

V. DRESS CODE

While promoting a feeling of equality for all children, the student Uniform Policy of Saint Anthony School should be a reflection of Christian identity. The Saint Anthony School uniform provides a sense of school identity and pride for the students. The uniform should always be neat, clean, and in good repair. Faded or torn clothing does not meet uniform requirements and should not be worn to school. Parents and students both share in the responsibility for seeing that this dress code is appropriately observed and maintained. The Saint Anthony School uniform is to be worn on all school days, except as noted. Final decisions regarding the school uniform rest with the principal.

A. General Appearance Expectations

- Hair is to be clean, brushed, and worn off the face and out of the eyes. Boys must be clean-shaven. No outlandish hairstyles, spiking, streaking, out of the ordinary hair coloring, or head shaving is permitted.
- Jewelry is only to be worn modestly. Wrist watches, small or stud-type earrings and single, religious necklaces are allowed. No face/nose piercings are allowed.
- Lipstick, eye or face makeup, fingernails, and polish should be modest.
- T-shirts worn under the uniform must be solid white or black.
- Hats are not allowed to be worn inside. No bandannas of any color.
- Shoes must be tied properly.
- Students should not draw on themselves or others; no temporary or permanent tattoos.

B. Uniform Requirements

St. Anthony's exclusive uniform provider is Ideal Uniform Store. ALL polos, shirts, blouses, ties, pants, skirts, scooters, jumpers, sweaters and fleeces must be purchased from Ideal Uniform specific to St Anthony School. All items are available in various sizes and/or fits from toddler to adult, including junior girls.

Order online at idealuniform.com/SASAZ

Socks, tights, underskirt leggings & bike shorts, undershirts, belts and other accessories may be purchased elsewhere.

GIRLS

Regular School Days

Black uniform scooters, pants or shorts (*1st & 4th quarters only*) are options on regular school days. They may be paired with a Wine or Ash Grey uniform polo.

A Plaid uniform skirt is an option on regular school days. They may be paired with a Wine or Ash Grey uniform polo or a white uniform blouse.

A Plaid uniform jumper is an option on regular school days. It must be paired with a white uniform blouse.

Black, white, or grey bike shorts, tights or ankle length leggings are required under skirts and jumpers.

If worn, undershirts must be solid white and cannot exceed the sleeve length of the outer shirt.

Mass Days (*usually Fridays, but may occur on other days of the week*)

A Plaid uniform jumper/skirt with black, white, or grey bike shorts, tights or ankle length leggings and a white uniform blouse (*tucked in*) are required. Shirts should be clean with no wrinkles. If worn, undershirts must be solid white. Uniform sweaters are allowed.

BOYS

Regular School Days

Black uniform pants or shorts (*1st & 4th quarters only*) are required on regular school days. They may be paired with a Wine or Ash Grey uniform polo. If worn, undershirts must be solid white and cannot exceed the sleeve length of the outer shirt.

Mass Days (*usually Fridays, but may occur on other days of the week*)

Black uniform pants, a white uniform shirt (*tucked in*) with a solid white undershirt and a plaid or burgundy school tie are required. Pants and shirts should be clean with no wrinkles. If worn, undershirts must be solid white. Black or dark shoes and socks are required (*preferably dress shoes or dress boots*). Uniform sweaters are allowed.

Jr. High boys (6-8th grade) must wear the long sleeve uniform shirt option plus a black dress belt.

SOCKS/TIGHTS, FOOTWEAR

Socks and tights must be in solid colors and coordinate with the uniform. They should be black, white, or grey. Closed toe and closed heel shoes are required. Heeled shoes for girls should be no larger than 1 inch. On regular school days, tennis shoes are encouraged because of physical activity and must be properly laced and tied.

OUTERWEAR

No pullover hoodies, sweatshirts or non-uniform jackets/sweaters are allowed at school.

Exception: SA Championship jackets are allowed on game days.

For extra warmth during the school day and/or in classrooms, uniform sweaters or uniform fleece jackets must be purchased from Ideal Uniform.

During extreme cold or inclement weather, coats (preferably black, burgundy or grey) that zip down may be worn to and from school and/or during PE if the instructor allows.

SPORTS ATTIRE

Spandex shorts are not allowed to be worn by themselves during practice or during a sporting event. Spandex shorts under regular athletic shorts are permitted.

FIELD TRIPS

For most school field trips, students are required to wear the school uniform. If advised by their teacher, students may wear non-uniform items that are within free dress day guidelines.

FREE DRESS DAYS

On occasion the principal may designate some days as “Free Dress”. Students are expected to show good judgment in dress and grooming. Any appearance that causes undue attention or detracts from the educational program of the school will not be allowed. The following may not be worn on school grounds or at school activities:

Clothing with tears or holes

Leggings, sweatpants, or pajama bottoms

Skater/baggy pants or pants where undergarments and/or skin can be seen

Boxer shorts, bike shorts, or shorts/skirts shorter than mid-thigh

Spaghetti straps or midriff tops

Shirts with inappropriate language/symbols (*e.g. promoting alcohol, drugs, sex, etc.*)

Gang-related clothing; chains

Pajamas or costumes (*unless on a specially designated day*)

C. LABELING & SPARE CLOTHING

Please label uniforms (*especially outerwear*) with your last name, using a pen that will create legible writing. This will assist us greatly when items come to our Lost and Found.

Spare clothing is kept on hand for emergencies only. If it is used, it is to be washed and returned the next school day. Please help ensure that your child’s uniform is clean and in good repair.

D. NON-COMPLIANCE

Students are to arrive at and leave from campus in the proper school uniform. If a student violates uniform code, a verbal reminder will be given to the student. On the second dress code violation, a student will be given a written reminder to deliver to the parents and the teacher will send a written communication home (*copied to the principal*). On the third violation of dress code, parents will be contacted while the student waits in the office until the situation is corrected.

E. 2025-2026 TRANSITION GUIDELINES

- No Khaki Bottoms and No Black Dennis Polos
- Wine and Ash Grey Dennis Polos may still be worn
- Dennis White Shirts/Blouses with school logo may still be worn
- Dennis Fleece/Sweaters with school logo may still be worn
- Dennis/French Toast Plaid Jumpers (wide strap v-neck) and Dennis/French Toast plaid skirts/skorts already owned as of 3/1/25 can be worn
- Black uniform pants you already owned as of 3/1/25 that are twill, with side seam pockets and back welt pockets can be worn (requires school office approval)
- Black skirts/skorts you already owned as of 3/1/25 that are twill, A-line, no outside pockets, and mid-thigh or longer can be worn (requires school office approval)