

ST. MARY SCHOOL UNIFORM REGULATIONS – Revised September 2021

Uniforms are a requirement for students in Grades K-8. Schoolbelles has the correct style of clothing for girls and boys. When shopping for school clothes, please refer to the Schoolbelles catalog. If you can find a better price of the same style, they will be acceptable. St. Mary School has a resale shop where parents can purchase gently used uniform clothing.

GIRLS K-8

- a. St. Mary School plaid, navy blue or khaki uniform jumper, split skirt, skorts, pleated, or kilt skirt
- b. St. Mary School plaid, navy blue or khaki traditional uniform-style or corduroy pants (no rivets, extra big pockets or side leg pockets). NO leggings/jeggings unless worn under skirts
- c. St. Mary School plaid, navy blue or khaki traditional uniform-style walking shorts

Shirts:

White, navy blue or light blue collared button-up blouse (long or short sleeve), knit polo or turtleneck worn with modest undergarments

One of the following may be worn with skirts, skorts, shorts and pants

- a. Navy blue or white sweater (v-neck, crew neck, or cardigan)
- b. St. Mary School/Cougar sweatshirt (NO HOODS)

Socks:

- a. Solid white, black, navy or khaki/cream ankle socks (**MUST COVER ANKLE**), knee socks or tights
- b. No nylons permitted **EXCEPT** on dress-up days

NOTES:

Hip huggers and excessively tight pants are not acceptable. The length of skirts/jumpers will not exceed two inches above the knee.

Jerseys may be worn over uniform shirts on game days or Fridays.

BOYS: Grades K-8

- a. Navy blue or khaki traditional uniform-style pants or corduroy (no rivets, extra big pockets or side leg pockets)
- b. Navy blue or khaki traditional uniform-style walking shorts

Shirts: (MUST BE TUCKED IN AT ALL TIMES)

- a. White, navy blue or light blue tailored, dress oxford (long or short sleeve, knit polo, or turtleneck)
- b. Undershirts must be white

One of the following may be worn

- a. Navy blue sweater (v-neck, crew neck or cardigan)
- b. St. Mary School/Cougar sweatshirt (NO HOODS)

Socks:

- a. Solid white, black, navy blue or khaki/cream socks - **MUST COVER ANKLE**

NOTE:

Jerseys may be worn over uniform shirts on game days or Fridays.

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS FOR GIRLS & BOYS - K-8

Shoes:

Black, navy or white athletic shoes (no colored shoe laces) OR brown, black or navy solid colored school shoe with non-marring soles. Saddle shoes are acceptable also. All laces must match the color of the shoe. **Closed** heel and toe, **Heels not to exceed 1 inch from the sole**; refer to the Schoolbelles catalog for acceptable shoe suggestions. For safety reasons sandals are not permitted, and shoes must fit securely.

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UNIFORM REGULATIONS - Continued

Waistband:

The waistband of the girls' uniform and the belt of the boys' uniform **must be visible at all times;**
Grades 2-8 - If there are belt loops on pants, a black, navy or brown belt **MUST** be worn and **MUST** be visible.

Make-up:

No make-up of any type. This includes nail polish, lipstick, lip gloss, blush or any eye make-up.

Jewelry:

Only the following will be permitted: wrist watches (no alarms please), a single religious medal such as a cross, crucifix, or saint medal, **ONLY ONE** "charity bracelet" may be worn (color of your choice), **GIRLS** may wear one set of small post earrings in the lobe - **ONE IN EACH EAR.**

Hair:

Boys hair length should be above the shirt collar and should not be in the eyes

Boys & girls - No extreme hairstyles or extreme accessories

Boys & girls - No chemically altered hair color including highlights or bleaching

Winter Weather:

Students must be dressed appropriately for the weather conditions (i.e., hat, gloves, boots, and scarves). Boots must be worn during inclement weather. Students must change into their school shoes before entering the classrooms.

Extreme Styles:

Extreme clothing styles or "SAGGING" is **NEVER ALLOWED** whether in uniform pants, slacks, or on any dress down days. Clothes cannot be ripped or torn.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION UNIFORM – GRADES K-8

Boys & Girls - The REQUIRED uniform for Physical Education classes is:

Shirt:

a. PLAIN dark gray t-shirt (or gray St. Mary Cougar t-shirt previously sold as phys. ed. shirt)

Bottoms:

- a. Longer legged plain navy mesh athletic** shorts (or St. Mary Cougar shorts previously sold as phys. ed. shorts)
- b. Plain navy blue sweatpants** for cold weather (or St. Mary Cougar sweatpants previously sold as phys. ed. sweatpants)
- c. NO TIGHTS/LEGGINGS

Socks:

a. White crew socks which cover the ankle

Shoes:

a. Athletic shoes with non-marring soles

ST. MARY SPIRIT DAY DRESS CODE

The dress code for St. Mary Spirit Days is as follows:

- Any St. Mary shirt or sweatshirt may be worn (NO HOODS)
- Jeans or school uniform pants may be worn (NO CLOTHING WITH RIPS OR HOLES)
- Sweatpants **MAY NOT** be worn
- Navy or khaki school shorts may be worn
- All other aspects of the dress code still apply
- A student may always wear his/her school uniform if they choose

DRESS DOWN DAYS

On dress down days the students are to wear clothing appropriate for a Catholic school setting. No leggings or tight slacks or shorts, no revealing blouses or shirts, no shirts with inappropriate language, no clothing with rips or holes, etc., may be worn.