

Uniform Policy 2026-2027

At STM, uniforms express our Jesuit identity by promoting unity, humility, and focus on learning. They reflect the belief that each person is valued as a child of God. Wearing a uniform teaches responsibility and reminds us that we represent something greater than ourselves. It also helps us live our mission by witnessing Christ's presence in all things.

STM Apparel and Emblems

Only STM apparel is to be worn in school or while attending a school function (on or off campus) during the school day.

- Uniforms can be purchased from Flynn O'Hara Uniforms or Lands' End (the STM preferred number for Lands' End is 900027962), and we do allow navy pants to be purchased from other suppliers as long as they match our uniform policy.
- The round STM emblem or monogram must be on all STM shirts, blouses, jumpers, sweaters, PE uniforms, and fleece jackets.

Names, Fit, and Cleanliness

Please be sure all students' belongings are labeled with their first and last name. All uniforms must fit and be worn appropriately. Uniform items should be as clean as possible, and must be replaced if they become worn, faded, or contain holes. There must be a hem intact.

Uniform length

- All skirts, jumpers, and shorts lengths are to be no more than 3 inches above the knee.
- Shorts and skirts cannot be rolled over, and pants and shorts are to be worn at the natural waistline.
- Students are not permitted to wear shorts that are below the knee.
- Pants must not be above the ankle.

Shirts

Shirts must be tucked in properly at all times. If a white t-shirt is worn under the school shirt, it cannot be shown at the sleeve, or below the bottom of the school shirt.

Winter Uniform Reminders

The winter uniform can be worn all year long; however, it may not be interchanged with any part of the summer uniform. Permitted Indoors: STM sweater, STM track jacket, STM fleece, and/or the **STM PE Sweatshirt**. Not permitted indoors- Spirit Wear (including hoodie), feeder school apparel, outerwear, and non-STM uniform apparel.

Uniform Guide

| Grade Level | Summer Uniform Girls | Summer Uniform Boys | Winter Uniform Girls | Winter Uniform Boys |
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| PreK | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Light blue long/short sleeve polo or dri-fit polo - Pull-on navy slacks or shorts - White or navy crew socks (no ankle) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Light blue long/short sleeve polo or dri-fit polo - Pull-on navy slacks or shorts - White or navy crew socks (no ankle) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Light blue long/short sleeve polo or dri-fit polo - Pull-on navy slacks - Navy v-neck cardigan or pullover sweater with logo - Navy fleece with logo (optional) - White or navy crew socks (no ankle) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Light blue long/short sleeve polo or dri-fit polo - Pull-on navy slacks - Navy v-neck cardigan or pullover sweater with logo - Navy fleece with logo (optional) - White or navy crew socks (no ankle) |
| K-2 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Navy or plaid jumper - Navy walking shorts - Blue short/long sleeve Peter Pan blouse - Navy privacy shorts under jumpers - White or navy crew socks (no ankle) - Plaid or school color (navy, gray, white, or gold) hair accessories | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Navy walking shorts - Light blue short/long sleeve polo or dri-fit polo - Belt: navy stretch or black/brown leather or braided - White or navy crew socks (no ankle) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Navy or plaid jumper - Navy slacks - Navy privacy shorts allowed under jumpers - Blue short/long sleeve Peter Pan blouse - Navy v-neck cardigan or pullover sweater with logo - Navy knee socks , or white or navy crew socks - Navy tights or navy leggings (optional) - Plaid or school color (navy, gray, white, or gold) hair accessories - Belt: navy stretch or black/brown leather or braided for slacks | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Navy slacks - Blue short/long sleeve polo or dri-fit polo - Belt: navy stretch or black/brown leather or braided - Navy v-neck cardigan or pullover sweater with logo - Navy or white crew socks - Navy fleece with logo (optional) |
| 3-5 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Plaid skirt - Navy walking shorts - Light blue short/long sleeve polo or dri-fit polo - White or navy crew socks (no ankle) or navy knee socks - Plaid or school color (navy, gray, white, or gold) hair accessories - Belt: navy stretch or black/brown leather or braided for walking shorts | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Navy walking shorts - Light blue short/ long sleeve polo or dri-fit polo - Belt: navy stretch or black/brown leather or braided - White or navy crew socks (no ankle) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Plaid skirt or navy slacks - Light blue short/long sleeve polo or dri-fit polo - Navy v-neck cardigan or pullover sweater with logo - Navy fleece with logo (optional) - Navy knee or white or navy crew socks - Navy tights or navy leggings - Plaid or school color (navy, gray, white, or gold) hair accessories -Belt: navy stretch or black/brown leather or braided for slacks | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Navy slacks - Light blue short/long sleeve polo or dri-fit polo - Belt: navy stretch or black/brown leather or braided - Navy v-neck cardigan or pullover sweater with logo - Navy or white crew socks - Navy fleece with logo (optional) |
| 6-8 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Navy skirt or walking shorts; use Junior sizes in order to have correct length (3 in. max above knee). - *Light blue or white short sleeve polo or dri-fit polo | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Navy walking shorts (3 in. max above knee) - *Light blue or white short sleeve polo or dri-fit polo - Belt: navy stretch or black/brown leather or braided | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Navy skirt or navy slacks; use Junior sizes in order to have correct length (3 in. above knee max for skirts). - Blue short/long sleeve oxford blouse | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Navy slacks - - *Light blue short/long sleeve polo shirt or white short/long sleeve polo or dri-fit polo - Blue short/long sleeve oxford shirt (will be phased out in 27-28) |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - White or navy crew socks (no ankle) or navy knee socks - Belt: Navy stretch or black/brown leather or braided for walking shorts - Plaid or school color (navy, gray, white, or gold) hair accessories | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - White or navy crew socks (no ankle) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - *Light blue short/long sleeve polo shirt or white short/long sleeve polo or dri-fit polo - Navy knee socks or white or navy crew socks - Navy tights or navy leggings - Navy or gray v-neck cardigan or pullover sweater with logo - Navy fleece with logo (optional) - Plaid or school color (navy, gray, white, or gold) hair accessories -Belt: navy stretch or black/brown leather or braided for slacks | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Belt: navy stretch or black/brown leather or braided -Navy or gray v-neck cardigan or pullover sweater with logo - Navy or black crew socks - Navy fleece with logo (optional) |
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*8th grade only option: Light blue or White short-sleeve polo shirt with Class of 2027 under logo, which are available at Flynn O’Hara and Lands’ End.

