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DRESS CODE - GRADES K-8

All students are expected to come to school and leave school properly dressed following our St. Francis Xavier School Dress Code. If your child does not comply with the school dress code, he/she will be issued a Dress Code Violation. Three Dress Code Violations will result in an after-school detention. In addition, a parent may be called upon to bring appropriate clothes in order for the student to return to class.

The school administration reserves the right to rule on final interpretation of any and all dress code categories.

KINDERGARTEN

NEW 2015-2016: Kindergarten students are required to wear uniforms. They should follow the dress code listed below.

GIRLS

GRADES K-3

Jumpers

Plaid v-neck jumper

Not to be any shorter than 2 inches above the knee.

Shirts/Blouses

Schoolbelles monogrammed polo shirt in white, yellow, gray or light blue - long or short sleeve.

Round or pointed collar blouse in white - long or short sleeve. (Shirts/Blouses are to be tucked in at all times.)

Schoolbelles monogrammed banded bottom polo shirt in white, yellow, gray or light blue - long or short sleeve (Does not need to be tucked in. Belt is not required when wearing banded shirt).

Pants/Slacks/Shorts

Navy twill slacks or walking shorts - modestly fitted, traditional dress, *Docker*-style uniform pants/shorts. Shorts are not to be shorter than two inches above the knee. Students in kindergarten and first grade may wear shorts and pants with elastic waists purchased through Schoolbelles.

No Shorts are permitted between November 1 and April 1.

GRADES 4-5

Skirts

Shirts

Plaid pleated or kilt style skirt/skort

Not to be any shorter than 2 inches above the knee.

Schoolbelles monogrammed polo shirt in white, yellow, gray or light blue - long or short sleeve (Shirts are to be tucked in at all times.) Schoolbelles monogrammed banded bottom polo shirt in white, yellow, gray or light blue - long or short sleeve (Does not need to be tucked in. Belt is not required when wearing banded shirt).

Pants/Slacks/Shorts

Navy twill slacks or walking shorts - modestly fitted, traditional dress, *Docker*-style uniform pants/shorts. Shorts are not to be shorter than two inches above the knee.

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GRADES 6-8

Skirts/Skorts

Navy pleated or kilt style skirt/skort

Not to be any shorter than 2 inches above the knee.

Shirts

Schoolbelles monogrammed polo shirt in white, yellow, gray, light blue or navy - long or short sleeve (Shirts are to be tucked in at all times.)

Schoolbelles monogrammed banded bottom polo shirt in white, yellow, gray, light blue or navy - long or short sleeve (Does not need to be tucked in. Belt is not required when wearing banded shirt).

Pants/Slacks/Shorts

Navy or Khaki twill dress slacks or walking shorts - modestly fitted, traditional dress, Docker-style uniform pants/shorts. Shorts are not to be shorter than two inches above the knee.

No Shorts are permitted between November 1 and April 1.

BOYS

GRADES K-5

Shirts

Schoolbelles monogrammed polo shirt in white, yellow, gray or light blue - long or short sleeve (Shirts are to be tucked in at all times.) Schoolbelles monogrammed banded bottom polo shirt in white, yellow, gray or light blue - long or short sleeve (Does not need to be tucked in. Belt is not required when wearing banded shirt).

Pants/Slacks

Navy dress slacks or walking shorts - traditional dress, *Docker*-style uniform pants/shorts. Shorts are not to be shorter than two inches above the knee.

Students in kindergarten and first grade may wear shorts and pants with elastic waists purchased through Schoolbelles.

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GRADES 6-8

Shirts

Schoolbelles monogrammed polo shirt in white, yellow, gray, light blue or navy - long or short sleeve (Shirts are to be tucked in at all times.)

Schoolbelles monogrammed banded bottom polo shirt in white, yellow, gray, light blue or navy - long or short sleeve (Does not need to be tucked in. Belt is not required when wearing banded shirt).

Pants/Slacks

Navy or Khaki dress slacks or walking shorts - traditional dress, *Docker*-style uniform pants/shorts. Shorts are not to be shorter than two inches above the knee.

No Shorts are permitted between November 1 and April 1.

ACCESSORIES

SHOES: Sturdy, solid, dark colored BLACK or BROWN closed shoes - Heels not to exceed 1"

Saddle shoes are acceptable. SOLID BLACK athletic shoes are permitted.

No colored logos, stitching or shoelaces are permitted. No high-tops, sandals, moccasin-style, clog-style (Crocs), jellies or boots permitted.

Shoes must be tied at all times.

SOCKS/TIGHTS:

Girls: Solid navy, black, white or gray without emblems or trim, 6th-8th grade add khaki socks.

