



St. Paul's Lutheran School Dress Code Guidelines

ACCEPTABLE SCHOOL DRESS

All colors of polo or oxford collared shirts and knit collared dresses are required to have the St. Paul's triple cross (grandfathered through the 2021-2022 school year) or the new rounded cross school logo embroidered on the item.

PLAID SKIRTS/JUMPERS ("SHIFTS")/SKORTS

- Black and Gold Plaid available through Lands' End and Just Me Apparel
- Skirts and skirts must be worn at the natural waistline (rolling of skirts is not allowed)
- No shorter than four inches above the knee

KNIT DRESSES

- Black (from any vendor) – must be collared
- Gray (from any vendor) – must be collared
- No shorter than four inches above the knee

PANTS, SHORTS, PLAIN JUMPERS, PLAIN SKIRTS

- Khaki (from any vendor of your choice)
- Black (from any vendor of your choice)
- Gray (from any vendor of your choice)
- Tailored – pleated or flat front
- No denim, knit, cargo
- To be worn at the natural waistline, conforming to body type, not dragging on the floor
- No shorter than four inches above the knee

SHIRTS - *All colors need to be logoed as of January 2020

- Polo or oxford collared shirts
- Black (from any vendor of your choice)
- White (from any vendor of your choice)
- Gold (from Dot the I Embroidery)
- Maize (from Lands' End)
- Honey Gold (from Lands' End)
- Gray (from Dot the I Embroidery)
- Gray (from Lands' End)
- A long or short sleeve shirt or turtleneck is worn under standard dress shirt, the color of undershirt must be WHITE or BLACK.
- No logos, patterns, embroidered designs, or pictures other than St. Paul's approved logo
- No laces or zippers
- Shirts must be tucked in at all times so waistband of lower garment is visible
- Students may also wear neckties containing no offensive words or images.

SWEATERS/CARDIGANS

- Same guidelines as shirts, however no logo will be required on any sweaters. Logos would be optional to add to sweater colors of white, black, gold, maize, or gray.
- Cardigan, crew, V-neck sweaters, and vests are allowed in the appropriate sanctioned colors.
- No logos, patterns, or pictures (other than the approved St. Paul's logo)
- Collared shirt or turtleneck must be worn underneath

SWEATSHIRTS/HOODIES/FLEECE

- All sweatshirts and hoodies must have either our approved SPL Logo or an approved spirit wear design.
- Fleece must have the SPL Logo. Other designs are not allowed.
- Reference website or previous communication for definitions on approved SPL logo or other approved designs.
- Black (from any vendor of your choice, but needs logo)
- White (from any vendor of your choice, but needs logo)
- Gold (from Dot the i Embroidery)
- Gray (from Dot the i Embroidery or Lands' End)
- Collared shirt or turtleneck must be worn underneath

SHOES

- Need to provide protection for all types of school activities
- Closed-toe
- Non-marking soles (both casual and athletic)
- Velcro, laces, buckles, etc. need to be fastened at all times
- Snow boots are not acceptable for indoors

SOCKS/TIGHTS/HOSE

- Matching socks (solid with little or small logo) should complement the outfit.
- Ankle, crew, or knee socks allowed. Need to be visible above the shoe
- LEGGINGS: White, gray, or black tights or white, gray, or black leggings are allowed but must be worn with socks

UNDERGARMENTS

- Appropriate for school
- Not to be visible through garments

SCOUT UNIFORMS

- May be worn on designated Scout days
- Sash or vest may be worn with standardized dress

ADDITIONAL ACCEPTABLE OPTIONS

SPIRIT WEAR

- Approved St. Paul's spirit wear may be worn each Monday of the school week with approved dress code bottoms. The principal may allow jeans on certain spirit wear days or other special school days, but that is not the standard for each Monday.

ACCESSORIES

- Hair accessories should coordinate with outfit (prefer **black/gold/white** St. Paul's colors, but will allow red, purple, grey, and maize if it complements the outfit).
- Earrings may be worn only by girls.

MAKEUP

- Should be used sparingly to enhance one's natural, God-given beauty

UNACCEPTABLE WEAR FOR ALL STUDENTS

- Outerwear in the classroom (non-St. Paul's logo hoodies or non-spirit wear approved items).
- Denim (shirts, pants, jumpers, skirts, and shorts) unless designated for a special dress day.
- Hats, caps, sunglasses in the building
- Hair colored in an unnatural way
- Body piercing (except girls' ears)
- Wallet chains
- Jewelry supporting anti-Christian values
- Tattoos

RESOURCES

- St. Paul's website will have details for dress code questions
- Lands' End will have a custom website link for St. Paul's families.
- Questions can be addressed to the Principal, Faculty Members, and/or School Board Members.
- Approved vendors: **Just Me Apparel, Dot the i Embroidery, Lands' End**

PHYSICAL EDUCATION CLOTHES

Fifth through eighth grade students are to have the following items marked with their name for PE class:

- Non-marking athletic shoes (no Crocs for any PE class - K-8th grade)
- St. Paul's T-shirt, available through the bookstore, is to be worn only during PE but may also be worn for after-school athletics.
- Black athletic shorts
- White socks
- Jogging/warm up suits may be used during PE class at teacher direction.

STEPS TO ADDRESS NONCOMPLIANCE OF DRESS CODE

- 1) The first time clothing is worn to school that does not comply with the school dress code, the student will receive a verbal warning.
- 2) For repeated violations, the student may be removed from class, the parent will be called, and the student will not be allowed to return to class until appropriate clothing is brought to school for the student. The student may also serve a noon detention for repeated dress code violations.