## STUDENT DRESS CODE 2025-2026

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. Therefore, appropriate dress and appearance are expected of all Saint Ann School students. School uniforms can be purchased through Schoolbelles, Lands' End, and/or RDP Sports. The school uniform is worn daily in grades K-8 while P.E. uniform is worn on P.E. days. All clothing should be labeled with your child's name.

Parents understand that once they enroll at Saint Ann 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.

A uniform violation in grades K-3 warrants a note home to the parent/guardian. A uniform violation in grades 4-8 is a one-point violation. Should a student arrive to school out of uniform, the following guidelines will be followed:

- <u>1st Offense</u>: The student will be asked to select an appropriate item replacement from the uniform closet. A note home (K-3) or one-point violation (4-8) will be issued.
- 2nd Offense: A phone call will be made to the parent/guardian to drop off the proper attire to the student. A note home (K-3) or one-point violation (4-8) will be issued.

Repeated violations to the uniform policy will warrant a conference with the principal. The principal's decision regarding school uniforms is final.

#### Girls K-3

• <u>Jumper</u>: Plaid # 121 V-neck or drop waist, length to top of knee purchased from Schoolbelles

• <u>Pants</u>: Khaki or navy chino or twill style of appropriate fit and length can be purchased from Schoolbelles. No cargo, jean-like, jegging, or painter-style pants.

• Shorts: Khaki or navy walking shorts can be purchased from Schoolbelles and can be worn during Quarter 1 and Quarter 4 of the school year.

• <u>Hosiery</u>: Cuffed, knee-highs, or tights in solid white, hunter green, or navy. No patterned or ripped tights/knee-highs are permitted.

• <u>Tops</u>: Traditional polo in white or hunter green with school logo in short or long sleeve purchased from Schoolbelles, Lands End, or RDP Sports (to be worn with pants or under a jumper). A plain white t-shirt should be worn under tops if not wearing a jumper.

• Girls may choose to wear a collar-type white blouse or polo with no logo under their jumper.

#### Girls 4-8

• Skirt:

Plaid #121 kilt, kick-pleat, or skort styles with length to top of knee purchased from Schoolbelles. Dark colored modesty shorts must be worn under skirts.

- Skirts need to be no shorter than one inch above the knee. Girls who have shorter skirts will be asked to wear solid navy or black leggings under their skirts.
- <u>Pants</u>: Khaki or navy chino or twill style of appropriate fit and length can be purchased from Schoolbelles. No cargo, jegging, or painter-style pants.
- Shorts: Khaki or navy walking shorts can be purchased from Schoolbelles and can be worn during summer months (August, September, April, May, June)
- <u>Hosiery</u>: Cuffed, knee-highs, or tights in solid white, hunter green, or navy. No patterned or ripped tights/knee-highs are permitted.
- 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 a plain white undershirt or camisole can be worn under polos.
  - <u>Girls 6-8</u>: During the second and third quarters of the school year,, all girls in grades 6-8 must wear a quarter-zip fleece, sweater, sweater vest, or cardigan over their polo. Both the polo and outerwear must have the school crest.

### Boys K-3

• Pants:

Khaki or navy chino or twill style of appropriate fit and length can be purchased from Schoolbelles. No cargo, jean-like or painter-style pants are permitted.

- Shorts: Khaki or navy walking shorts can be purchased from Schoolbelles and can be worn during Quarter 1 and Quarter 4 of the school year.
  - Pants or shorts must be worn at the waist.
- <u>Top</u>: Traditional polo in white or hunter green with school logo in short or long sleeve purchased from Schoolbelles, Lands End, or RDP Sports. Shirts must be tucked in at all times. Only a plain white undershirt can be worn under polos.
- <u>Socks</u>: White, navy, or black socks must always be worn with pants or shorts.

  Ankle socks are not permitted.

### Boys 4-8

• Pants:

Khaki or navy chino or twill style of appropriate fit and length can be purchased from Schoolbelles. No cargo, jean-like or painter-style pants are permitted. All pants must be worn with a belt.

• Shorts:

Khaki or navy walking shorts can be purchased from Schoolbelles and can be worn during Quarter 1 and Quarter 4 of the school year.

• Pants or shorts must be worn at the waist.

• <u>Top</u>:

Traditional polo in white or hunter green with school logo in short or long sleeve purchased from Schoolbelles or RDP Sports. Only a plain white undershirt can be worn under polos. Shirts must be tucked inside pants and worn with a belt.

- <u>Boys 6-8</u>: During Quarter 2 and Quarter 3, all boys must wear an Oxford-style button down shirt in solid white with no logo in short or long sleeve with a solid-colored tie. Shirts must be tucked inside pants and worn with a belt.
- Socks: Socks in white, navy, or black must always be worn with pants or shorts.

  Ankle socks are not permitted.

#### All Students K-8

• Shoes:

School shoes or sneakers may be worn. However, they must be in solid brown, navy, tan, gray, white, black or hunter green. Multi-colored shoes are not permitted.

- The following shoe types MAY be worn: Loafer, Sperry, low-/high-top sneaker, Mary Jane, saddle shoe
- The following shoe types are NOT permitted: Light-up tennis shoe, sandals, flip-flops, Crocs, slippers, moccasins, boots, or Timberland-style boots
- <u>Outerwear</u>:

All students should purchase a gray or hunter green uniform v-neck sweater (cardigan, pullover, or vest) with school logo from Schoolbelles or a gray or hunter green fleece jacket, vest, or cotton half-zip with school logo from RDP Sports to be used during the school day. Sweaters or hoodies without the school logo are not permitted during the school day. Should a student choose to wear outerwear, both the outerwear and bottom layer must have the school logo, unless otherwise noted above.

#### Physical Education

• Bottoms:

Students must wear gray sweatpants (traditional or jogger) with the school logo. During quarter 1 and quarter 4 students may wear hunter green mesh shorts with the school logo.

• <u>Tops</u>:

Students must wear cotton t-shirt or dri-fit t-shirt with the school logo in gray or hunter green. Physical education uniforms can be purchased from RDP Sports.

- Solid color sneakers are to be worn on P.E. days. Please refer to the shoes section of the uniform policy.
- School spiritwear is not a physical education uniform.

### Jewelry and Accessories

- Students are permitted to wear **one** watch, **one** bracelet, **one** ring, and **one** religious necklace tucked into their blouse or shirt. No smart watches such as the Apple watch are permitted.
  - o <u>Girls</u>: May wear one pair of small post earrings on ear lobe. No dangling earrings are allowed.
  - o 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

- Hair must be neatly groomed with no extreme hairstyles, unnatural coloring, or tinsel. Hair should not be tinted, dyed, or bleached. Long hairstyles may not be worn covering eyes and face.
  - o No hats, bandannas, or headscarves may be worn.
  - Girls: May wear hair accessories in school or neutral colors such as headbands, scrunchies, bows, clips, and beads. No decorations, such as animal ears, may be attached to headbands.
    - K-8: Girls may wear nail polish but no makeup. No fake nails or acrylic nails are permitted.
  - 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.

# Out of Uniform Days

Throughout the year Saint Ann School will have student dress-down 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, or bending over
- No tank tops, sleeveless tops, or ones with thin, narrow straps
- No pajama pants, "tear-away" pants, pants with rips/holes or any pants with writing on the back. Pants may not be worn low or sagging
- No skirts or dresses shorter than the top of the knee unless worn with leggings
- Leggings must be worn with a shirt or sweatshirt that covers the students bottom.
- No short-shorts or bike shorts may be worn; shorts should be knee length
- No flip-flops, slides, sandals, Crocs, Timberland-style boots, or shoes with heels