

# ST JOSEPH SCHOOL DRESS CODE

## BOYS:

**SHIRTS:** Dress or 3-button knit shirt with collar (long or short sleeves); no decorations; solid colors of white, light blue, navy or burgundy polos. Short sleeve tee shirts worn under uniform shirts must be solid white with no pictures or words. Shirts must be worn right side out.

**TROUSERS:** Solid navy, black or khaki *DRESS SLACKS*. Belts must be worn on trousers with belt loops. No jeans or jean styles (rivets), extra zippers; no outside pockets (cargo) or elastic bottoms.

**SWEATER/VEST/SWEATSHIRT/ HOODIES:** Crew, V-neck or cardigan sweaters in solid colors of navy, black or white, or SJS sweatshirt, must have a uniform shirt or turtleneck worn underneath sweaters or sweatshirts. *SJS Hoodies are the ONLY acceptable substitution for a navy, white, or black sweater.*

**TURTLENECKS:** White, navy, black, or burgundy may be worn underneath a shirt or sweater. Turtlenecks may be worn alone only by Primary students in colors of white, navy, black, powder blue or burgundy.

**SOCKS:** Solid colors of navy, black, white or burgundy. Socks must be ankle length or above - footies are not permitted. No logos or decorations.

**SHOES:** Dress shoes or solid black leather sport shoes. *Dress shoes should not have wedges or heels higher than 1 inch.* Shoes may be black, brown, or navy in color. Loafers are also permitted. Sport shoes must be low cut with black shoelaces. Boots are not permitted as school shoes. Athletic shoes may continue to be worn for school and gym. *\*\*\*Athletic shoes must be SOLID BLACK if worn as a school shoe. No white or different colored soles or laces and ALL SHOES NEED LACES.*

**BELTS:** Solid navy, black or brown ONLY. Belts must be worn on trousers with belt loops. No decorative belts or large belt buckles permitted.

**SHORTS:** *DRESS* walking shorts in navy, black, or khaki. Shorts must be worn with school shirt and shoes as specified above.

**GYM CLOTHES:** *NEED to be purchased through the school.* Gold or maroon SJS “cowboy” tee-shirts, solid maroon or burgundy shorts and tennis shoes are required. Solid colored sweatshirts/ sweatpants may be worn during cold weather for Primary grades only.

## GENERAL APPEARANCE:

- Boy’s hair should be short and above the eyebrows.
- Hair is to be neatly trimmed and not touching the collar.
- No fad styles, bowl cuts, streaked or dyed, etc.
- All boys are to be clean shaven.
- No earrings or extra body piercings.
- Shirt collars must be worn down.
- Shirts are to be tucked in at all times.
- Any jewelry worn must be simple, and subject to teacher’s discretion.
- Appearance of all uniforms must be neat and clean. When an item becomes stained, frayed, torn or discolored, they may not be worn to school.
- Proper hygiene at all times.

**\*\*\* Please keep in mind that true uniform brand DRESS pants are not usually snug, form fitting or tailored so these styles will not be accepted.**