

2025/2026 School/Dress Code Policy

Boys (See Flynn and O'Hara webpage for St. Mary of Mt. Carmel)

Pre-K

- All pieces must have the school logo:
- Navy/ White Tee (Short or long sleeve)
- Navy shorts
- Navy sweatpants
- Navy Crew Neck Sweatshirt
- St. Mary's Quarter Zip over uniform shirt
- Sneakers

Boys Grades K-3 Formal/Winter Uniform

- Khaki Twill Pants- **No Cargo or Carpenter Style Pants.**
- White Oxford shirt, short/long sleeves
- Navy V-neck sweater vest with school logo
- Navy V-neck pullover sweater with school logo
- School Plaid Tie
- Belt (required for 3rd grade and up)
- **Saddles/Bucks ONLY**

Boys K-3 Fall/Spring Option Aug-Oct.14/April 13-end

- Khaki Boys' Twill Walking Shorts
- White/Navy Short/Long Sleeve Polo Shirt w/school logo,
- **Low-cut sneakers (Worn with khaki shorts only), saddles, or bucks (worn with pants)**
- Belt (required for 3rd grade and up)

Boys Grades 4-5 Fall/Spring Option Aug-Oct.14/ April 13-end

- Khaki Boys' Twill Walking **shorts/long khakis- No cargo or carpenter style shorts/pants.**
- White/Navy Short Sleeve Polo Shirt w/school logo
- Belt
- **Low- cut sneakers with shorts; saddles or bucks with long pants**

Boys Grades 4-8 Formal/Winter Uniform

- Regulation Uniform Khaki Twill Pants- **No Cargo or Carpenter Style Pants.**
- Oxford Shirts (White, Yellow, Blue, Pink) Short/Long Sleeves
- Navy V-neck sweater vest with school logo
- Navy V-neck pullover sweater with school logo
- Appropriate tie and belts are required
- Belt
- Navy Sport coat- grades 6-8 only
- **Saddles/Bucks ONLY**

Boys Grades 6-8 Fall/Spring Option Aug-Oct.14/April 13-end

- White/Navy Short Sleeve Polo
- Regulation Uniform Khaki Twill Pants – **No Cargo or Carpenter Style Pants.**
- **Saddles or Bucks ONLY**

Boys-Any Day:

Hair must be conservatively styled, short, above the eyes and the collar of the shirt. Excessive hairstyles (Mohawks, faux-hawks, etc.) will not be allowed. Unusual or distracting haircuts, designs, or colors are not permitted. Hair coloring, bleaching, highlighting, and tinting is not allowed. Exceptions may be made for hairstyles that reflect a student's cultural or ethnic identity. No facial hair.

Boys may not wear earrings (including spacers, band-aids, or covering over earrings), bracelets, or pierced jewelry of any kind. Necklaces with a cross or religious medal on a linked chain may be worn. Medical necklace, medical bracelet, and/or watch are permitted. Hats may not be worn in the building.

****NO VISIBLE TATTOOS EITHER PERMANENT OR TEMPORARY ARE ALLOWED.**

SMARTWATCHES ARE NOT PERMITTED TO BE WORN DURING SCHOOL HOURS.

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Girls (See Flynn and O'Hara webpage for St. Mary of Mt. Carmel)

Girls Grades K-3 Formal/Winter Uniform

- Plaid Drop Waist Jumper
- White Oxford/ Peter Pan Collared Shirt, short/long sleeves,
- **Flat headbands, no ears, horns, etc.,** Bows Allowed
- Navy Crew Neck Cardigan Sweater w/logo
- **Saddles/Bucks/Mary Janes ONLY** (No ballet-type shoes, loafers, clogs, or open toes allowed)
- Navy Blue/White/Grey Socks/Tights **OR** Navy Blue or Grey leggings worn under jumper (Pants are NOT an option)

Girls K-3 Fall/Spring Option Aug-Oct.14/April 13-end

- Khaki Girls' Skort (Front Panel)
- White/Navy Long or Short Sleeve Polo Shirt w/school logo **flat headbands, no ears, horns, etc.,**
- **Sneakers, saddles, bucks or Mary Janes**

Girls Grades 4-8 Formal/Winter Uniform

- Grey Kilt (**length-no more than 3 inches above the knee**) **SKORTS are NOT a part of the school uniform.**
- **Flat headbands, no ears, horns, etc.,** Bows allowed
- Oxford Shirts (White, Yellow, Blue, Pink)
- Navy V-Neck sweater vest with school logo
- Navy V-Neck pullover sweater with school logo
- **Saddles/Bucks/ Mary Janes ONLY** (No ballet-type shoes, loafers, clogs, elevated heels, or open toes will be allowed)
- Navy Blue, White, or Grey knee high socks/tights **OR** Navy Blue or Grey leggings worn under kilt (Pants are NOT an option)

