

APPENDEX #2

DRESS CODE

The school uniform is a symbol of unity within the school community. It minimizes distractions in the learning process and teaches students to take pride in their appearance by wearing the regulated uniform. By wearing the uniform, students are constantly reminded they are representing St. Rocco School.

Uniform Requirements for all St. Rocco School Students in Grades PK4-8 (PK3 - Page 26)

Required Uniform: May be worn all year and **MUST** be worn for Holy Days and Special Masses.

Sweaters/Vests: All students must have a uniform sweater with SRS logo

Gym Wear: Worn to school on the day Physical Education class is scheduled with solid white or black sneakers. If Phys. Ed. is scheduled on a day of a special school liturgy, students are to wear the required uniform and just bring the gym sneakers to wear during gym class. Students must wear their complete uniform on all special mass days.

Warm Weather Options: May be worn from the first day of school - October 31st
May be worn from after April 1st - last day of school

Cold Weather Options: May be worn November 1st - March 30th (May be worn all year)

Donnelly's School Apparel or Lands End is the official supplier of the St. Rocco School uniform. Donnelly's also sells accessories (headbands, "scrunchies", and barrette bows) that match our uniform. Although hair accessories are optional, please note that any girl wearing hair accessories should have simple items that are maroon, silver, white or a plaid that matches the uniform.

Foot Wear

Shoes ~ Donnelly's Shoes offer a variety of styles that are acceptable for use at St. Rocco School in grades PK-grade 8. You do not need to purchase these specific shoes. It is a guide only, but students must have shoes that look similar to the approved styles. Younger students may wear Velcro or tie shoes. Black sneaker-type tie shoes are permitted for boys only. Girls in **grades 5-8 ONLY** may wear "Sperry style shoes" in tan, brown, or black. Clogs, Vans, flip flops and slide-ons are never permitted. No high top sneakers (unless prescribed by a doctor), or boots are allowed.

Sneakers ~ Sneakers are permitted with the warm weather option and are required on physical education day.

Black or white sneakers only.

Boots ~ Boots worn during cold weather or in snowy conditions must be removed upon entering the classroom. Students are not allowed to wear **winter or rain boots** during the school day. Students must change into their school regulation shoes. **Boots are not allowed on Dress Down Days either.**

Hair ~ Boy's hair cannot be below the shirt collar and both boy's and girl's hair cannot be below the eyebrows. No bright artificial coloring or bright bleaching of hair is permitted. No shaved hair designs are permitted and should not be visible **upon the start of school**. The presence of anything that proclaims a current fad is not permitted.

Spirit wear ~ Students may wear St. Rocco School "Spirit Wear" clothing throughout the school year for gym class and as part of their **Cold Weather Option. No Spirit Wear hoodies allowed in class. Spirit Wear hoodies can be worn for outside recess.**

GIRLS in PK4 to Grade 4

Year Long Options:

- Plaid box- pleat jumper (must be worn for all special mass days and special occasions) and cannot be more than 3 inches above the middle of the knee
- White short or long sleeve broadcloth blouse with rounded collar
- Maroon cardigan sweater/vest with SRS logo (worn with jumper or pants)
- Maroon, grey, or white knee socks or tights

Cold Weather Options:

- White turtleneck with SRS logo may be worn with jumper or pants
- Maroon pullover sweater or sweater vest with SRS logo
- Gray pleat or plain front slacks
- White long sleeve polo knit shirt with SRS logo
- Maroon SRS sweatshirt or Spiritwear **Crew Neck** sweatshirt only (no hoodies)

Warm Weather Options:

- Gray pleated front shorts
- White short sleeve polo knit shirt with SRS logo
- Plain white socks (ankle length); low-cut socks are not permitted
- White/black sneakers may be worn with the summer uniform (shorts)

GIRLS in Grade 5

All girls in grade 5 must have a uniform skort, and at least one type of uniform sweater/vest with SRS logo.

