**St. Joseph School’s Dress Code**

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| **General Uniform Policy (CO-ED)**  ***The purpose of the Dress Code is to provide uniformity for our students to decrease or limit a sense of distraction to learning or competition among students that distracts or prevents students from focusing on their academic success and social/emotional health.*** |
| **Hair:**   * No extreme hair coloring (blue, green, etc.) * Hair must be kept “neat” and “maintained”. * Hair should not obstruct student vision.   **Make-Up:**   * No make-up of any kind should be worn.   **“Free Dress” Days:**   * Students are allowed to wear casual clothing that is acceptable, non-offensive, and not distractive. * All students must wear shirts with sleeves. * Knee-lengths shorts or skirts are allowed following the same schedule per the regular uniform. * No sandals, flip-flops, or toe-less shoes. * No boots. * NO FREE DRESS ON MASS DAYS. |
| **If your child is found to not be following the school’s Dress Code:**   1. **First offense:** A verbal warning and family contacted. 2. **Second offense:** The student will be given an alternative option from the “Uniform Swap” Room that meets the Dress Code and family contacted. 3. **Third offense:** Family will be contacted to bring an alternative outfit for the child to change into. 4. **Further offenses:** Administrative action to be determined. |

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| **GIRLS** | | | |
|  | **K through Grade 4 “Regular Uniform”** | **Grades 5-8 “Regular Uniform”** | **PE Uniforms** |
| **Shirt Options** | * White oxford blouse * White polo style shirt * White turtleneck | * White oxford blouse * White polo style shirt * White turtleneck | * Gray or green t-shirt * Gray or green long sleeve tee * Any school sport t-shirt or “Spirit Wear” |
| **Skirt/Pants Options**  ***\*shorts are only permitted in Aug., Sept., Oct., May, and June!*** | * Uniform jumper * Khaki skirt (knee-length) * Khaki skort * Khaki pants (with belt) * Khaki knee-length shorts\* with belt * Tights: white, gray, or forest green (solid colors) allowed under skorts or skirts | * Khaki skirt (knee-length) * Khaki skort * Khaki pants (with belt) * Khaki shorts\* with belt * Tights: white, gray, or forest green (solid colors) allowed under skorts or skirts | * Gray or green sweatpants (only school lettering is permitted) * Gray or green shorts\* |
| **Shoes & Socks**  ***-no slipper style shoes, toe-less shoes, or boots are allowed in school for safety reasons.*** | * Tan or brown shoes (non-skid bottoms) such as Sperry shoes or Vans. * Black/white saddle shoes or “Mary Janes” * Knee or ankle socks (solid white, forest green, or gray) * Sneakers can only be worn with shorts (no bright colors) | * Tan or brown shoes (non-skid bottoms) such as Sperry shoes or Vans. * Black/white saddle shoes or “Mary Janes” * Knee or ankle socks (solid white, forest green, or gray) * Sneakers can only be worn with shorts. | * Sneakers only (no bright colors) |
| **Sweaters, Sweatshirts, Etc.**  ***-sweater vest (or other sweater) is required Nov. through April*** | * Green sweater vest with school logo * Green pull-over or cardigan sweater | * Green sweater vest with school logo * Green pull-over or cardigan sweater | * Green or gray sweatshirt * Only lettering should be SJS logo or SJS sport/spirit wear |
| **Boys** | | | |
|  | **K through Grade 4 “Regular Uniform”** | | **PE Uniforms** |
| **Shirt Options** | * White polo style shirt * White turtleneck | | * Gray or green t-shirt * Gray or green long sleeve tee * Any school sport t-shirt or “Spirit Wear” |
| **Skirt/Pants Options**  ***\*shorts are only permitted in Aug., Sept., Oct., May, and June!*** | * Khaki pants (with belt) * Khaki knee-length shorts\* with belt | | * Gray or green sweatpants or (only school lettering is permitted) * Gray or green shorts\* |
| **Shoes & Socks**  ***-no slipper style shoes, toe-less shoes, or boots are allowed in school for safety reasons.*** | * Tan or brown shoes (non-skid bottoms) such as Sperry shoes, loafers, or Vans. * Ankle socks (solid white, forest green, or gray) * Sneakers can only be worn with shorts (no bright colors). | | * Sneakers only (no bright colors) |
| **Sweaters, Sweatshirts, Etc.**  ***-sweaters are required Nov. through April*** | * Green sweater vest with school logo * Green pull-over or cardigan sweater | | * Green or gray sweatshirt * Only lettering should be SJS logo or SJS sport/spirit wear |

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All uniform clothing may be ordered / purchased through:

* **Dennis Uniform Company: www,dennisuniform.com (school code = DNR)**
* **Land’s End Phone:** [**www.landsend.com/school**](http://www.landsend.com/school) **(school code = 9000-3766-4).**
* **Tommy Hilfiger:** [**www.globalschoolwear.com**](http://www.globalschoolwear.com) **(school code = STJO18)**

**\*Clothing that follows the above stated dress code regulations may be purchased at any other clothing store.**