



St. Joseph Catholic School

STUDENT and PARENT GUIDELINES 2014-2015

UNIFORM AND APPEARANCE REQUIREMENTS 2014-2015

St. Joseph Catholic School believes a safe and disciplined learning environment is the first requirement of a high performing school. The uniform helps students build school/community spirit and respect for him or herself. Uniforms help students see that they have more in common with each other than they do differences. Most importantly, uniforms help students concentrate on what's really important—learning.

There will be a Used Uniform Sale in August. You will be notified of date and time via Beehively. Uniforms can be purchased at Dennis Uniform (916.361.6710) located in Sacramento or at Campus Outfitters (530.823.5353) located in Auburn.

ALL STUDENTS:

Socks:

- Plain White, navy blue or black socks are allowed (no design or logo).
- Must be visible at least 2 inches above the ankle bone. **NO LOW CUT SOCKS.**
- Girls may also wear tights or leggings in white, navy blue or black **ONLY**.

Shoes:

- Shoes must be safe and securely fastened.
- Shoe color is limited to black, white, gray, **NAVY** blue or brown (shoe must be predominantly made up of these colors). No slip on, open toe or open back shoes, ever.
- Athletic shoes required on P.E. days.

Belts:

- Navy blue, black, or brown are permitted.
- Belts will be required if pants or shorts are too big.

Hair:

- Natural, God-given hair color only. **NO HIGHLIGHTS.**
- Hair must be clean, combed, and styled neatly.
- No extraordinary, distracting hairstyles
- Boy's hair must be no longer than one inch above the collar and no longer than one half inch above the eyebrows.

Sweatshirts:

- Royal blue sweatshirts permitted in Grades K to 8.
- Gray or navy blue school sweatshirts allowed in Grades 7 and 8.
- White school sweatshirts allowed in Grade 8
- All sweatshirts must fit properly (at the shoulder and wrist)
- The sweatshirt is part of the school uniform and is to be worn during cold weather. If a child forgets a sweatshirt the first time, the student will be reminded and will be permitted to wear a jacket outdoors. No jackets may be worn in the classroom.

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Vests:

- Sweater vests embroidered with the school logo may be worn over the polo shirt or the turtleneck. (May be purchased at Campus Outfitters.)

Hats:

- Navy "bucket-style" hats embroidered with the school logo may be worn outside of the classroom. This is the only type of hat allowed on campus. (Available at Campus Outfitters)

Shirts:

- Plain white polo shirts (short or long sleeves) or white turtlenecks are permitted.
- Royal blue polo shirts with the school logo are permitted.
- White polo shirt and School Sweater is required on Fall Picture Day.
- Shirts should be tucked on Mass Days and in the classroom.

Sweaters:

- Navy blue cardigan sweaters are permitted.

Pants

- Navy uniform pants that fit properly in the waist are allowed. No cargo pockets.

Jewelry

- Grades K to 4 may wear one piece of religious jewelry
- Grades 5 to 8 may wear two additional pieces of jewelry provided that they are appropriate and not distracting.

MASS (WEDNESDAY) ATTIRE

- Full dress uniform is required to be worn on Mass days. Dress uniform for girls is the jumper or skirt and for boys long pants with the proper uniform polo shirt and sweatshirt.

P.E. ATTIRE

- Grades K to 3: White or royal blue P.E. t-shirt is required on P.E. days. Uniform shorts or navy school sweatpants should be worn on P.E. days.
- Grades 4 to 8: White or royal blue P.E. t-shirt is required on P.E. days. Navy school sport shorts or navy school sweatpants should be worn on P.E. days.

GIRLS

- Royal blue plaid school jumpers (grades K to 4), navy blue polo dress (grades K-2) and skirts (grades 5 to 8) are not to be shorter than 3 inches from the floor when kneeling. Royal blue plaid skorts (grades K to 8)
- Girls are strongly encouraged to wear shorts underneath the skirts or jumper, but the length of the shorts should not exceed the length of the skirt or jumper.
- No other pants, sweatpants, capris, etc. are to be worn with jumpers or skirts.
- No rolling of the skirt waistbands.
- Jumpers, skirts, polo dresses and skorts can be purchased from Dennis Uniforms or Used Uniform sales.
- No make-up, perfume, or artificial nails are allowed.
- Only "post" earrings are allowed.
- All clothing must fit properly (at the waist, shoulder, wrist, etc.)

BOYS

- All clothing must fit properly (at the waist, shoulder, wrist, etc.)



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Undergarments of any kind are NOT to be visible at any time.

- Proper care should be given to the school uniform and it should be clean, mended, and pressed. Names are to be on all items, especially sweatshirts, jackets, and sweaters.
- Students are to be in complete school uniform when dismissed from school. PE days are the only exceptions.

NON-UNIFORM/FREE DRESS DAYS:

On occasion, when students earn Non-Uniform Free Dress Passes, or a Non-Uniform Free Dress Day is planned, our policy requires clothes that fit reasonably, not oversized or tight fitting. Shirts and tops must have sleeves, a finished neckline, and be presentable. No bare midriffs, tank tops, or advertising with inappropriate or offensive graphics or slogans. Pants must be in good condition with **no tear holes** and must fit at the hip bones. Skirts must be of reasonable length. Jewelry policy is the same as a regular school day. Shoes must take into consideration safety factors. No shoe jewelry, no open-toed shoes such as flip flops or sandals or shoes with wheels. Walking shorts of reasonable length (no more than 4 inches above the knee) are acceptable. No spandex. **Uggs & boots are ok on free dress days. This list is not all-inclusive.**

CONSEQUENCES

If a student frequently offends normal standards of dress, grooming or hygiene, and has been corrected in this regard, the cooperation of parents is sought to correct the problem. Lack of improvement in personal appearance is grounds for dismissal of a student during a school day.

- First offense: verbal warning. Students have 48 hours to fix the violation.
- Second offense: written warning and a phone call home. Students have 48 hours to fix the violation.
- Third offense: parent will be called to bring the correct clothing, etc. or take the student home until the violation is fixed.

School Uniform Retailers

Campus Outfitters

11954 Masters Ct,
Auburn, CA
Phone: (530) 823-5353
<http://campus-outfitters-auburn.com>

Dennis Uniforms

10266 Rockingham Drive,
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