- Plaid skort must be worn for all special mass days and special occasions, and cannot be more than 3 inches above the middle of the knee
- White short or long sleeve over-blouse with SRS logo
- Maroon sweater vest, pullover or cardigan sweater with SRS logo
- Maroon, grey, or white knee socks or tights

Cold Weather Options:

- White turtleneck with SRS logo
- Gray pleat front slacks
- Plain white ankle-length socks; low cut socks not permitted
- Maroon SRS sweatshirt or Spirit Wear Crew **Neck** sweatshirt only (no hoodies)

Warm Weather Option:

- Gray pleat-front shorts
- White short sleeve polo knit shirt with SRS logo
- Plain white socks (ankle length); low-cut socks are not permitted
- Black or white sneakers may be worn with the summer uniform. Tan, brown, or black Sperry shoes may also be worn with summer uniform.

Middle School Girls ~ Grades 6-8

All girls in middle school must have a uniform skort, and at least one type of uniform sweater with SRS logo. Skort length should be no more than 3 inches above the knee

- Plaid skort must be worn at all Special Mass Days and special occasions
- White short or long sleeve over-blouse with SRS logo
- Maroon sweater vest, pullover, or cardigan sweater with SRS logo
- Grey, white, or maroon knee socks or tights

Cold Weather Option:

- Khaki pleat or plain-front slacks
- Maroon SRS sweatshirt or Spirit Wear **Crew Neck** sweatshirt (no hoodies)
- White turtleneck with SRS logo

Warm Weather Options:

- Khaki skort Skort length should be no more than 3 inches above the knee.
- Plain white ankle length socks; low cut socks are not permitted
- White short sleeve polo knit shirt with SRS logo
- Black or white sneakers may be worn with the summer uniform. Tan, brown, or black Sperry shoes may also be worn with summer uniform.

Girls Grades PK4-8 Accessories

- Small post earrings are acceptable
- Less than one half-inch in diameter hoops are permitted
- Only one pair of earrings is allowed to be worn on the ear lobe
- Makeup is not permitted
- Plain black, brown or gray belts must be worn with pants and shorts
- Jewelry is not permitted, unless it is a small, thin chain worn around the neck with a religious cross or medal. This must be kept inside the shirt at all times.

- Clear nail polish is permitted.
- Clear or light pink gel nail polish for middle school girls are permitted on SRS special occasions such as the Father/Daughter Dance and Graduation, with permission from the principal. Gel nail polish needs to be removed within 2 week of the SRS special occasion.
- The only hair accessories allowed are simple headbands, barrettes or ribbon that matches the school uniform (silver, maroon or uniform plaid). These items are sold at Donnelly's School Apparel or in the School office.
- Scarves, bandanas or headbands with attached ribbons are not permitted
- Scarves worn around the neck are not permitted in class
- Body piercing or visible tattoos are not permitted
- Colored trim is not permitted on socks
- Colored camisoles or undershirts are not permitted under blouses

BOYS in PK4 to Grade 5

All boys in grades Pre-Kindergarten through grade 5 must wear gray plain, pleat, or pleat front relaxed/fit twill pants. Pants that are overly baggy or worn low are not acceptable. No corduroy, brand name, or painters' pants are permitted. Pants should be hemmed appropriately and not touch the floor.

Boy's hair cannot be below the shirt collar or eyebrows.
The presence of anything that proclaims a current fad is not permitted.

- White short or long sleeve polo shirt with SRS logo. Shirts must be tucked into pants at all times
- Maroon pullover, cardigan or sweater vests with SRS logo
- Boys must have at least one sweater/vest that will be worn for Holy Days of Obligation and SRS special masses/occasions
- Black, gray, or white socks must be worn with pants
- Plain black or gray belts must be worn

Cold Weather Option:

- White turtleneck with SRS logo
- Maroon SRS sweatshirt or Spirit Wear **Crew Neck** sweatshirt only (no hoodies)

Warm Weather Options:

- Gray relaxed- fit pleated shorts
- White ankle length socks
- Low-cut socks are not permitted
- Colored trim is not permitted on socks
- Black/white sneakers may be worn with summer uniform (shorts)

MIDDLE SCHOOL BOYS

- Khaki plain, pleat or pleat front relaxed-fit twill pants
- White short or long sleeve polo shirt with SRS logo
- Shirt must be tucked in pants at all times
- Maroon cardigan, pullover, or sweater vest with SRS logo
- Black, beige, or white socks must be worn with pants
- Low-cut socks are not permitted - colored trim is not permitted on socks
- Belts must be either black or brown

