

## STUDENT DRESS CODE

A school dress code is in place to assist in establishing an atmosphere that avoids competition in dress among students and promotes a sense of personal and school pride. There are no changes to the $23 / 24$ uniform policy. However, the school dress code will be enforced. Please be sure your student has ALL of the appropriate pieces. This includes PE uniform items.

Appropriate dress and appearance are expected of all Communion of Saints students. Uniform is worn daily in grades K-8 - PE uniform is worn on PE days.

Uniform Providers: Schoolbelles: online and Richmond Heights Store: School code: s0174 RDP Sports: online only

## Girls K-3

Jumper: Plaid \# 121 V-neck or Drop Waist, length to top of knee purchased from Schoolbelles.

Pants: Khaki or Navy chino/ twill style of appropriate fit and length. No cargo style or painter style pants. No skinny/jeggings styles.

Shorts: Khaki or Navy walking shorts can be purchased from Schoolbelles and can be worn during summer months (August, September, April, May, June)

Tops: $\quad$ Traditional polo in white or hunter green with school logo in short or long sleeve purchased from Schoolbelles or RDP Sports to be worn with pants or under a jumper.

## *** girls may choose to wear a peter pan collar type white blouse or polo with no logo under their jumpers.

Hosiery: Cuffed, knee highs, or tights/leggings in white, hunter green, or navy; must be visible. No patterned hosiery.

## Girls 4-8

Skirt: $\quad$ Plaid \# 121 Kilt, kick pleat, or skort styles with length to top of knee purchased from Schoolbelles. Dark colored modesty shorts may be worn under skirts.
Skirts need to be no shorter than one inch above knee. Girls who have shorter skirts will be asked to wear solid navy or black leggings.

Pants: Khaki or Navy chino or twill style of appropriate fit and length can be purchased from Schoolbelles. Belt must be worn with pants. No cargo style or painter style pants. No skinny/jegging styles.

Shorts: Khaki or Navy walking shorts can be purchased from Schoolbelles and can be work during summer months (August, September, April, May, June).

Tops: Traditional polo in white or hunter green with school logo in short or long sleeve purchased from Schoolbelles or RDP Sports. Banded bottom polo in white or hunter green is also available from Schoolbelles. This design gives a" tucked in" look. Only plain white undershirt or camisole can be worn under polos.

Hosiery: Cuffed, knee highs, or tights in white, hunter green, or navy must be visible.

## Boys K-3

Pants: Khaki or Navy chino or twill style of appropriate fit and length can be purchased from Schoolbelles. No cargo style or painter style pants.

Shorts: Khaki or Navy walking shorts can be purchased from Schoolbelles and can be worn during summer months (August, September, May, June)

## Pants or shorts must be worn at the waist.

Top: Traditional polo in white or hunter green with school logo in short or long sleeve purchased from Schoolbelles or RDP Sports. Banded bottom polo in white or hunter green is also available from Schoolbelles. This design gives a" tucked in" look.

## Only plain white undershirt can be worn under polos.

Socks: White, navy, dark green, or black socks must always be worn and be visible with pants or shorts. No ankle socks.

## Boys 4-8

Pants: Khaki or Navy chino or twill style of appropriate fit and length can be purchased from Schoolbelles. Belt must be worn with pants. No cargo style or painter style pants.

Shorts: Khaki or Navy walking shorts can be purchased from Schoolbelles and can be worn during summer months (August, September, May, June)

## Pants or shorts must be worn at the waist.

Top: Traditional polo in white or hunter green with school logo in short or long sleeve purchased from Schoolbelles or RDP Sports. Banded bottom polo in white or hunter green is also available from Schoolbelles. This design gives a" tucked

## in'look. Only plain white undershirt can be worn under polos.

Socks: Socks in white, navy, dark green, or black must always be worn and be visible with pants or shorts. No ankle socks.

