

UNIFORMS & DRESS CODE

St. Theresa students wear uniforms in grades PK-8. In an effort to teach our children that it is not the clothing nor the possessions that make each person special, St. Theresa Catholic School requires all students to wear the uniform prescribed for their grade level. It is the responsibility of the parent/guardian to see that students conform to the uniform regulations. Failure to cooperate with the school in this area will be addressed.

All uniform items are available through FlynnO'Hara Uniforms. All clothing must be in good condition and clearly marked on the inside with the student's name. All students are required to have the current logo on their clothes.

Required School Uniform:

Girls Dress (Mass) Uniform Items for Grades PK3 - PK4

• Navy houndstooth Peter Pan collared dress with navy piping AND:

- Black, navy, or brown dress shoes
- Solid white, black or navy socks or tights (leggings are not permitted)
- Cardigan with school crest, navy only (optional)
- Quarter zip sweatshirt with school crest, navy only (optional)

• Full zip fleece jacket with school crest, navy only (optional)

NOTE:

• The hem of the shorts, skirts, or dress must be no more than two inches above the knee

Girls Dress (Mass) Uniform Items for Grades K - 3

- Navy houndstooth jumper
- White short sleeved Peter Pan collar blouse with navy piping

OR

• Navy houndstooth Peter Pan collared dress with navy piping (K only)

AND:

- Black, navy, or brown dress shoes
- Solid white, black or navy socks or tights (leggings are not permitted)
- Cardigan with school crest, navy only (optional)
- Quarter zip sweatshirt with school crest, navy only (optional)

• Full zip fleece jacket with school crest, navy only (optional)

NOTE:

• The hem of the shorts, skirts, or dress must be no more than two inches above the knee

Girls Dress (Mass) Uniform Items for Grades 4 - 8

- Navy houndstooth pleated skirt
- White ³/₄ length sleeve blouse with school crest
- Navy sailor tie with loop
- Black, navy, or brown dress shoes
- Solid white, black or navy socks or tights (leggings are not permitted)
- Cardigan with school crest, navy only (optional)
- Quarter zip sweatshirt with school crest, navy only (optional)
- Full zip fleece jacket with school crest, navy only (optional)

NOTE:

• The hem of the shorts, skirts, or dress must be no more than two inches above the knee

Girls Everyday Uniform options for Grades PK3 - 3

• Navy polo-style jersey knit dress with school crest

OR

- Short or long sleeved polo shirt with school crest, choice of white, navy, or gray
- Khaki shorts, pants, or skorts

AND:

- Brown, beige, navy or black belt for Grades K-3 only (if the pants or shorts have belt loops)
- Solid white, black or navy socks or tights (leggings are not permitted)
- Cardigan with school crest, navy only (optional)
- Quarter zip sweatshirt with school crest, navy only (optional)
- Full zip fleece jacket with school crest, navy only (optional)
- Hoodie or crew neck sweatshirt with spirit wear logo (optional)

NOTE:

• The hem of the shorts, skirts, or dress must be no more than two inches above the knee

Girls Everyday Uniform options for Grades 4-8

- Short or long sleeved polo shirt with school crest, choice of white, navy, or gray
- Khaki shorts, pants, or skirts
- Brown, beige, navy or black belt (if the pants or shorts have belt loops)
- Solid white, black or navy socks or tights (leggings are not permitted)
- Cardigan with school crest, navy only (optional)
- Quarter zip sweatshirt with school crest, navy only (optional)
- Full zip fleece jacket with school crest, navy only (optional)
- Hoodie or crew neck sweatshirt with spirit wear logo (optional)

NOTE:

• The hem of the shorts, skirts, or dress must be no more than two inches above the knee

Boys Dress (Mass) Uniform for Grades PK3 - 3

- Short or long sleeved white button down oxford shirt with school crest
- Navy tie

- Khaki pants (shorts are not permitted)
- Brown, beige, navy or black belt for Grades K-3 only (if the pants have belt loops)
- Black, navy, or brown dress shoes
- Solid white, black or navy socks
- Cardigan with school crest, navy only (optional)
- Quarter zip sweatshirt with school crest, navy only (optional)
- Full zip fleece jacket with school crest, navy only (optional)