Shoes: All-white, all-black, or all- gray tennis shoes can be worn at any time throughout the year. Sperry's are allowed for middle schoolers only.

P.E. Uniform- Grades 3-8 only

Students in grades 3-8 must wear a P.E. uniform to school on P.E. days, as our P.E. classes do not change clothes during the school day. All P.E. uniforms must contain the STM logo.

| P.E. Uniform Summer | P.E. Uniform Winter |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gray short sleeve t-shirt • Navy mesh shorts • ^Tennis shoes (see shoe updates mentioned above, no Sperry’s for middle school P.E.) • White or navy crew socks (no ankle) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gray short/long sleeve t-shirt • Navy sweatpants (either open or elastic leg openings) and navy crew neck sweatshirt or navy track pants and navy track jacket • ^Tennis shoes (see shoe updates mentioned above, no Sperry’s for middle school P.E.) • White or navy crew socks (no ankle) |

Out of Uniform Days

All students are expected to dress appropriately to match our mission.

- T-shirts with slogans that do not promote our mission are not permitted.
- Leggings, tights, jeggings, and/or pajamas are prohibited.
- Low-cut shirts, sweaters, and/or dresses are prohibited.

- Students may wear jeans, but torn jeans are prohibited.
- Tank tops, spaghetti straps, strapless tops, halter tops, mesh, or see-through tops are prohibited.
- Sleeveless shirts must be at least 3 inches wide on shoulders.
- Hats are to be worn outside during the school day.
- Backless shoes (clogs, Birkenstocks, clogs), beach shoes, flip flops, sports sandals, Heelys or other types of skate shoes are prohibited.
- For safety, all shoes must enclose the whole foot.
- Shorts or skirts must be no more than 3 inches above the knee and may not be below the knee.
- During the winter uniform season, shorts may not be worn on uniform days and/or on out of uniform days.

Spirit Wear

Spirit wear is to be worn on Spirit Days. Follow the *Out of Uniform* guidelines as stated above. STM school logo shirts or solid school color shirts are permitted on Spirit Days. Logos from other schools are not permitted on Spirit Days. The STM uniform may be worn instead of spirit wear.

Dress-Up Days

On Dress-Up Days, all attire must follow appropriate length and fit guidelines.

- Dresses and skirts may be no more than three inches above the knee, and dresses must have straps at least three inches wide; strapless, thin, or spaghetti straps are not permitted unless covered by a sweater.
- Girls should wear dress flats; if heels are worn, they may not exceed two inches.
- Boys are expected to dress in “Sunday best,” such as a jacket and tie or a polo shirt paired with khakis or dress pants and dress shoes.

Scout Uniform

On scout meeting days, all scouts may choose to be in uniform (e.g., pants, skirts, shirts).

- If only the scout shirt is worn, the regular school uniform pants or skirts should be worn (Jeans are not a part of the scout uniform.)
- If the troop uniform is only a vest, they may wear this over their school uniform.
- Socks and shoes must follow the school uniform policy.

STM Basketball, Soccer, Volleyball, and Additional STM Team/Extra-curricular Wear

If students are playing in an STM soccer, basketball, volleyball game, and/or additional team/extracurricular event on an upcoming weekend, they may wear their team warm-up shirt with their regular uniform pants or skirt (not jeans or shorts.).

- Students may wear a white long- sleeve shirt underneath the shirt on colder days.
- Socks & shoes must follow the school uniform policy.

Shoes Reminder

Boots are only an option to be worn on out of uniform days

Accessories

- Both boys and girls may wear a small, thin, gold or silver chain and cross or medal. Thick chains, beaded, leather, woven or stone necklaces are not permitted.
- A wristwatch and two small bracelets may be worn. Smartwatches are prohibited.
- There is a limit of one earring per ear.
- Students may wear a maximum of one ring on each hand
- Girls may wear nail polish. Fake nails are not permitted. 8th grade girls may wear clear lipstick and/or mascara.

Hair

- Girls' hair must be neat and, except for bangs, off their faces.
- The acceptable length of hair for boys is above the eyebrows, above the top of the collar at the back, and above the top of the ears.
- Bleached and/or unnaturally dyed hair, shaving patterns in the hair, cutting and/or shaving one part of the head, and/or headbands with long tails, scarves, and kerchiefs are prohibited.

Uniform Violations

At STM, our uniform supports a joyful, respectful learning community focused on living as the hands of Christ.

- During the first week of school and the first week of a uniform season change, families will be gently reminded of our uniform expectations if a student is not in proper attire.
- After this initial grace period, homeroom or administrative staff will partner with parents/guardians to ensure the appropriate items are brought to school or that the student returns home to change.
- In keeping with our commitment to personal growth and responsibility, opportunities for growth may be assigned to middle school students for uniform concerns.
- Intermediate students may be assigned an opportunity for growth after more than two uniform violations in a season.
- These responses are intended to help students grow in accountability, respect for community norms, and pride in representing STM and its mission.

Please note that our administrative team reserves the right to adjust our uniform policy because of the unique and constantly changing nature of fashion.