



Junior Kindergarten through Eighth Grade

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DRESS CODE

The Diocesan Handbook in regard to student dress states, “Students attending Catholic Schools will be neatly and decently dressed.” It is important for parents and students to understand the goal of the code and adhere to the spirit of this policy. Students not in compliance with the St. Martin dress code will receive a written warning. The third warning will result in a detention.

Hair must be clean and neatly combed at all times. **Boys’ hair must be cut and combed so that it does not extend below the eyebrows or over the collar of a shirt. Extreme styles or cuts are not permitted on girls or boys. Extreme styles include, but are not limited to, shaved heads and extreme bi-level cuts. Razor cuts must be a number 1 or greater. Students may not dye or alter their natural hair color. This includes highlighting the hair.**

All students in grades JrK-8 must purchase the school sweater. To help prevent loss, Merry Mart will embroider student initials on sweaters and PE uniforms. Seventh and eighth grade will be permitted the approved sweatshirt except school and family Masses and other designated occasions.

All students must wear the shirts tucked inside at all times. Oversized shirts, pants and or shorts are not acceptable on girls or boys. The length of jumpers and skirts must be to the kneecap and shorts must not be visible below the uniform.

Pants must not be oversized and must be worn at the waist and not below the hips. Oversized clothing will not be tolerated. A belt will be required if the administration deems one is necessary. Students receiving a uniform notice will forfeit the privilege of participating in the next “Free Dress Day”.

The school staff is here to help you in the serious obligation of educating your children, but we need your cooperation and support in all areas. In an emergency, if the full uniform cannot be worn, a note must be sent to the teacher. Parents, please see that your child’s uniform is **clean** and in **good condition**. Torn clothing must be repaired or replaced.

School uniforms and PE uniforms may be purchased at The Merry Mart, 33 Washington, Santa Clara and Appletree Uniforms, 2063 Grant Rd., Los Altos. Uniforms purchased elsewhere must be of the same design and fabric as those sold at Merry Mart and Appletree Uniforms.

Girl’s Uniform

Lloyd plaid jumper (Gr. JK-4)
Lloyd plaid skirt (Gr. 5-8)
Navy walking shorts-*School Girl* brand only (optional)
Navy pants-*School Girl* brand (optional)
Gr. JK-4 lipstick cardigan with logo
Gr. 5-8 lipstick pullover with logo
*Plain white socks (no tights)
White short sleeve polo shirt
Gold knit PE shirt with logo
Blue PE mesh shorts
Blue PE sweatshirt and pants with logo (optional)

Boy’s Uniform

Navy blue twill pants
Lipstick pullover with logo
White short sleeve polo shirt
Navy walking shorts – *School Boy* brand only (optional)
*Plain white socks
Gold knit PE shirt with logo
Blue PE mesh shorts
Blue PE sweatshirt and pants with logo (optional)

Grades 7 & 8 Grey sweatshirt (optional)
Red fleece/blue nylon zippered jackets for outdoor use only (optional)
(White turtleneck shirts are not part of the school uniform)

We expect that students wear footwear that compliments the school uniform. Tennis shoes are suggested because the blacktop and gravel could possibly cause accidents when wearing leather-soled shoes. Shoes must be white, navy or black. Flipflops, sandals, high top canvas shoes, boots of any kind, including western, platform or army and shoes with wheels are

unacceptable. **Shoelaces must be tied on the top of the shoe and tight enough to prevent slippage. The laces must be the same color as the shoes.**

***Plain white socks that are visible above the ankle must be worn at all times. Knee socks are not part of the school uniform.**

Only white t-shirts may be worn under the uniform shirt.

Hats and visors may be worn at recess and lunch for sun protection, but never in the classroom.

Only the formal uniform may be worn in the classroom. Other sweaters, sweatshirts and jackets may be worn outside during recess and lunch.

Only the PE uniform may be worn during PE class. No other shorts, shirts, sweatshirts or sweatpants may be worn at this time.

Students must not change out of their school uniform before leaving school unless they are going to extended care or are involved in after school athletics, practice and/or games.

Students may wear only clear nail polish. **Make-up is not permitted at any grade level.**

The only jewelry acceptable is no more than one pair of **small** tasteful stud earrings (**no hoops, dangles**), one ring and a watch. Hair accessories must be small and match the uniform.