

### **School Dress Code**

**Please label** uniform clothing, coats, hats, gloves, shoes, backpacks and lunch containers. We hope to return lost items to the rightful owner.

Students will wear uniforms to assist in creating an atmosphere of learning, to promote a sense of discipline, to instill a habit of personal pride and neatness, and to reinforce that each of us is important for who we are and not for what we have or wear. The Academy Dress Code should be observed during the school day and during school sponsored activities.

#### **General Modest Dress Guidelines**

Undergarments should not be visible.

Midriffs should be covered even when scholars raise their hands above their heads.

Scholars should be properly attired for weather conditions.

During inclement weather, scholars may wear boots into school and during recess, but, due to the sensitivity of our flooring, boots cannot be worn in the classroom. Scholars must bring another pair of shoes to wear in school.

<u>Girls</u> - Grades K-8: Shirts - knit, 2 or 3 button polo shirt or turtleneck - "true" red or

white. A plain white short-sleeved T-shirt may be worn underneath.

Shirts must be tucked in at all times—not rolled.

Uniform Sweatshirt - Purchased through Academy and/or

**Uniform Sweater -** <u>Purchased through Dennis Uniform</u> - may be worn over the knit shirt or turtleneck, NOT tied around the waist. Only the Uniform Sweatshirt or Sweater may be worn in the classrooms. All other jackets/sweatshirts are for outdoor use only.

**Pants or Shorts -** Navy blue or black twill material or Dockers style; may be purchased from the <u>uniform</u> <u>department</u> of any retail store. No denim, outside pockets, rivets, elastic band at the ankle or waist contrasting over-stitching, no piping, no cargo, no "skinny" type pants. (should fit comfortably and not be visibly tight or low.)

# **\*\*Uniform Shorts may be worn all year long. (No shorter than 3 inches above the knee.)** *Cargo shorts are* **NOT** *allowed.*

**Belts** – worn with shorts or pants having belt loops in grades 3-8<sup>th</sup>. All belts must be plain and black, brown, or navy in color. Decorative belt buckles are not allowed.

**Socks -** must be worn at all times. Socks must be solid red, white, black or navy in color with no decorative designs. Solid white, red or black tights are allowed.

**Shoes** – Shoes must be closed toe and heel with 1 inch, or less, heel. No Crocs, sandals, high heels, stacked/wedged heels, open-backed shoes or boots of any kind. Shoes must be tied, velcroed, or laced up at all times.

**Hair** – Should be well groomed. color must be one natural hair color. Braids may NOT include additional color. Grades K-3: **Plaid Jumper** – <u>**Purchased through Dennis Uniform**</u> - no shorter than 2 inches above the knee



when measured while kneeling.

Grade 4: **Plaid Jumper or Skirt - <u>Purchased through Dennis Uniform</u> - no shorter than 2 inches above the knee when measured while kneeling.** 

Grades 5-8: **Plaid Skirt** – <u>**Purchased through Dennis Uniform**</u>- no shorter than 2 inches above the knee when measured while kneeling.

\*Skirts and knit shirts are **not** to be rolled.

\*\*Pants are not to be worn under uniform skirts or jumpers

**Jumper and skirt length standard will be enforced all year long**. Please keep this in mind when purchasing new uniform jumpers/skirts. After the third jumper/skirt violation is sent, the student will be required to wear uniform pants for the rest of the school year.

- White, red or black leggings or tights are allowed but must be ankle length, no lace, no ribbing, or decorations. Leggings must be worn with socks.
- No sweatpants, pajama pants may not be worn to school.
- Shorts (not visible) should be worn under all skirts and jumpers. Uniform or other pants are not to be worn under uniform skirts or jumpers. (See tights and leggings above)

#### Grades 7-8: Makeup in moderation.

\*Make-up, lotions, and cologne should be applied at home and not brought to school. Jewelry: a simple cross, medal or crucifix. Earrings are to be simple, no longer than 1 inch, or posts. One bracelet only. Chokers, Smart watches, scarves, bandanas and excessive jewelry are not permitted.

**Boys** - Grades K-8: Shirts - knit, 2 or 3 button polo shirt or turtleneck - "true" red or white. A plain white short-sleeved T-shirt may be worn underneath. Shirts must be tucked in at all times – not rolled. Uniform Sweatshirt – Order through Academy

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**Pants or Shorts -** Should be worn at the natural waistline, should fit comfortable, and not be visibly tight. Navy blue or black twill material; needs to be purchased from the <u>uniform department</u> of any retail store or Dennis Uniform. No denim, outside pockets, rivets, elastic band at the ankle or waist contrasting over-stitching, no piping, no cargo, no "skinny" type pants. **\*\*Uniform shorts may be worn all year long. Belts**—worn with pants or shorts having belt loops in grades 3<sup>rd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>.

All belts must be plain and black, brown, or navy in color. Decorative belt buckles are not allowed.

Socks--must be worn at all times. Socks must be plain - no design - and white, navy or black in color. Shoes – Shoes must be closed toe and heel of 1 inch, or less. No Crocs, sandals, flip-flops or boots. *Shoes must be tied, velcroed or laced up at all times.* 

**Hair**-- must be neatly groomed and may not exceed the collar in the back, the top of the ears, on the sides, or the eyebrows. Hair must be all one length. Hair must be one natural color.

NO design or wording is to be carved into the hairstyle. This includes, but is not limited to, extravagant or



well-defined lines.
NO rat-tails, "man-buns," ponytails, braids, Mohawk or latest "haircut" fads are allowed.
Scholars must be clean shaven. NO facial hair is allowed.
\*Boys may not wear earrings or makeup.

**Jewelry**: a necklace that is a simple cross, crucifix, or religious medal is allowed. One bracelet is allowed; no sweatbands. Chokers,Smart watches and excessive jewelry are not permitted.

#### Accessories and Personal Care

Students may not wear bandanas or head wraps for headgear, hats, ball caps, sweatbands or wristbands. Sunglasses are not allowed at school. Jewelry, watches, hair ornaments and nail art should not distract from the learning environment and will be subject to the discretion of the faculty. Students are not allowed to write or draw on themselves. *No Henna tattoos or other unnatural markings on the body will be permitted.* Headbands need to be a solid color; without ties and/or bows. They should fit tightly across the head and not distract the learning environment.

## Any variation of the St. Regis uniform policy will be dealt with at the discretion of the teacher and the administration.

The St. Regis Uniform Code is in effect from the time students arrive on campus until students leave the campus at the end of the school day unless otherwise directed by the school office.