

## Dress Code Checklist

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A complete copy of the St. Joan of Arc School Dress Code is found in the school family handbook. The following checklist is intended to assist parents and students in following the uniform code. (Dress-up and casual dress day codes are found in the family handbook.)

### Girls' Plaid Skirts, Split Skirts, Skorts, and Jumpers

- Length is no shorter than four inches above the knee, skirts not rolled
- Purchased from Schoolbelles

### Dress Slacks

- Solid black or navy blue; no rivets or jean styles; no decorations or trim
- Cotton or cotton-blend twill or corduroy; "uniform-style" pants; no knit, polyester, or sweatpants material
- Not form-fitting, worn at appropriate height
- No elastic ankles or leg pockets
- Straight leg or slight flare
- Belts worn with belt loops; belts should be of a "leather-type" material and have a simple belt buckle, solid color that is appropriate to the code

### Shorts

- Solid navy blue or black walking shorts; no rivets or jean styles; no decorations or trim, "uniform style"; **NO navy blue skirts or skorts**
- Cotton twill or corduroy; no knit, polyester, or sweatpants material
- Appropriate length; at least three inches below fingertip length
- Belts worn with belt loops
- Girls may wear plaid walking shorts or skorts of uniform plaid purchased from Schoolbelles

### Socks

- Solid white, black, navy blue or red
- No decorations or trim
- Must be visible **above** shoes

### Shirts, Blouses, and Turtlenecks

- Solid white, powder blue, or red (NO navy)
- Long or short sleeves
- Collars (oxford for boys and girls, peter pan for girls)
- Cotton or cotton blend material or knit 2-3 button-down shirt (traditional, no gathers)
- No decorative trim, lace, or colors**
- Undershirts worn should not be visible
- Long enough to be worn tucked in
- Modesty is the guideline for fit

### Sweaters

- Solid white, navy blue, or red (NO light blue)
- Pull-over, V-neck, or button-down cardigan
- Long sleeves or sweater vest
- Worn over a uniform shirt or turtleneck with collar showing
- Traditional sweater material; no fleece or knit material, no hoodie, no trim, no zipper
- Traditional waist or hip length

### Dress Uniform Sweatshirts

- Red with St. Joan of Arc logo
- Available only on order through the school office
- Must be worn over a shirt, blouse, or turtleneck

## Shoes

- \_\_\_\_\_ Dress shoes (should be sturdy and appropriate for recess)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Oxford leather or suede athletic shoes
- \_\_\_\_\_ No canvas, high-tops above the ankle, lights, characters (movie, cartoons, etc.)
- \_\_\_\_\_ No sandals, open-toed, or open-heeled shoes
- \_\_\_\_\_ No narrow heels, no high heels above 1 inch
- \_\_\_\_\_ Hiking or snow boots should not be worn to classes

## Hairstyles/ Jewelry

- \_\_\_\_\_ Fad hairstyles not permitted (ex. : steps, tails, spikes)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Hair must be out of eyes
- \_\_\_\_\_ Boys' hair off/above the collar and earlobes
- \_\_\_\_\_ Boys should be clean-shaven with sideburns no longer than the bottom of the ear
- \_\_\_\_\_ Natural color of hair
- \_\_\_\_\_ No earring for boys
- \_\_\_\_\_ Only one earring per ear for girls, button-type earrings only
- \_\_\_\_\_ No fad necklaces or bracelets, no choker-style necklaces
- \_\_\_\_\_ Necklaces should be simple and thin with only a small medallion
- \_\_\_\_\_ Only one necklace, bracelet, and ring may be worn at a time
- \_\_\_\_\_ Make-up, fake nails, and fingernail polish not permitted

## Gym Clothes\*

- \_\_\_\_\_ **Plain** red or black gym shorts; no leg pockets; length should be **at least 3 inches below fingertips when arms are straight at sides** (can be purchased through office or on your own)
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Plain** red or black sweatpants, knit material, no other color, no leg pockets, no stripe of any color (not wind pants) (can be ordered through the office or on your own)
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ Gray St. Joan of Arc Dragon short-sleeved tee shirts purchased through school office
- \_\_\_\_\_ Gray long sleeve St. Joan of Arc Dragon tee shirt ordered through school office
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Red sweatshirt or hoodie with St. Joan of Arc logo** can be ordered through school office (not plain)
- \_\_\_\_\_ No writing on shirts other than the printed St. Joan of Arc logo

**\*Note: Grade 7 and 8 students ONLY** have an additional “special privilege” gym uniform option that they may purchase through the school office.

It is expected that the hoodie and sweatpants remain neat and clean, that the clothing items are not deliberately cut, that pants do not drag on the ground, that ripped or tattered clothing is not worn. Prices of the clothing are kept at a minimum to make them affordable to families.