



SAINT ANN
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Dress Code Policy

SCHOOL UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS

Student attire must promote Christian decency, cleanliness, and good health.

The student is expected to be in full and proper uniform at all times. It should be kept clean and neat throughout the year. Students out of uniform will be issued a warning notice. Students who repeatedly violate the uniform policy will be required to wear uniforms on “out of uniform/jeans” days. A description of the proper uniform follows:

Elementary Boys:

<u>Grade Level</u>	<u>Top</u>	<u>Bottom</u>	<u>Belt</u>	<u>Footwear</u>	<u>Outerwear</u>	<u>PE</u>
<u>PreK - Kinder</u>	Gray St. Ann polo, purchased from the uniform vendor or used uniform sale	Navy blue uniform style pants or shorts, flat front or pleated, PreK may have an elastic waist to make restroom breaks easier with no belt, Kinder must have belt loops (cargo, skinny, or jogger style are not permitted), may be purchased anywhere uniform style dress pants are sold	<u>PreK</u> - No belt <u>Kinder</u> - Belt required, must be solid in color: navy, black, or brown, no large buckles	Solid neutral color tennis shoes (no fluorescent colors), may not have lights, wheels, or characters	<u>Classroom</u> : ¾ zip sweater, sweater vest, or button up cardigan *Hoodies and sweatshirts bought through the Spirit Shop may be worn on PE or out of uniform days only No other jackets or sweaters may be worn in the school building	Students wear their regular uniform but must wear tennis shoes on days they have PE, even on out of uniform days
<u>1st – 4th</u>	Gray St. Ann polo, purchased from the uniform vendor or used uniform sale <u>Must be tucked in at all times.</u>	Navy blue uniform style pants or shorts, flat front or pleated (cargo, skinny, or jogger style are not permitted), may be purchased anywhere uniform style dress pants are sold, must have belt loops, student must wear a belt	Belt required, must be solid in color: navy, black, or brown, no large buckles	<u>Regular Uniform Days</u> : Black, brown, or navy loafer style dress shoe such as but not limited to Merrell’s or Sperry’s <u>PE days</u> : Solid neutral color tennis shoes (no fluorescent colors), may not have lights, wheels, or characters	<u>Classroom</u> : ¾ zip sweater, sweater vest, or button up cardigan *Hoodies and sweatshirts bought through the Spirit Shop may be worn on PE or out of uniform days only No other jackets or sweaters may be worn in the school building	Students wear their regular uniform but must wear tennis shoes on days they have PE, even on out of uniform days





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Middle School Boys:

<u>Grade Level</u>	<u>Top</u>	<u>Bottom</u>	<u>Belt</u>	<u>Footwear</u>	<u>Outerwear</u>	<u>PE</u>
<u>5th – 8th</u>	Navy St. Ann polo, purchased from the uniform vendor or used uniform sale, White St. Ann button up shirt with St. Ann Tie (shirt and tie are optional) <u>Must be tucked in at all times.</u>	Khaki uniform style pants or shorts, flat front or pleated (cargo, skinny, or jogger style are not permitted), may be purchased anywhere uniform style dress pants are sold, must have belt loops student must wear a belt	Belt required, must be solid in color: navy, black, or brown, no large buckle	<u>Regular Uniform Days:</u> Black, brown, or navy loafer style dress shoe such as but not limited to Merrell's or Sperry's <u>PE days:</u> Solid neutral color tennis shoes (no fluorescent colors), may not have lights, wheels, or characters	<u>Classroom:</u> ¾ zip sweater, sweater vest, or button up cardigan *Hoodies and sweatshirts bought through the Spirit Shop may be worn on PE or out of uniform days only No other jackets or sweaters may be worn in the school building	<u>Summer Uniform:</u> t-shirt and shorts purchased either through the uniform vendor, used uniform sale or Spirit Shop <u>Winter Uniform:</u> t-shirt and sweat pants purchased either through the uniform vendor, used uniform sale or Spirit Shop

PE uniforms and 5th grade boys' uniforms: St. Ann School will have a grandfathering period of **1year** for all of the old uniform guidelines. For the 2024-25 school year you may wear any of the old PE uniforms or 5th grade uniforms, as long as they are in good condition and meet all uniform regulations.

