

**ST. MARY SCHOOL
DRESS CODE/UNIFORM POLICY
2022-2023**

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 and Spirit Day.

Uniform Policy Grades K-8

All grades may wear the approved Spirit Shirt on the Wednesday, Early Out Schedule.

Girls Uniform Grades K-8

- Twill uniform pants or shorts in Navy or Khaki – Shorts are worn until 10/15 and from 4/15.
- Twill uniform skirts, skorts, or jumpers in Plaid, Navy or Khaki - Leggings or tights should be worn from 10/15 to 4/15.
- Uniform Cardigan Sweater in Navy
- Uniform **round** collared blouse, long or short sleeve in White or Light Blue
- Uniform knit polo shirts long or short sleeve (no outside logos, monograms, or frills) in Navy or Royal Blue
- *Navy Blue Polo with logo #87SMNR Donalds Only
- *Royal Blue Polo with logo #87SMNR Donalds Only
- Grades K-4 Cotton Plaid Jumper – Style 9427 – Donalds
- Grades 4-8 Plaid skirt – Style 3427 -Donalds
- Crew Neck Sweatshirt with **embroidered St. Mary School's Logo** on it in Navy or Royal Blue
- White turtlenecks may be worn under the sweaters, sweatshirts and polos.

Boys Uniform Grades K-8:

- Twill uniform pants or shorts in Navy or Khaki – Shorts are worn until 10/15 and from 4/15.
- Uniform Cardigan Sweaters in Navy
- Uniform knit polo shirts, long or short sleeve (no outside logos, or monograms) in Navy, Royal blue or Light Blue (with logo #8760 Donalds only).
- *Navy Blue Polo with logo #87SMNR Donalds Only
- *Royal Blue Polo with logo #87SMNR Donalds Only
- Crew neck Sweatshirt with **embroidered St. Mary School's Logo** on it in Navy or Royal Blue
- White turtlenecks may be worn under the sweaters, sweatshirts and polos.

Grades 6-8 Only– Blue Jeans that are boot cut and not low rise or skinny legged may be worn on Thursday and Friday with uniform shirts and hooded oxford, navy and royal blue sweatshirts ordered from Moore Imprint only.

Uniform Purchases:

- All uniforms, except sweatshirts, **must** be purchased at Donald's Uniform Store or J.C. Penney uniform selection. Sweatshirts **must** 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 legs and have no outside pockets on the back. They must also fit properly on the student's waist.
- Any special size requirements that cannot be met at either Donald's or J.C. Penney need to 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.

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 may wear sandals with strap around the ankle from May 1st – October 1st). No boots of any kind can be worn in the classroom.

Socks: White or navy socks or white or blue tights must always be worn K-8 grades.

2. Shirts:

Undershirts for girls' camis or tees in white only, no printing, may be worn under the polo shirts. No lace or ruffle.

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 the stomach.

3. Pants:

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

4. Hair:

No extreme hair styles, and hair must be the child's natural color. Hair ribbons, bow, and headbands should be in navy, khaki, or school plaid

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:

Make Up is not 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: Students 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: Students will call parents at home or work and ask parents to bring uniform clothes to school.

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