



School Uniform Policy

2018-2019

Neatness and cleanliness in personal attire are part of a child's education and the responsibility of the parents. When a child looks and feels good about himself/herself, he/she acts and works accordingly.

Uniforms are purchased at:

Flynn and O'Hara

6801 Frankford Avenue, Philadelphia, PA

215-624-1983 **or**

10905 Dutton Road, Philadelphia, PA

215-637-4600

Uniforms/Shoes are purchased at:

DiGiulio's Stores

6948 Frankford Ave

Philadelphia, PA 19135

215-333-5512

PreK-3 and PreK-4:

Fall/Spring: Light gray t-shirt carrying the St. Martin of Tours logo with maroon shorts of a modest length (no cut-offs).

Winter: Maroon sweatshirt carrying the St. Martin of Tours logo with maroon sweatpants may. Only maroon may be worn.

Shoes: Velcro Sneakers

Girls Winter Uniform: (11/1-3/31)

Grades K-6: Maroon plaid jumper of modest length (to the knee) with a white blouse (Peter Pan collar), maroon knee socks or tights, and maroon saddle shoes. Maroon cardigan sweaters are mandatory to be worn in the classroom during the cold winter months.

Grades 7-8: Maroon kilt skirt (knee length) worn with white button down blouse, maroon cross tie, and gray sweater vest with the embroidered school logo. A white turtleneck may be worn under the maroon jumper or under the gray sweater vest.

Girls Fall/Spring Uniform: (9/1-10/31 & 4/1-6/20)

Grades K-6: Gray twill skort or gray walking shorts with a maroon golf shirt with the embroidered school name

Grades 7 & 8: White golf shirt with the embroidered school name with the maroon kilt skirt

Boys Winter Uniform: (11/1-3/31)

Grades K-8: White shirt, gray dress pants (no skinny jeans), black belt, maroon plaid school tie, maroon V-neck sweater or vest and black tie shoes (no sneakers or boots). The waistband of the dress pants must be worn at the waist. Black or white crew socks must be worn above the ankle and cannot be low cut.

Boys Fall/Spring Uniform: (9/1-10/31 & 4/1-6/20)

Grades K-8: (optional): Maroon golf shirt embroidered with the school name; gray walking shorts with the maroon golf shirt

Gym Uniform (All grades):

Light gray t-shirt carrying the St. Martin of Tours logo or a specifically designed school t-shirt with maroon shorts of a modest length (no cut-offs) and sneakers (laced and tied) with socks. Plain white or maroon t-shirts are not acceptable. No other SMT sportswear is acceptable. Sneakers may only be worn on gym days. On colder days, a maroon SMT sweatshirt may be worn over the designated t-shirt and maroon shorts should be replaced by maroon sweatpants. Only maroon sweatpants may be worn.

Some Extra Information on School Uniform and Appearance:

A student's appearance and good grooming enhance personal self-respect and effective academic performance. Students will wear the school uniform from the opening day of school until the close of school in June. Our school uniform is a visible reminder of our identity and unity; the wearing of a uniform lessens the distractions of comparison and competition.

Hairstyles/Grooming:

Student's hair is to be neat, clean, and groomed conservatively. Extreme haircuts or hairstyles expressing the latest faddish styles are not permitted. Boys' hair must be above the eyebrows, ears, and collar. Bleached, colored, or extremely lightened hair is unacceptable. Facial hair on boys is not permitted. Make up, nail polish, or fake nails are never permitted. Girls may wear one scrunchie, small bow, small barrettes, or a half inch plastic headband. Students are expected to come to school in a state of cleanliness.

Jewelry:

Although not part of the school uniform, small post earrings (not to extend the earlobe) are permitted to be worn by the girls (one earring only in each earlobe). Boys are not permitted to wear earrings. Bracelets, both ankle and wrists, rings, chains, necklaces, pins and buttons are not part of the school uniform. A small religious medal or cross on a chain is permitted.

Not Permitted:

Sweatshirts or jackets may not be worn in the classroom. Skinny jeans, levis painter pants, baggy pants or pants tight at the ankles are not permitted. Moccasins, loafers, black sneakers, black referee shoes, or boots are not permitted. Visible tattoos or visible body piercings are never permitted.

Out of Uniform:

It at any time during the year, circumstances dictate that an exception in the proper uniform (including PE uniform) is necessary, a note of explanation must be sent to the child's teacher who will forward it to the Principal. This note should indicate the expected date by which the uniform will be complete.

See School Handbook for when rules and expectations on school uniform are not followed.



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