Grades 4-8 Fall/Spring Option Aug-Oct.14/April 13-end

- White/Navy Short/ long Sleeve Polo
- Grey Kilt (**length-no more than 3 inches above the knee**).
- **THE SKORT is NO longer a FALL/SPRING option.**
- **Saddles/Bucks/Mary Janes ONLY** (No ballet-type shoes, loafers, clogs, elevated heels, or open toes will be allowed)
- Navy Blue, White, or Grey Knee High socks/tights

Girls- Any Day:

Hair must be neat, clean, conservatively styled, and does not block the vision/eyes. There should be no ornamentation (fairy strands, hair extensions, flowers, beads, etc.). Hair coloring, bleaching, highlighting, or tinting is not allowed. Unusual or distracting haircuts, designs, or colors are not permitted. Exceptions may be made for hairstyles that reflect a student's cultural or ethnic identity.

****No makeup or lipstick**

****Exception: Natural** makeup, lightly applied, will be allowed for girls in grades 7 and 8.

****Clear or light pastel nail polish only – No unnatural lengths or artificial nails**

****No visible tattoos either permanent or temporary are allowed.**

****Small jewelry, in moderation**

Only one necklace and/or one bracelet may be worn. Watches may be worn. Medical bracelets or medical necklaces may be worn. One pair of non-dangling, post earrings are allowed. No other piercings are allowed.

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SMMC Quarter Zip Sweatshirt and Full Zip Jacket

** The SMMC quarter zip (previously sold) and the full zip jacket are the **ONLY** sweatshirt/jacket allowed for daily wear. It **MUST** be worn over the school uniform top. These will be sold online during the school year summer/fall.

** The SMMC quarter zip or full zip jacket are **NOT** considered formal uniform. Vests, cardigans, sport coats must be worn on official formal uniform days.

PLEASE NOTE: Boys in grades K-5, and girls in grades 4-5, are allowed to wear the long sleeve navy/white polo shirt as part of the winter (not formal) uniform.

*****All students will be required to wear formal uniforms for liturgy and other noted events.**

Boys/Girls Gym Uniform (K-8) Gym on Mondays

- Navy School Logo Gym Shorts
- White School Logo T- shirt
- Navy Blue School Logo sweatpants
- Navy Blue School Logo sweatshirt/fleece
- (Boys in Grades 6-8 may wear **plain** navy gym shorts -No Logo)

Mindfulness Fridays

Students may wear SMMC logo spirit wear OR SMMC gym clothes **ONLY**.

DRESS CODE VIOLATIONS

Parent will be called to bring appropriate attire and a demerit will be given after the second uniform offense and thereafter for grades 4-8.

-Flynn and O'Hara (online only) is the preferred location to purchase **NEW** uniform items.

-Some uniform items may also be found at Starr Uniform, Scranton.

Dress Code Policy Continued

Dress Down Days

Out-of-Uniform days are an occasional privilege. Like all privileges, their beneficial effects can be forfeited because of the irresponsibility of a few. Out-of-Uniform days are time to show school spirit, wear the school colors, dress up or just enjoy a change of pace. Out-of-Uniform means a relaxed attitude toward dress, which does not result in extremes.

Clothes worn on Out-of-Uniform days must be modest in all circumstances. **On days when the students do not have to wear their uniform to school, the following guidelines for appropriate Out-of-Uniform MUST BE FOLLOWED by all students:**

- o No sleeveless or strap style shirts or blouses. No low cut necklines.
 - o No tight fitting clothing.
 - o No excessively bagging clothing.
 - o No low slung pants or short tops that expose the midriff.
 - o No short skirts or shorts. (maximum of 3 inches above the back of the knee). This same length rule applies to uniform days.
 - o No ripped or torn clothing.
 - o No inappropriate logos, slogans, or advertising on clothing.
 - o No leggings, unless the top is tunic length.
 - o No open-toed/backless (NO CLOGS) sandals.
 - o Make-up or jewelry (follow school's grooming requirements)
- **Same uniform regulations apply for Out-of-Uniform days for both boys & girls.****

Violators will be sent home to change and will lose the privilege of being Out-of-Uniform.

NOTE: The Administration reserves the right to determine what is appropriate for the Dress Code.