## School Uniform Policies

All students are expected to wear the required uniform for their grade level. The uniform requirement is intended to release the students from the societal influence of fashion; offering them the opportunity to focus on academic objectives and to emphasize the importance of their education. The school uniform and the student's personal appearance should always be neat and clean reflecting personal and school pride.

At the end of the 2022-2023 school year, a new company was identified and chosen to be the new provider of uniforms. The daily and gym uniforms must be purchased through Global School Wear at www.globalschoolwear.com. Uniforms from previous vendors and retailers that were purchased prior to this can continue to be used throughout the 2023-2024 school. However, all new uniform pieces that are ordered must be purchased through Global Schoolwear.

Daily Uniform

| Grades | Girls | Boys |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Pre-K | Gym uniform - everyday | Gym uniform - everyday |
| K-5 | Jumper/Pants <br> School plaid jumper <br> - Tights must be worn if the jumper falls 2 inches above the knee <br> - It may not be more than 2 inches above the knee <br> OR <br> Navy blue dress pants <br> - No jean, "skinny", legging, or cargo styles are allowed | Pants <br> Navy blue dress pants <br> - No jean style or cargo with pockets are allowed |
|  | Shirts <br> Short or long-sleeved light yellow polo shirt <br> OR <br> White Oxford shirt <br> All shirts must be tucked in | Shirts <br> Short or long-sleeved light yellow polo shirt OR <br> White Oxford shirt <br> All shirts must be tucked in and only solid white $t$-shirts can be worn underneath |
|  | Shoes/Tights/Socks <br> Solid navy blue or black knee socks or ankle socks <br> - no white socks <br> - no socks below the ankle | Shoes/Socks <br> Solid navy blue or black knee socks or ankle socks <br> - no white socks <br> - no socks below the ankle |


|  | navy blue/black tights <br> - not sheer <br> Solid black, brown, navy or tan shoes/athletic shoes <br> - must be secured with a strap or laces <br> - no slip-on style shoes such as ballet flats | Solid black, brown, navy or tan shoes/athletic shoes <br> - must be secured with a strap or laces <br> - no patterns or designs <br> - no slip-on style shoes such as ballet flats |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Optional | Optional |
|  | Long sleeve v-neck sweater <br> Cardigan sweater <br> Fleece jacket <br> must be purchased through Global School Wear | Long sleeve v-neck sweater <br> Long sleeve full zip sweater <br> Fleece jacket <br> V-neck sweater vest <br> must be purchased through Global School Wear |
|  | Warm Weather Option (Aug-Oct \& May-Jun) <br> Navy blue shorts in place of jumper <br> - no higher than 2 inches above the knee, with <br> - with knee or ankle socks | Warm Weather Option (Aug-Oct \& May-Jun) <br> Navy blue shorts in place of pants |
| 6-8 | Jumper/Pants <br> School plaid skirt <br> - Tights must be worn if the skirt falls 2 inches above the knee <br> - It may not be more than 2 inches above the knee <br> OR <br> Navy blue dress pants <br> - No jean, "skinny", legging, or cargo styles are allowed | Pants <br> Navy blue dress pants <br> - No jean style or cargo with pockets are allowed |
|  | Shirts <br> Short or long-sleeved light yellow polo shirt <br> OR <br> White Oxford shirt | Shirts <br> Short or long-sleeved light yellow polo shirt OR <br> White Oxford shirt <br> Navy blue or yellow/navy blue striped straight |



## Gym Uniform

A gym uniform requirement is implemented on scheduled gym days. Different grades will have different gym days. Students will be informed of their grade's scheduled gym day at the beginning of the school year. All Holy Name school students, male or female, have the same gym uniform requirement:

- Navy blue short or long sleeved crewneck tee shirt with the school emblem
- Navy blue sweat shorts or long sweat pants with the school emblem
- Pants should not hang down and drag under the sneaker
- Sneakers and solid white, navy, or black socks are worn on gym days
- Optional: Navy blue crewneck sweatshirt with school emblem
- Optional: Other school spirit wear can be worn in place of the gym uniform shirt and sweatshirt.

School Dress Uniform Restrictions: The following are not allowed for any students: fad hairstyles, non-natural colored hair or streaks, buzzed designs, hair covering eyes, and boots. Students should bring a change of shoes when boots are worn for inclement weather.

Excessive adornments are not permitted. Girls may wear stud ears, one bracelet or necklace, and headbands. Face piercing are not allowed
**Medical and cultural exceptions are made where appropriate.
*The Administration reserves the right to restrict any fad or fashion trend that will potentially distract from the learning environment, deviate from our school uniform requirement, or pose a safety risk. In such a case, parents will be notified to rectify the situation.

Dress Down Day Restrictions: The Administration may designate certain days as dress down days. Students may dress down on their actual birthday. The following are restricted on these days: clothing with offensive language and/or pictures, tank or halter tops, clothing or shorts that are too tight, shorts, skorts, skirts, or dresses that are too short, oversized, baggy clothing, clothing with holes or rips, shirts that expose any part of the stomach, and low riding pants.

Dress Code Violations: Students in Kindergarten through Grade 8 will have their uniforms checked by their homeroom teachers. If a student is in violation of the school uniform dress code, a written notification will be sent home so that the necessary corrections can be made; this notification needs to be signed by the parent/guardian and returned to school the next school day. If the required adjustments are not corrected, additional consequences will follow as needed.

If the dress code violation is not addressed, it will be brought to the attention of the administration. Consequences for the violations include but are not limited to loss of dress down day privileges, loss of recess, detention, or being sent home. Parents will be contacted in these cases. The severity of the action will be assessed by the administration to determine the best course of action to rectify the matter.

