

## DRESS CODE

Sancta Familia Academy requires all its students to wear uniforms. Our uniforms play an important part in the atmosphere and attitudes present each day in the classroom as they encourage a sense of school identity and community amongst the students. Uniforms also promote the development of individual identity by encouraging each student to express himself uniquely through his God given intellect and character rather than through his attire.

**Standard dress:** an outfit which is required of all students and shall be worn on all field trips and on the weekly Standard Dress Days:

### Boys:

- navy blue uniform pants
- brown or black leather belt
- white or light blue oxford shirt
- solid navy blue tie (3rd grade and up)
- black, brown, grey, or navy blue shoes

### Girls:

- white or light blue collared dress shirt (i.e. peter pan)
- navy blue jumper (at or below the knee) French Toast pleated style only.
- navy girls uniform cross tie
- white ankle or white or navy knee socks or tights
- brown, black, gray or navy blue shoes

## Non-standard dress / P.E. Days

### Boys:

- white or light blue polo shirt or oxford
- navy shorts or pants
- brown or black leather belt
- shoes: white, brown, black, gray or navy blue

### Girls:

- white or light blue polo shirts or oxford
- navy blue jumper (see above) \*navy bike shorts underneath
- navy skort (must be no shorter than two inches above knee)
- navy skirt (grades 6th & up)
- white or navy blue socks or tights
- shoes: white, brown, black, gray or navy blue

## Optional Winter Uniform:

- white turtleneck or mock turtle (under vest or sweater)
- white or light blue mesh polo long sleeve shirts
- Navy sweater or vest
- Navy sweatshirt

A student is expected to be in full uniform from the time he or she exits the car in the morning until he or she is in the car on the way home. This means that **all shirttails should be tucked in and are to stay tucked in throughout the day**. Uniforms should be clean and tidy and ironed if necessary. Belts should be worn with all shorts and pants.

If after three (3) warnings, a student is not wearing the correct uniform, his/her parents will be contacted to bring the correct item(s) to the school before the student is allowed to return to the classroom. If the parent can not come, various uniform items will be available in the office for a \$5.00 "rental fee" per day.

**All Sancta Familia polos, sweaters, jackets, and oxford shirts will need to have patches which can be purchased in the school office. The patches are \$6.00 each. Sweatshirts and T-shirts will be ordered. Please use the school order form for these items.**

Please note that NO other jackets, sweatshirts or sweaters may be worn in the classroom other than the standard Sancta Familia Academy ones. Please write student's name on the inside tag to prevent loss and confusion.

If a student desires to wear an undershirt beneath their polo shirt or standard dress shirt, the undershirt must be white, with no writing or design, and the sleeves must be shorter than the shirt sleeves.

All navy jumpers and skorts must be purchased through a French Toast brand vendor. All navy shorts need to be purchased through a Dickies brand vendor. Shorts must be knee length. Navy pants may be purchased elsewhere but they must be standard uniform style slacks.

French Toast has a website at [www.frenchtoast.com](http://www.frenchtoast.com). Their uniforms may be ordered on-line, at a store or by catalog.

Shoes should be white, brown, black, navy or gray with no excessive decoration (not to include Sketchers or any platform type shoes, chunky heels, no canvas high tops, no flashing lights, flowers, plaids, neon colors, glitter, etc.). **No open toed or open backed shoes will be acceptable including Crocs.** Please be advised that these guidelines will be enforced so if you think a pair of shoes is questionable, they probably are not appropriate.

On P.E. days students should wear appropriate sneakers for running and other physical activity. Girls should wear skorts or navy shorts under their jumpers.

**All girls in grades k – 6 MUST wear navy blue shorts under their jumpers/skirts as they have recess daily.**

Hair must be of a natural color (i.e. brown, blonde, auburn – not blue, purple, pink, etc.)  
Boys' hair length must be above the collar, earlobes, and bangs not longer than eyebrows.  
Girls' hair accessories should coordinate with the uniform.

Jewelry and make up (girls in 9-12 grade) should be kept to a minimum.

School Administrators reserve the right to determine if the aforementioned items are being met and whether a student is required to correct the situation before attendance at school may continue.

*Thank you for helping us to maintain the high standards of Sancta Familia Academy's uniform guidelines and dress code.*