# STANDARDIZED DRESS CODE (K4-6th) 2023-24

In accordance with the principles of modesty set forth in Scripture, students should dress in a way that neither dishonors God nor draws attention to themselves. The dress code requirements begin upon the student's arrival at school and remain in effect until his/her departure. Students coming to school without the proper uniform may be sent to the office where parents will be notified or receive a discipline notice. If a parent cannot be reached, the student will remain in in-school suspension the remainder of the day. Please make sure that uniform items are replaced when they become worn out or too small.

## **SHIRTS (BOYS AND GIRLS)**

Polo	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
Colors	Navy blue, Forest green, White
Specifications	Solid long sleeve or short sleeve. At least one green shirt is required for all students. <b>SCS logo is required on all polos</b> . Shirts must remain tucked in during school hours.
Oxford	
Specifications	Oxford blue or white with button down collar (girls may wear Peter Pan collar). May be short or long sleeve. <b>SCS logo required</b> .
Clarifications for all shirts and blouses.	Shirts may not be tight, undersized or oversized. Tails must be long enough to remain tucked during normal school activities.
SCS t-shirt	SCS t-shirts may be worn on <b>Fridays only</b> . They may be purchased through the school office.
SCS sweatshirts	SCS designed sweatshirts with SCS approved logo. (No hoodies allowed.)

## PANTS AND SHORTS (BOYS AND GIRLS)

Colors	Navy, Khaki
Specifications	Classic or traditional styles. Must come high enough for shirt to remain tucked in at all times. Must have belt loops, and regulation belt is required (exception: grades K-4 through 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade may wear elastic waist pant with no belt). Uniform shorts must be close to the knee but no longer than the knee cap.  Not permitted: Tight fitting pants/shorts, no leggings or jeggings may be worn as pants, no denim, corduroy, decorations, cargo pants, zip pockets

## **ACCESSORIES**

Regulation belt	Black or brown leather with classic buckle (no cowboy or logo buckles) Stretch belts with classic buckles may be worn in the following colors: black, brown, navy or khaki.
Backpacks, Lunchboxes	Must be solid colors with no cartoons or large graphics.  Backpacks must be able to fit in lockers (grades 5-6). No backpacks with wheels will be permitted for any grade level.

## SHOES AND SOCKS

Shoes	Prefer tennis/athletic shoes. All shoes must be closed toe and closed heel. Only tennis shoe type soles will be allowed on the gym floor.  Not permitted: clogs, Crocs, sandals, backless shoes, heels more than one inch.
Socks/leggings	Socks (solid navy, forest green, white, gray, or black) must be worn. In addition, girls may wear tights in solid navy, forest green, or white.  Leggings may only be worn under appropriate length skirts during cold weather.

## GIRLS CLOTHING (SPECIFICS)

**Not permitted**: Tight-fitting pants, leggings as pants, denim, decorations, corduroy

Capri Pants/pants	Navy or Khaki classic or traditional capri pants/pants may be worn. The waist must be high enough to keep shirts tucked in and <b>not be tight fitting</b> . Regulation belt must be worn if belt loops are present.
Skirts/Skorts/Shorts	Navy, Khaki, or Land's End plaid (hunter/classic navy). Shorts and skorts must come to the waist. They should be close to the knee but no longer than the kneecap. Regulation belt must be worn if belt loops are present.
Jumpers	Navy, Khaki, or Land's End plaid. Classic style (May have hip pockets and one chest pocket. Zipper must be in back after 3 <sup>rd</sup> grade). Length rule applies.

## **OUTERWEAR PERMITTED IN CLASS**

#### **SWEATERS**

Colors	Solid navy, forest green, or white. SCS logo required.
Specifications	The style may be crew, v-neck, vest, or cardigan. All sweaters require a shirt underneath that meets dress code.

#### COATS

Types	Windbreaker, fleece jacket, or vest in solid school colors (navy, forest green, white) with SCS logo.
Specifications	No hooded sweatshirts, no sweaters, nor jackets other than those listed above may be worn in class.

GENERAL: Parents and students should remember that our bodies are to be temples of the Holy Spirit. Further, we are not to call attention to ourselves. Whatever would distract students from their tasks here at school is inappropriate. Below are several examples:

- No hats are to be worn during class hours
- No sunglasses may be worn during class hours (without a medical excuse)
- No excessive or inappropriate jewelry
- All necklaces must be worn inside the school uniform
- Boys may not wear earrings
- Girls may not wear extreme or excessive make-up
- No body piercing
- No black or extremely dark (gothic) nail polish
- No peace symbols or ying-yangs on items brought or worn to school

#### **Tattoos:**

Tattoos (temporary or permanent) are prohibited. This includes drawing and/or writing on the skin with ink or marker.

## Boys hair:

All hair styles should be conservative in nature. Hair should be off the collar in back, neatly trimmed at the ears (earlobes must be visible), and off the eyebrows in the front.

## Girls hair:

Hair must be neatly groomed in traditional styles. No unnatural colors are permitted. Public primping is not permitted.

The Administration reserves the right to deem certain hairstyles inappropriate.