

2017-2018 Dress Code: Grades K-8

Boys' Uniform

Pants

- Navy blue or khaki
- Properly fitting, traditional dress or Docker-style pants
- Must be worn at the waist
- Belt must be worn if pants have belt loops. Suspenders are not permitted. Belts must be solid brown or black with a standard belt buckle.

NOT PERMITTED

- Denim
- Pants with rivets or jean-style seams or stitching
- Pockets sewn on the outside of the pant leg (cargo pants)
- Form-fitting, tight, or skinny-legged pants
- Suspenders

Shirts

- White, navy, maroon, or light blue polo shirt with no logo
- All polo shirts must have all buttons buttoned except for the top one.
- Undershirts must be all white.
- Shirts must be tucked in.

Shoes

- Dress shoes; shoe style must be appropriate for school wear, such as an oxford-style tie shoe
- Brown, tan, or black; must be one solid color
- Shoes with eyelets must have laces and be tied at all times.
- Shoelaces must be brown or black (no mismatched colors).

NOT PERMITTED

- Work boots or similar types of footwear that cover the ankle
- Tennis shoes, basketball shoes, high-tops, light-up shoes, sandals, flip flops
- Boots are encouraged during the winter months to be worn to and from school, but not during the school day.

Socks

- Navy, black, white, or brown; must be one solid color
- Socks must cover the ankle (crew socks).

Jewelry

- One watch
- One necklace (must be tucked into shirt)
- Boys may not wear earrings.

Girls' Uniform

Plaid Jumper or Skirt

- Girls in grades K-3 wear the plaid jumper from Schoolbelles.
- Girls in grades 3-8 wear the plaid skirt from Schoolbelles.
- The jumper or skirt cannot be any shorter than one inch above the knee.

Pants

- Navy or khaki
- Properly fitting, traditional dress or Docker-style pants
- A solid black or brown belt must be worn if pants have belt loops and if student is wearing a tucked-in polo shirt. No belt is necessary when wearing the banded-bottom polo shirt.

NOT PERMITTED

- Denim, stirrup, velvet, stretch pants or any pants with stretchy material like spandex
- Pockets sewn on the outside of the pant leg (cargo pants)
- Pants with rivets or jean-style seams or stitching
- Form-fitting, tight, or skinny-legged pants

Shirts

Grades K-3

- Rounded or pointed collar, white or yellow, long or short sleeve (without lace, embroidery, or $\frac{3}{4}$ -length sleeve) or polos in white, yellow, maroon, or navy

Grades 3-8

- Banded-bottom shirt in yellow or white from Schoolbelles or polos in white, yellow, maroon, or navy

All Girls, Grades K-8

- All shirts and blouses must have all buttons buttoned except for the top one.
- All shirts and blouses must be tucked in unless banded.

Shoes

- Brown, black, gray, or tan
- Heel must not exceed one inch.
- Shoe style should be appropriate for school wear, such as an oxford-style tie-shoe, penny loafer, Sperry top sider, or saddle shoe. Shoes must have closed heels.
- Shoes with laces must be tied at all times.
- Shoelaces must be brown, navy, or black (no mismatched colors).

NOT PERMITTED

- Work boots or similar types of footwear that cover the ankle
- Sandals, jellies, boots, Crocs, moccasins or tennis shoes (tie or slip on), light-up shoes, basketball shoes, or high tops
- Boots are encouraged during the winter months to be worn to and from school, but not during the school day.

Socks

- Navy, black, white, maroon, or gray; must be one solid color
- Socks must cover the ankle (crew socks).

Tights

- Navy, white, black, gray, and maroon tights are permitted under the school uniform.
- Leggings and nylons are not permitted.

Jewelry and Makeup

- One watch
- One bracelet
- One necklace (must be tucked into the shirt or blouse)
- Girls may wear only one pair of small post earrings.
- Girls are not permitted to wear makeup of any kind, including nail polish; no artificial nails (acrylic or gel) are permitted.

Items for Boys and Girls

Sweaters and Sweatshirts

- Navy, white, maroon, gray, or black sweaters
- Must be one solid color; no lace, insignia, or logo
- Cardigans, pullovers, and sweater vests are permitted.
- Sweaters are not to have belts or hoods.
- St. Anthony of Padua sweatshirts may also be worn over the uniform.

Hair

- Hair is to be brushed or combed; no highly unusual, nontraditional hairstyles are permitted (no shavings, no tails).
- Highlighting or dyeing is not permitted.
- Hair pieces of any kind are not permitted.
- Boys' hair length should not exceed the top of the collar and should be above the eyebrows.

Warm Weather Uniform Options

- Khaki or navy walking shorts/uniform shorts with a solid black or brown belt
- Polo shirts in colors mentioned previously (Girls in grades 3-8 may choose to wear a banded-bottom shirt with the uniform shorts. A belt is not necessary with the banded polo.)
- Tennis shoes in a conservative color (no neons) are acceptable with the uniform shorts.
- Plain white (or black) crew socks when wearing uniform shorts
- The optional warm weather uniform may be worn from the first day of school in August until October 15 and again from April 15 until the last day of school.

Physical Education Uniform

- St. Anthony of Padua black gym shorts
- St. Anthony of Padua ash-gray t-shirt with logo (short or long sleeves)
- St. Anthony of Padua sweatshirt from Schoolbelles or Spirit Wear
- St. Anthony of Padua ash-gray sweatpants (Solid ash-gray or solid black sweatpants from the store of your choice are also permitted as long as they are without stripes, logos, or writing. No leggings or skinny pants are permitted.)
- Plain white or black crew or tube socks (Socks must cover the ankle.)
- Tennis shoes (no light-up shoes) in a conservative color

- Students in grades K-3 are permitted to wear PE clothes to school and throughout the day on gym days except on Mass days or for the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Stations of the Cross, or all other Church services. The only exception is for kindergarten.

Other Matters

- Permanent or temporary tattoos are not permitted.

Out-of-Uniform Days

Guidelines for Dress-Up Days

Acceptable dress-up attire for **boys** includes the following:

- Dress pants (no jeans, pants that resemble jeans, or cargo pants)
- A belt
- Collared shirts
- Sweaters
- Dress shoes or school shoes (no athletic shoes or sandals)

Acceptable dress-up attire for **girls** includes the following:

- Dresses or skirts (no shorter than one inch above the knee)
- Dress pants (no jeans, cargo pants, yoga pants, leggings, or jeggings)
- Appropriate blouses
- Sweaters
- Dress shoes or school shoes (no athletic shoes or sandals)
- Low-cut and form-fitting clothes are not permitted.

Guidelines for Dress-Down Days

- All St. Anthony of Padua Spirit Wear including team uniform shirts may be worn. (No hoodies are permitted during the school day.)
- Jeans (with no holes), sweatpants, athletic pants both short and long (no snaps) may be worn.
- Tennis shoes may be worn.
- Socks are to be worn at school at all times.
- All pants worn to school must not be tight. Also, pants may not sag.
- Skirts, dresses, and shorts must be an appropriate length.

NOT PERMITTED

- Tanks, sleeveless shirts, or tops with spaghetti straps
- Tops that have low-cut necklines or that expose bare midriff when sitting, stretching, bending, etc.
- Pajama pants, leggings, jeggings, yoga pants
- Hoodies may not be worn during the school day. If worn to school as jackets, they must be removed upon arrival at school.
- Boots are not permitted.

If a student does not follow the dress code, then