

## DRESS CODE AND UNIFORM GUIDELINES

### *Regular Uniform Requirements*

<b>Girls</b>	<b>Boys</b>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Grade K – 4 Top: White Peter Pan collared blouse with the jumper or a white or grey St. Simon knit polo shirt with the pants, walking shorts or skort and a blue St. Simon cardigan or pullover.</li> <li>2. Grades K – 4 Bottoms: Uniform jumper, “School Apparel” brand Navy pants, walking shorts, or skort. A black, brown or navy belt must be worn with the pants or shorts by students in Grades 2 - 4.</li> <li>3. Grades 5 – 8 Top: White or grey St. Simon knit polo shirt with a blue St. Simon cardigan or pullover or, for Middle School students, a navy blue uniform sweatshirt.</li> <li>4. Grades 5 – 8 Bottoms: Uniform skirt, “School Apparel” brand Navy pants, walking shorts or skort. A black, brown or navy belt must be worn with the pants or shorts.</li> <li>5. Grades K – 8 Socks: Plain white or navy socks that are <b>above the ankle, with no logo</b>. Navy or white tights are also acceptable.</li> <li>6. K – 8 Shoes: Solid dark brown, black, or navy blue shoes or blue and white saddle shoes. Shoes must be tied with shoelaces or fastened with Velcro.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Grades K – 8 Top: White or grey St. Simon knit polo with a blue St. Simon cardigan or pullover, or for Middle School students, a navy blue uniform sweatshirt.</li> <li>2. Grades K – 8 Bottoms: “School Apparel” brand Navy pants or walking shorts. A black, brown, or navy belt must be worn by students in Grades 2 - 8.</li> <li>3. Grades K – 8 Socks: Plain white or navy crew socks that are <b>above the ankle, with no logo</b>.</li> <li>4. K – 8 Shoes: Solid dark brown, black, or navy blue shoes. Shoes must be tied with shoelaces or fastened with Velcro.</li> </ol>

**PLAID DAY UNIFORM:** Requires that girls wear their jumpers or skirts, as applicable, with white socks and boys wear long pants. The grey St. Simon polo may not be worn on PLAID days. In addition, all students, including Middle School students, must wear the blue uniform sweater. Advanced notice of these days will be given.

**P.E. Uniform:** The uniform for P.E. is as follows:

1. St. Simon t-shirts (including commemorative t-shirts.)
2. St. Simon P.E. sweats, or fleece or nylon shorts. Shorts should fall between 2 inches above the knee and the knee.
3. St. Simon P.E. sweatshirt
4. Plain, low top athletic shoes - They should have a non-marking sole. They must be tied with shoelaces or fastened with Velcro. No slip-on shoes are permitted.
5. Plain white crew socks that are above the ankle, with no logo.

All uniform items except for the grey St. Simon knit polo may be purchased from Appletree Uniforms. The grey St. Simon knit polo must be purchased from Lands End.

**Girl and Boy Scouts:** Students who participate in Girl or Boy Scouts can wear their complete uniform (with the exception of Plaid Days and class special days) on all days that they have a meeting or event. If a scout chooses not to wear his or her scout uniform, the school uniform must be worn.

## **Dress Code**

- Faded, tattered, torn, or defaced uniforms are unacceptable.
- Shirts and blouses must be worn tucked in.
- Length of the girls' skirts, jumpers, or skorts must be no shorter than two inches above the knee.
- Skirts and skorts may not be rolled.
- Pants must fit properly and be neat in appearance. "Sagging" of pants or shorts is not allowed, and low-rise and bellbottom pants are not allowed.
- Shorts must fall between 2 inches above the knee and the knee.
- Dress uniform and P.E. uniform pieces may not be mixed. For example, the P.E. sweatshirt may not be worn with the uniform jumper, skirt, skort, pants, or shorts.
- Shoelaces must be tied at all times.

Hair should be clean and neat in appearance. Altering of natural hair color and extreme or exaggerated hairstyles are not permitted. Excessive use of hair styling products is not permitted. Boys' hair may not touch the top of the shirt collar.

Makeup and jewelry, other than a watch, ring, or religious medal, are not permitted. *Only* clear nail polish is permitted. Only girls may wear earrings, and these must be limited to one pair of small post style, one earring in each ear. No tattoos of any kind are permitted.

All students must wear uniform sweaters or sweatshirts rather than non-uniform garments in the classroom. Jackets may not be worn in the classroom. ***All articles of clothing are to be labeled with the student's name.***

All students must leave campus in their school uniform. Only participants in school-sponsored athletic events are exempt from this rule.

***Final determination of suitability of the uniform rests with the administration.***

## **FREE DRESS DAYS**

Occasionally free dress days will be designated. On free dress days, this dress code must be followed:

1. Students are to wear clothing that is appropriate for our Catholic school setting. Students are expected to be clean and neat in their appearance. Styles should be moderate, in good taste, and without extremes.
2. Shorts, dresses and skirts must be of appropriate fit and modest length – **2 inches above the knee**. Pants must be of appropriate fit. Sweatpants or yoga pants are not appropriate for school free dress days. Leggings can be worn if covered with a tunic top that extends to mid-thigh length.
3. Shirts, blouses, and dresses must have sleeves.
4. Tops and pants that are low-cut or show the midriff are not allowed.
5. Logos and/or messages on clothing must be appropriate for a Catholic school.
6. Make-up is not permitted. *Only* clear nail polish may be worn.
7. A full shoe must be worn; open-toe shoes or flip-flops are not permitted.
8. Students may wear their uniform on Free Dress Days, if they prefer.

**If the teachers or administration feel that a student's clothing is inappropriate, the student will lose the free dress privilege for the next free dress day and we will provide a St. Simon uniform to be worn for the day.**