



UNIFORM/DRESS CODE POLICY

A uniform policy reduces competition in dress and eliminates distractions caused by appearance. A neat, clean appearance of the whole student body is a factor in creating the proper learning atmosphere, promoting dignity and sensitivity towards others.

Acceptable Uniform Apparel

PANTS / SHORTS/CAPRIS

- Cotton blend or Corduroy Pants (Navy or Khaki)
- (August 1st - November 4th; April 10th - end of year) – Cotton blend uniform shorts or capris may be worn

No stretchy type material is allowed for pants. No cargos, jeggings, leggings, jean material, stretchy material or tight pants are allowed.

SHIRT –

Students have a few options for their uniform top. They may wear:

- Short sleeve Polo shirt (solid red, solid white, or solid navy – small logo ok)
- Long sleeve Polo shirt (solid red, solid white, or solid navy – small logo ok)
- Button-down shirt (solid red, solid white, or solid navy – small logo ok)
- Turtleneck (solid red, solid white, or solid navy – small logo ok)
- BCS Uniform Polo (red, white, or navy – see spirit store online)

In addition to the collared shirt above, students may also wear:

- Cardigan sweater (solid red, solid white, or solid navy – small logo ok)
- BCS Uniform fleece (red, white, or navy – see spirit store online)
- BCS Uniform Hooded Sweatshirt (red, white, or navy – see spirit store online)
 - Hood must stay down at all times. If this becomes a problem, BCS reserves the right to not allow a student to wear a hooded sweatshirt
- BCS Week of Giving Sweatshirt and Crew Neck Sweatshirts are also allowed
- Burlington Catholic Athletic charging panther Sweatshirt (hooded or crewneck)
 - Charging Panther t-shirts or long sleeve t-shirts are NOT considered uniform appropriate.

JUMPERS, SKIRTS, AND SKORTS

- Solid navy or solid khaki; Polo shirt dress in solid red, navy, or white also allowed
- Must be fingertip length or longer!
 - (August 1st - November 4th; April 10th - end of year) – Solid black, navy, or white shorts, leggings, and / or tights should be worn under uniform skirts or jumpers no matter what!



- (November 7th - April 8th) – girls MUST wear solid black, navy, red, or white leggings under jumper, skirt, or skort.

Even if leggings are worn, the skirt, skort, or jumper must be fingertip length!

We understand that as students get closer to graduation, it is not ideal to purchase a new skirt/skort. However, if they are too short, BCS will require you to take out the hem or get a longer one.

SHOES/SOCKS

- Daily – students should wear closed-toe, recess appropriate shoes
- Socks MUST be worn each day even if open-toed shoes are worn!
- Warm Weather (August 1st – November 4th; April 10th-end of year) – sandals with a back strap AND socks may be worn
 - Remember that if shoes are not recess appropriate, another pair should be brought to school
- Phy Ed Class - An extra pair of athletic shoes is required when gym class is inside

PHYSICAL EDUCATION DRESS CODE

All students (K3-8): Athletic Shoes

- Due to our new gym floor, all students in K3-8th grade will need a pair of indoor gym shoes and socks for class. If students do not have their gym shoes, students may need to sit out for class.

Students in grades 4-8: Dress Code

Students have the option to change into appropriate gym attire each class

- Cotton or dry fit crewneck t-shirt (must fit appropriately – no tight or low cut shirts allowed); small side logo or appropriate words allowed
- Solid athletic shorts – fingertip length or longer; must fit appropriately (not too loose or too tight) OR athletic pants / sweatpants – no leggings or tight spandex material; no holes (must fit appropriately); small side logo or appropriate words allowed
- Athletic shoes (separate from recess shoes)
- Socks

MASS DAY DRESS CODE

Students will attend mass once per week: St. Charles campus - Tuesday, St. Mary campus - Friday. **On Mass day, students cannot wear shorts.** During warm weather months (August - November 4th; April 10th -June), students may bring uniform shorts to change into following Mass.