## Boys 6-8

Shirt: Two options are provided

1. oxford style button down solid white with no logos in long or short sleeve. Shirts must be worn tucked inside pants.
2. traditional polo in white or hunter green with school logo may also be worn be worn with shorts during summer months (August, September, April, May, June)
Only plain white undershirt can be worn under shirts or polos.
Ties: Any tie or bowtie that is appropriate to wear at school

## All Students K-8

Shoes Solid brown, navy, gray, tan, white or black Sperry, sneaker, buck, Mary Jane, saddle, or loafer dress shoes. Comfort and safety are key. Shoes are to have a closed toe and heel with heels no higher than 1". No sandals, flip-flops, slides, crocks, or boots

Sweater/Fleece All students should purchase a grey or hunter green uniform V-neck sweater (cardigan, pullover, or vest) with school logo from Schoolbelles or grey or hunter green fleece jacket or vest or cotton half-zip with school logo from RDP Sports to be used during school day. Hoodies are not permitted during the school day.

Phys Ed: Bottoms: Grey sweatpants (traditional or jogger) with school logo
Green Mesh Shorts with school logo
Summer months only (August, September, April, May, June).
Tops: Grey or Hunter Green cotton t-shirt or dri-fit t-shirt with school logo in
Solid color sneakers are to be worn on Phys-Ed days. Please refer to shoes section of the uniform policy.

Phys ed uniform is available from RDP Sports. Spirit wear is not considered part of the PE uniform.

Students are permitted to wear one watch, one bracelet, one ring, and one religious necklace tucked into blouse or shirt. No smart watches such as apple watch are permitted

Girls: may wear one pair of small post earrings on ear lobe. No dangling earrings are allowed.

Boys: May not wear earrings to school or school functions.
No other body piercings are permitted. Students may not mark, write, draw, color or have stickers or tattoos on their skin.

## Hair/Grooming:

Must be neatly groomed with no extreme hairstyles or unnatural coloring. Soft highlights in natural colors are acceptable. Hair should not be tinted, dyed, or bleached. Long hair styles may not be worn covering eyes and face. No hats, bandannas, or headscarves maybe worn.

Girls: may wear hair accessories such as headbands, bows, clips, beads in school colors no decorations, such as animal ears, may be attached to headbands.
Make-up: K-5: Girls may wear nail polish but no make-up. No fake or acrylic nails are permitted.

6-8: Girls may wear nail polish and a small amount of natural looking makeup. No fake or acrylic nails are permitted.

Principal, teachers, and staff have the right to decide what is natural looking make-up.

Boys: Hair must be cut so that it is above the collar and is in keeping with the Dress Code. Ponytails are not acceptable. 6-8: A clean-shaven appearance is expected every day.

## Dress Down/ Up Days:

Throughout the year Communion of Saints will have student dress-down and/or dress up days for various reasons. Some of these days will be themed and others will be spirit days. When students are permitted to be out of uniform, these rules must be followed.

No inappropriate words, designs, or pictures on any clothing.
No tops that are revealing, have low cut necklines, or expose bare midriffs when sitting, stretching, bending over, or stooping.
No tank tops, sleeveless tops, or ones with thin narrow top straps.

No pants with rips or holes showing skin or any pants with writing on the back.
Pants may not be worn low or sagging.
No skirts or dresses shorter than top of knee unless worn with leggings.
Leggings may not be worn with just a blouse or sweater top.
Leggings may only be worn under a skirt or dress.
No short shorts may be worn. Shorts should be appropriate length.
Capri style pants may be worn.
On spirit days or other special celebrations, school spirit wear may be worn. Students who do not have spirit wear, may wear shirts with school colors.

No flip-flops, slides, sandals of any kind, crocks, no work boots, or shoes with heels
On special occasions students will have the option to dress up.
Parents understand that once they enroll at Communion of Saints School, a school uniform is mandatory and is to be worn properly. When students wear clothing that does not meet the dress code or uniform regulations, parents may be required to provide regulation clothing by bringing it up to the school. It is the responsibility of the parents to make sure their children are wearing the uniform and wearing it properly. Principal's decision is final.