Boys: Solid navy, black, white or gray without emblems or trim, 6th-8th grade add khaki.

Students must wear socks/tights at all times.

SOCKS MUST BE VISIBLE.

SWEATERS/VESTS/JACKET: Navy round neck cardigan, navy v-neck or pull-over cardigan, vest, or Schoolbelles fleece jacket. Sweaters are not to have hoods or belts.

BELTS: Solid, dark standard belts required with slacks or shorts if there are belt loops.

No studs or decorations are permitted on belts. Belt not needed if wearing Schoolbelle banded shirt.

HAIR ACCESSORIES

Girls: Should be small and appropriate for school (Plain navy, white, black, brown, gold, or uniform plaid)

JEWELRY:

One pair of SMALL studded pierced earrings for girls on the ear lobe

One small religious cross or medal on a chain

Plain, silent wrist watches are acceptable (no smart watches).

GYM CLOTHING

May be purchased through Schoolbelles

GRADES K-5:

Gold T-shirt with SFX logo

Navy regulation shorts - shorts made from navy sweat-pants which have been cut and hemmed, navy sweat pants/ SFX spirit wear mesh shorts with SFX logo. No Shorts are permitted between November 1 and April 1.

Shorts are not to be shorter than two inches above the knee.

Inexpensive MOSTLY WHITE cloth or leather non-marking tennis shoes are to be worn in gym.

To be left at school for indoor use only.

GRADES 6-8:

Gray T-shirt with SFX logo

Navy regulation shorts - shorts made from navy sweat-pants which have been cut and hemmed, navy sweat pants/ SFX spirit wear mesh shorts with SFX logo. Shorts are not to be shorter than two inches above the knee.

No Shorts are permitted between November 1 and April 1.

Inexpensive *MOSTLY WHITE* cloth or leather non-marking tennis shoes are to be worn in gym.

To be left at school for indoor use only.

COMMENTS

HAIR:

Styles should be neat and appropriate for school. Hair styles should not be distracting.

The natural hair color may **NOT** be altered in any way.

Bovs:

Hair must be cut above the eye brow, cut around the ear and cut above the collar and neatly kept.

Boys must be clean shaven - no long side burns.

MAKEUP:

Make-up, nail polish or artificial nails are not permitted.

UNDERGARMENTS:

Only plain, white t-shirts are permitted.

PANTS/SLACKS:

Pants/Slacks need to be modestly fitted, traditional dress, *Docker*-style uniform pants/shorts, as purchased at Schoolbelles.

Skinny, oversized, baggy, drooping, trendy and/or pants with frayed hems, pants with holes, pants with pockets on the pant leg, pants with rivets, jean style stitching or low-rider pants are unacceptable.

Denim, stirrup, velvet, leggings, stretch pants or any pants with stretchy material (spandex/lycra/stretch knits) are unacceptable.

SHORTS: May not be worn between November 1 and April 1.

SFX SWEATSHIRTS: May not be worn during the school day with the uniform.

No logos, symbols, or trim on any uniform piece of clothing is acceptable. Clothes are to be worn in the manner in which they were intended.

Schoolbelles "uniform-styles only" for all uniform apparel.

SCHOOL SPIRIT DAYS

On School Spirit Days, students are permitted to wear official St. Francis Xavier School Spirit Wear. They may wear St. Francis Xavier T-shirts or sweatshirts that have been distributed to the students through the school (choir, drama, sports, etc.), or they may wear their gym uniform or they may wear their school uniform. CYO uniforms that need to be returned at the end of the sports season may not be worn to school on School Spirit Days. Sleeveless SFX tops must have a shirt with sleeves underneath. Tennis shoes may be worn with the spirit wear or gym clothing, but must be neat, clean and worn laced.

Shorts may not be worn between November 1 and April 1.

Make-up, nail polish or artificial nails are not permitted.

CASUAL DRESS /SPECIAL OCCASION DAYS

On casual dress/special occasion days, students are to wear attire which reflects the Christian values of modesty, respect for the individual, and respect for our Catholic tradition, cleanliness and neatness. On Special Occasion dress down days (Sports Days, St. Patrick's Day etc.), students will be given the opportunity to wear clothes reflecting the occasion. Guidelines will be announced before the event.

All general dress code regulations apply:

Shirts must have sleeves

Skirts and shorts are not to be shorter than two inches above the knee.

No high-tops, sandals, moccasin-style, clog-style (Crocs), jellies or boots permitted.

Shoes must be tied at all times.

Students must wear socks/tights with their shoes.

Tight fitting pants/jeans/capris/shorts, etc. are not permitted. Please see Pants/Slacks section under COMMENTS

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