Summer/Winter Uniforms:

First day of school – October 31st

March 1st – Last day of school

Shoes and Socks: Only shoes outlined in the guidelines may be worn. Students **must** wear socks that are visible and cover the ankle and are solid in color – navy, white, black, or grey (an emblem like a Nike swish is ok if it's another color and small).

Hair: Hair must be neatly styled and off the students face. Hair is to be trimmed so that eyes are **not** covered, it does not pass the students earlobes, and is not past the uniform shirt collar. No ponytails, mohawks, man buns, or tying/putting back of any kind is allowed, unless otherwise approved by the school office in writing. The administration reserves the right to make final decisions concerning a student's hair.

Accessories: Boys are not permitted to wear earrings. Only one bracelet or watch and one necklace may be worn at any one time by any student. No smart watches including but not limited to Apple Watch, Samsung Galaxy, or Gizmo. This includes any watch that has a data plan or works off of Wi-Fi. If a school tie is worn, it must be tied properly at all times while on campus. Temporary tattoos should be removed prior to coming to school.

All uniforms must be well maintained. This includes repairing tears, replacing buttons, and making sure the uniform is washed regularly. Please replace uniforms when growth spurts occur.





Non-Uniform Days:

On days students can be out of uniform, dress must be modest, clean and neat. Girls' skirts or dresses should be no more than 2 inches above the middle of the knee. Tops may not be spandex, crop tops, halter style, thin strapped, or tight fitting. No undergarments may show. Tops must be long enough to cover the midriff with the student's arms raised. Students may not wear spandex pants, leggings (worn as pants), or yoga pants. Leggings may be worn under long tunic style shirts, or under dresses and skirts that meet the length requirement. T-shirts with inappropriate messages, pictures, or wording will not be allowed. Jeans with holes and tears are not acceptable. Slacks or pants (such as khakis), capris, and nice jeans are acceptable attire for these days. Shorts are acceptable only if they are the uniform shorts or are no more than 2 inches above the middle of the knee. Pants are to be worn at the waist and must fit properly. No sweatpants or athletic shorts unless paying for it on an out of uniform event. For safety reasons, flip-flops, crocs or any type of open toe shoe may not be worn.

Spirit Day:

Students may wear jeans and a St. Ann shirt. St. Ann merch purchased through the Spirit Shop may be worn as well, as long as it is on the approved list found on the order form. Students may bring accessories to be worn at the pep-rally. All accessories must remain in the student's locker or backpack until given permission from their teacher to retrieve the items. No face paint is allowed unless there is written permission from the school office.

Out of Uniform Day:

These include the monthly \$1 Jeans/\$5 Athletic wear days and all free out of uniform days.

Students may wear jeans or nice pants of any kind as long as there are no holes and they meet the requirements stated above under Non-Uniform Days. Shirts must cover the midriff (even while students are raising their arms) and come to the outside of the students' shoulder. On paid out of uniform days students may only wear athletic clothing such as but not limited to sweatpants and athletic shorts, if they have paid the \$5 fee. On days that are free out of uniform days, students may wear jeans or athletic wear but must remain in compliance with non-uniform day policies.

Dress-up Day:

Students need to come to school in their "Sunday Best." This is **not** a jeans day. Girls may wear skirts with a nice top, dresses, or dress pants with a nice blouse. Boys may wear dress pants with a nice polo or button up shirt and tie.

If the student comes to school dressed inappropriately, parents will be called to bring appropriate clothes to school. If the parent cannot be reached, the school may retain the student in the school office until arrangements can be made. The administration reserves the right to make decisions regarding the appropriateness of the students' clothing. After a student's 2nd violation, out of uniform privileges will be revoked and fines may be given.

