

# **ST JOSEPH SCHOOL DRESS CODE**

Revised for the 2020-21 School Year

**Shirts:** Navy Blue, Red or White Polo or Button down

**Sweaters or 1/4 zip fleece:** White, Navy or Black (No hoods)

**Pants:** Uniform Style Pant in Khaki, Navy or Black only. **No leggings**

**Shorts, capris, skirts, dresses, jumpers:** Khaki, Navy, or Black (no shorter than 2 inches above the knee)

**Shoes:** Close toed & flat shoes required (tennis shoes, dress shoes, indoor boots)

## **Miscellaneous:**

- Winter hats, gloves, snow pants, & warm coats required for winter recess
- No sleeveless shirts
- No bandanas, hats, dyed hair (outside of natural colors), or long dangling earrings.
- 1-2 inch brand-embroidered logos or St. Joseph School logos are acceptable on shirts and tops.

**Uniform Days:** Every Mass day (Fridays) and Field Trips (unless advised otherwise) require use of the uniform.

**Boys:** Khaki dress pants & Navy blue collared shirt

**Girls:** Khaki dress pants, skirt, or jumper & Navy blue collared shirt

**Casual for a Cause:** Casual days will be announced and coincide with a cause/service project. Families/students will be asked to do a service to earn a casual day i.e. students bring in a canned good for a local food pantry. Students may wear jeans with no holes or rips. **No leggings, sweatpants, athletic pants, yoga pants etc.** Shirts must be school appropriate. Shorts (knee length-no athletic shorts). NOTE: ALL CASUAL CLOTHES MUST BE APPROPRIATE FOR SCHOOL.

**All School/Church functions including 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Sending Forth Liturgy and Reception in School:** We expect our young men to wear slacks and a colored shirt. Ties, jackets, or sweaters are fine but optional. We expect our young ladies to wear a dress or skirt of an appropriate length-that is within 2 inches of the floor when kneeling down, or a slacks outfit. The dress, blouse, shirt or top is to have sleeves (at least a cap) and a full back and front; tops are to be long enough to be tucked in. As above, the neckline should be near the collarbone. Strapless attire is not acceptable alone; a sweater or jacket (not a shawl or scarf) worn throughout the entire Mass and reception would be allowed.

## **PARENT RESPONSIBILITY**

Parents are responsible for ensuring that their children follow the Dress Code guidelines.

## **INFRACTIONS**

We will not be calling home for clothing changes to be brought into school.

Principal/Teacher will send home Discipline Reports for Dress Code infraction. After the first one, detentions (Gr. 3-8) will be assigned; (K-2) will miss playtime. Additional infractions will require a parent meeting with the principal.

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