Cold Weather Options:

- White turtleneck with SRS logo
- Maroon SRS sweatshirt or Spirit Wear **Crew Neck** sweatshirt (no hoodies)

Warm Weather Options:

- Khaki pleated front relaxed-fit shorts
- Plain white ankle length socks
- Low-cut socks are not permitted
- Knee socks are not permitted
- Colored undershirts are not permitted under the school shirt
- Black/white sneakers may be worn with summer uniform (shorts)

Boys PK4-8 Accessories

- Jewelry is not permitted, unless it is a small, thin chain worn around the neck with a religious cross or medal. This must be kept inside the shirt at all times
- Body piercing or visible tattoos are not permitted. **(Fake tattoos are not permitted)**
- Earrings are not permitted, nor is covering a pierced earlobe with a Band-Aid
- Nail polish is not acceptable

Gym Wear ~ All Pre-K 4 to Grade 8 Students

Gym wear must be purchased from Donnelly's or Spirit Wear through the School Office.

Required Items:

- Maroon sweatshirt, sweatpants, tee shirt with SRS logo
*Alternate choice: SRS Spirit Wear (sweatshirt / tee shirt)
- White or black sneakers

Warm Weather Option:

- Maroon shorts with SRS logo
*Alternate choice: SRS Spirit Wear (mesh shorts)

Uniform Infractions:

- After the third uniform notice is issued, the student will serve detention.
- Non-regulation outerwear cannot be worn during class unless deemed necessary by the principal.
- No bright artificial coloring or bright bleaching of hair is permitted. No shaved hair designs are permitted.
- Body piercing or visible tattoos are not permitted. (Fake tattoos are not permitted)
- Jewelry: A standard wrist watch, a simple religious necklace, and the girls are allowed to wear only one pair of earrings on the ear lobe. Other jewelry items are not allowed such as Apple watches, pearls, sequined/glittered headbands, etc.
- The presence of anything that proclaims a current fad is not permitted.
- Summer regulation uniforms may be worn on mass days from the first day of school until October 31st and from April 1st until the last day of school. From November 1st to April 1st, full uniforms (pants are acceptable) with sweater or vest (weather permitting) must be worn on First Friday, special mass days, and school activities. Sneakers must be brought to school for physical education class on these days.

Dress Down Days

Students who choose to “dress down” must abide by the following rules and regulations:

- No flip flops
- No open-back shoes or Crocs
- No miniskirts or very short shorts (3” above the knee)
- No halters, tube tops, or suggestive tops
- No “spaghetti” strap shirts or crop tops
- Tank tops must be worn under a shirt or blouse
- No pajamas or slippers
- No ripped jeans or pants
- Leggings are permitted only with a long shirt, sweater or sweatshirt over them
- No obscene, rude, or suggestive messages on clothing
- No **Hooded** shirt/sweat shirt
- Payment must be submitted to dress down (Money collected will be donated to a charity). If payment is not received, then the student will not be able to “dress down” on the next scheduled dress down day.
- Dress down passes cannot be used on any mass days or in the month of September
- Dress down passes are good for current year and are not transferable

Ordering

Please place your order by June 15th to insure that you will have the clothes you need for the opening day of school. This allows time for alterations, exchanges, etc. Uniform companies cannot meet the demands of all parents who arrive at the store in August. Ordering by June 15th also takes 10% off your order.

Special Note - *St. Rocco School has a Uniform Closet. There are gently used uniforms available. Please call the school office for hours.

PK 3 Uniform Requirement

Students enrolled in the Pre-Kindergarten 3-year-old program are to wear our St. Rocco School Spirit Wear to school daily. Please refer to the guidelines stated below.

Shirts: St. Rocco School Spirit Wear grey short or long sleeve t-shirt
St. Rocco School Spirit Wear grey sweatshirt

(no hooded sweatshirts allowed in the classroom)

Bottoms: Donnelly’s grey gym pants or shorts (shorts are warm weather uniform)

Shoes: All black or all white comfortable sneakers (no hi-tops)

Please note: Donnelly’s smaller sizes (2T-4T) are considered a “special order” and must be placed no later than July 31st. Also, all clothing is unisex.