Boys Dress (Mass) Uniform for Grades 4-8

- Short or long sleeved white button down oxford shirt with school crest
- Navy, white, and gold striped tie
- Khaki pants (shorts are not permitted)
- Brown, beige, navy or black belt
- Black, navy, or brown dress shoes
- Solid white, black or navy socks
- Cardigan with school crest, navy only (optional)
- Quarter zip sweatshirt with school crest, navy only (optional)
- Full zip fleece jacket with school crest, navy only (optional)

Boys Everyday Uniform options for Grades PK3 – 8

- Short or long sleeved polo shirt with school crest, choice of white, navy, or gray
- Khaki shorts or pants
- Brown, beige, navy or black belt for Grades K-3 only (if the pants have belt loops)
- Solid white, black or navy socks
- Cardigan with school crest, navy only (optional)
- Quarter zip sweatshirt with school crest, navy only (optional)
- Full zip fleece jacket with school crest, navy only (optional)
- Hoodie or crew neck sweatshirt with spirit wear logo (optional)

NOTE:

• The hem of the shorts must be no more than two inches above the knee

Unisex PE Uniform for Grades 5 - 8

- Short sleeved gray t-shirt with PE logo
- Athletic shorts in navy with PE logo

Spirit Wear:

Students are eligible for weekly "spirit shirt and jeans" day on Fridays. Students also have the option to wear Spirit Wear shirts for Awareness Days, which are announced each month.

Spirit Wear is available for purchase through FlynnO'Hara (t-shirts only), Viking spirit wear shop, or Lands' End School (Code: 900120668)

Spiritwear for Grades PK3 - 8

- Long or short sleeved t-shirt in gray or navy with Viking Spirit logo
- Hooded sweatshirt in gray or navy with Viking Spirit logo
- Other items available at the Viking spirit wear shop

• 8th grade only may wear high school sweatshirts/hoodies on Fridays.

Other Items of Note:

Belt

• A belt must be worn with shorts and pants that have belt loops. (Exceptions are made for PK3 and PK4 students).

Socks

• White, black or navy socks are to be worn daily and visible above the shoe.

Shoes (All Grades)

- Athletic type shoes are preferred for comfort and safety. (No restriction on color except Mass Days)
- Dress shoes are required for all students on Mass Days. (More information about dress shoes is given above in the required dress uniform section.)
- Rubber soled shoes must be worn daily.
- Slip-on athletic/sport shoes are not permitted for safety reasons.
- No boots, sandals, open-back, open-toed, or high tops may be worn.

Tights/Leggings

- Girls may wear white, black or navy tights under their uniforms on cold days.
- Girls may also wear white, black, or navy leggings under their uniforms on cold days. (Leggings may not have mesh or cut-outs.)

Turtlenecks

- White turtlenecks may be worn under the uniform shirt for added warmth on cold days.
- Turtlenecks or mock turtlenecks may not be worn alone with shorts, slacks, jumpers, or skirts.

T-Shirts

• Short sleeved plain white t-shirt may be worn UNDER the uniform shirt. T-shirts worn under the uniform shirt must not be turned inside/out or have anything printed on it.

Bows/Headbands

• Girls may wear small hair bows, scrunchies, and headbands.

School Sweatshirts/Jackets/Sweaters

• Only the approved school uniform or spiritwear outerwear may be worn during school hours. For added warmth, any jacket or coat may be worn to and from school and when going outside.

Non-Uniform Days

• During the school year, special days may be designated as non-uniform days (Halloween, Rodeo/Go Texan). Students will be instructed as to what constitutes appropriate attire for these occasions. Failure to dress appropriately will result in the student being given a school uniform from lost and found, or sent home, or excluded from the special activity/event.

Jewelry

- Jewelry and other accessories are not part of the school uniform.
- Small stud earrings (girls only) are allowed.
- Simple necklaces and bracelets of a religious nature are permitted.
- Analog and digital watches are allowed, however,
 - Wireless-enabled wearable technology devices are not allowed in school (e.g. Fitbit, Apple watches, etc.).

*The school will not be responsible for the loss, breakage, or theft of jewelry and/or other personal items.

Fingernail Polish/Make-up

- No make-up should be worn to school.
 - Clear chapstick/lip balm is allowed.
- For girls in PK-8th grade: Only solid color fingernail polish is allowed.
 - No artificial nails are allowed.

Hairstyles

- All students must maintain their natural hair color.
- Boys' hair length may not extend past the eyebrows in the front, the tops of the ears on the sides, or the top of the collar in the back.

A parent/guardian will be notified by the Principal to remedy distracting appearance deemed not suitable for continued enrollment.