

St. Mary's Academy Dress Code

Children in grades K through 6 must be in uniform at the beginning of the school year. Dress codes are explained as follows:

Policy Update Effective school year 2011 - 2012:

From the beginning of the school year through October 31st, students may wear their casual uniform. Dress Uniform will be required on ALL DAYS through the remainder of the year until April 13rd. After this date, casual uniform is allowed. The policy regarding dress uniform must be worn for all liturgies remains unchanged.

Note - Kindergarten MUST wear their dress uniform for liturgies but MAY wear it from Nov.-April. They are NOT required to. They may wear their casual uniforms all year.

*****There is a uniform exchange program at St. Mary's. Please contact Mrs. Honsinger, Nurse, with what sizes and what clothing you're looking for.***

Girls - Grades K - 6

Dress Uniform:

Must be worn November 1, 2011 through April 13, 2012 and for all liturgies.

Jumper: Uniform Plaid Jumper (Rose Uniform Company)

Blouse: White Peter Pan collar blouse - long or short sleeves

Casual Uniform:

Shorts: Khaki or navy shorts may be worn only between April - October and must be ordered through Rose Uniform Company.

Skorts: Khaki or navy skorts may be worn only between April - October and must be ordered through Rose Uniform Company.

Slacks: Khaki or navy dress slacks (no leggings, hip huggers, tight fitting pants, corduroy or slacks with jean style stitching.)

Belts: A belt must be worn. Brown, black, navy, khaki, or clear colors are acceptable.

Shirt: St. Mary's embroidered shirt (Rose Uniform Company) - white with navy slacks, shorts, or skorts and navy with khaki slacks, shorts, or skorts.

Also:

Sweaters: Solid navy sweaters - cardigan, pullover, vest, fleece sweater from Rose Uniform Co. only.

Socks: Solid colored - navy blue, khaki, or white - crew length or knee high (no athletic short socks)

Tights: White or navy with jumper (flesh colored nylon stockings are not permitted).

Shoes: Comfortable, low heeled, (blue, black, brown or oxford type) sensible, safe shoes with backs. (Sneakers, sneaker-type shoes, lifts, clogs, boots, and backless slippers are prohibited.)

Jewelry: Dangling earrings and non-religious (fad style) jewelry are prohibited. Post earrings that do not hang are the only acceptable earring.

Nails: No artificial nails or French tips; clear nail polish only. Colored nail polish may not be worn.

Hair: No hair extensions or beads.

Boys - Grades K - 6

Dress Uniform:

Must be worn November 1, 2011 through April 13, 2012 and for all liturgies.

- Slacks: Khaki or navy blue dress slacks only. No jean style pants, sport pants with piping, corduroys, cargos, or any current fashion trend. Bottoms of pant legs should not be elasticized.
- Belts: A belt must be worn. Brown, black, navy, khaki, or clear colors are acceptable.
- Shirts: White or light powder blue solid dress shirts only no French blue - long or short sleeves.
- Tie: A school issued clip on tie. Ties can be purchased from school for \$10.00
- Sweaters: Solid navy sweaters - cardigan, pullover, vest (no fleece).
- Jewelry: No non-religious (fad style) jewelry.
- Hair: No fad hair styles and hair lengths must be above the eyebrow and ear.

Casual Uniform:

- Shorts: Khaki or navy shorts may be worn April - October and must be ordered through Rose Uniform Company.
- Slacks: Khaki or navy dress slacks (same regulations above).
- Belts: A belt must be worn. Brown, black, navy, khaki, clear colors are acceptable.
- Shirt: St. Mary's embroidered shirt (Rose Uniform Company) - white with navy slacks and navy with khaki slacks or shorts.

Also:

- Shoes: Shoes must be worn with all uniforms (including shorts). Comfortable, low heeled, solid color (blue, black, brown) safe shoes with backs (no sneakers or sneaker-type shoes).
- Socks: Solid colored - navy blue, khaki, or white (no crew length socks or short athletic socks).

Gym Wear (Grades 2 - 6 only)

- Shorts: Royal blue or navy (no shorter than mid thigh)
- Shirts: White tee shirts or St. Mary's logo
- Shoes: Safe athletic sneakers - no slip ons (no black soles, no heels) or trendy, decorative sneakers.

Dress Down Days

On occasion, the children may be given a special dress down day, or they may use earned N.U.T. (no uniform today) cards for a dress down privilege. Dress down clothing must be appropriate for a Catholic School setting. Shorts must be from Rose Uniform Company, skirts, and dresses must be knee length, spaghetti straps tops for girls or yoga pants will not be allowed. Please check the event calendar for specific dress code information.