

# 2020-2021 Uniform Policy & Guidelines

## **General Uniform Information**

We believe that a child's environment is important to effective learning and that distractions must be kept to a minimum. We have chosen a uniform dress code for all grades, so that the focus remains on the education. This approved uniform is available by ordering online through Land's End. A school "used uniform closet" is also maintained in an effort to recycle uniforms at less expense. Below are more details to guide you.

## **Uniform Vendor**

- Our vendor is Land's End ([www.landsend.com/school](http://www.landsend.com/school))
  - o Our school number is: 900037672
  - o All uniform items should be purchased through Land's End, with the exception of shoes, socks, tights, leggings, and the khaki color, chino style pants & shorts (see details below).

## **Logos**

- All shirts, sweatshirts, and sweater items will need to have the '**embroidered**' school logo through Lands' End.
  - o Navy, red, deep purple, hunter green, grey, and black items will have a white embroidered logo.
  - o Light blue and pink shirts will have the navy embroidered logo.

*Note: There is an additional charge per logo per item. Logos are required.*

## **Uniform Shirts**

- Polo Shirts: (short sleeve or long sleeve)
  - o Red, navy, deep purple, light blue, pink, heather grey, hunter green and black
  - o **Red is the dress uniform requirement**
  - o Cobalt (royal blue) is available for Middle School ONLY
  - o All polo shirts must have the 'embroidered' school logo
- Oxford Shirt & Blouse: (long sleeve only)
  - o Blue and Blue Pin-stripe are available for Middle School Boys ONLY
  - o Blue and Pink are available for Middle School Girls ONLY

## **Shirt-tails & Belts**

- Shirt-tails are to be tucked in, with the belt buckle visible.
  - o Girls wearing feminine cut polo shirts do not have to tuck in their shirts
- All students are required to wear a belt with shorts and pants that have belt loops.
- Belts should be a khaki, brown, black or navy stretch belt or a brown or black leather belt.
- K4 and K5 students can wear pull-on, "all elastic waist" pants or shorts with no belt loops, buttons, or snaps. In this instance, a belt would not be required.

## **T-Shirts or Turtlenecks Under Uniform Polo Shirts**

- Students are allowed to wear t-shirts and turtlenecks under uniform polo shirts
- T-shirts (short-sleeve or long-sleeve) and turtlenecks need to be white or the same color as the uniform shirt.

## **Pants/Shorts**

- Khaki color pants and shorts may be purchased at any store or from our approved uniform selections through Lands' End. Please seek to get pants and shorts that resemble the approved Lands' End selections. Pants/shorts are to be khaki, chino style, and modest.
- The pants and shorts cannot have any patterns or extra pockets, low rise, cargo style, or overly tight or form fitting.

## **Skirts/Skortts**

- Girls may wear any of the approved Lands' End skirts or skortts.
- We also have a red plaid skirt from Lands' End.

## **Polo Dress – K4 – 5<sup>th</sup> Grades only**

- Girls in K4-5<sup>th</sup> grades may wear the approved polo dress from Lands' End.
- All polo dresses must have the 'embroidered' school logo.

### **Plaid Jumper With White Blouse – K4-5<sup>th</sup> Grades only**

- Girls in K4-3<sup>rd</sup> grades may wear the approved plaid jumper from Lands' End.
- The Plaid Jumper must have the 'embroidered' school logo
- A white piped collar shirt may be worn underneath the jumper. No logo required on the white shirt.

### **Ponte` Dress – Middle School Only**

- Girls in Middle School may wear the approved Ponte` dress from Lands' End
- Ponte` dress color option: charcoal heather
- The Ponte` dress must have the 'embroidered' school logo

### **Tights or Leggings**

- Girls may wear white, navy blue, black, or red tights or leggings.
- Leggings should go to the ankle.

### **Sweaters/Jackets – (for use in classrooms & on field trips)**

- Only Lands' End approved sweaters, sweatshirts, and jackets are allowed to be worn in classrooms when extra warmth is needed. They must have an '**embroidered**' school logo.
- "Spirit Wear" jackets and sweatshirts (with the heat transfer logo) are not allowed to be worn in the classroom except on "Spirit Wear" days or on Fridays if you have a non-uniform coupon. (see Spirit Wear options below)  
*Note: Heavy outer coats worn at recess may be any brand/style.*
- Middle School students may wear a black spirit wear sweatshirt as part of their school uniform. The sweatshirt is ordered through the school, not through Lands' End. Details for ordering will be given in the fall.

### **Shoes**

- Acceptable dress-uniform style shoes are running/tennis shoes, loafers, or bucks. Girls may also wear saddle shoes or Mary Jane shoes. Shoes may be purchased from any location.
  - o Please note that sandals, flip flops, crocs, or clogs are not allowed.
  - o Girls may wear boots only in the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> quarters. If they choose to wear boots, sneakers must be brought in for PE class.

### **Socks**

- Knee-high socks should be a solid color. They can be any color already found in the uniform: white, red, navy, light blue, pink, deep purple, black, grey, hunter green, or khaki.
- Shin-high or ankle socks can have multiple colors. We are going to add a little freedom in this category. *These socks need to remain simple and not be distracting.* We do not want to have 'crazy socks day' every day at school.

### **Dress Uniform Requirements (Picture Day / Field Trip / Special Occasions)**

- Girls
  - o All grades – Red polo shirt & khaki skirt or skort
  - o K4-5<sup>th</sup> grades have a second option – Red polo dress
- Boys (All grades)
  - o Red polo shirt
  - o Khaki pants or shorts

### **Spirit Wear Clothing**

- Spirit wear may be ordered using the link below. The sweatshirts may be worn over a school uniform shirt during the week. However the t-shirts and other clothing items are only to be worn on non-uniform days or spirit wear days.

<https://apparelnow.com/saint-simons-christian-school-apparel>

### **Other**

- Hair must be of natural color and style. No unnatural colors will be permitted including but not limited to: blue, purple, green, pink, extreme colors of red or orange.
- No piercings other than ears for girls. Girls may not wear more than double piercings during school hours. Piercings for boys are not permitted.
- Athletic shorts and workout leggings may not be worn on non-uniform days.