class time is not taken for teachers and the principal to remind and enforce adherence to the dress code. All parts of the dress code/uniform policy are at the discretion of the teachers and principal. If the policy is not adhered to, the following violation policy is in effect.

1st Infraction: Student will be sent home with a "Uniform Slip" which is to be signed by the parent and returned to the Principal the next day. If the slip is not returned, a phone call will be placed to the parent.

2nd Infraction: Student will call parent at home or work and ask parent to bring uniform clothes to school.

3rd & 4th Infractions: At the discretion of the Principal