



DRESS CODE

Dress Code

St. Robert School strives to maintain an atmosphere conducive to learning and academic excellence. We believe that simple, modest, and conservative attire best reflects the school's philosophy, and minimizes the competitive nature of fashion trends. The school observes a dress code consistent with that objective. The dress code includes a school uniform, which is the normal daily attire, and guidelines for other, non-uniform days.

Uniforms are to be worn every day, from the first day of the school year. The first Wednesday of each month is a non-uniform day. Other non-uniform days may be designated by the administration and will be announced at school and on the school website homepage.

Uniform Policy

The purpose of the uniform is threefold:

1. To signify the importance and special purpose of school in a student's life. In school, there are standards of appearance and quality, which apply to clothing as well as academic work and behavior. Good grooming and appropriate attire enhance pride in oneself and the school.
2. To support and simplify compliance with the dress code by providing a limited range of clothing options, which are available at various sources and price ranges.
3. To promote School and Parish identity through consistency of color and appearance.

Availability

The St. Robert plaids and logo items are available only on our customized Lands' End website. All other uniform items may be purchased from vendors of your choice as long as they comply with the descriptions below.

KINDERGARTEN

Comfortable, washable play clothes Rubber-soled shoes

- No wheeled or flashing shoes
- No open-toed or open-heeled sandals, clogs, or Crocs
- Boots may not be worn indoors

Educating and inspiring saints and leaders

Boys and Girls Grades 1-5

<p>Shirts</p> <p>Colors: Navy, white or evergreen</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Solid color turtleneck, collared shirt or blouse, long or short sleeve. No logos, except St. Robert logo or same color manufacturer logo. No additional trim or embroidery. 3/4 sleeves are allowed in a polo style shirt and blouse. The sleeve hem must be plain, no ruffles, and no large cuffs. ● Solid color (navy, white or evergreen) short- or long-sleeve t-shirt may be worn under the uniform shirt in the same or contrasting uniform color. No visible printing. ● Solid color long sleeve t-shirt or turtleneck may be worn under the uniform shirt. No visible printing. ● All shirts and turtlenecks must be tucked in. Shirts and turtlenecks must be long enough to stay tucked in.
<p>Sweaters (optional)</p> <p>Colors: Navy, White or evergreen</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Plain cardigan, crewneck, v-neck sweater or sweater vest worn over a uniform shirt or turtleneck. Collar or turtleneck must be visible. No hooded sweaters permitted indoors.
<p>Fleece (optional)</p> <p>Colors: Navy</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Fleece must be purchased from the St. Robert Lands' End uniform site. ● All fleece must be embroidered with the St. Robert logo.
<p>Blazer (optional)</p> <p>Colors: Navy</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Traditional style ● Hip length ● Single- or double-breasted ● No patches
<p>Uniform Pants</p> <p>Colors: Navy</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Tailored uniform pants, with waistband and belt loops in twill or corduroy. Not allowed are the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Patch pockets ○ Rivets, slit legs or contrast stitching ○ Hip huggers, low rise or cargo style ○ Bell bottoms or baggy pants ○ Denim, knits or fleece ● Small manufacturer's labels either sewn or embroidered on back pocket are allowed – e.g., <i>Dockers, Sonoma, etc.</i> ● Belts must be worn with uniform pants. ● Grades 1-3 uniform pants may have an elastic waist and, under that circumstance, no belt is required.

<p>Uniform Shorts (optional)</p> <p>Colors: Navy</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Shorts may be worn during the months of May, June, August, September and October or as designated by the administration. ● Knee length walking shorts (<i>no more than 3" above the knee</i>) with waistband and belt loops in twill or corduroy. Not allowed are the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Patch pockets ○ Rivets, slit legs or contrast stitching ○ Hip huggers, low rise or cargo style ○ Bell bottoms or baggy pants ○ Denim, knits or fleece ● Small manufacturer's labels either sewn or embroidered on back pocket are allowed – e.g., <i>Dockers, Sonoma, etc.</i> ● Belts must be worn with uniform pants. ● Grades 1-3 uniform pants may have an elastic waist and, under that circumstance, no belt is required.
<p>Socks</p> <p>Colors: Navy, black, white, hunter green, gray, brown or red</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Anklets, crew, athletic, knee highs or tights. ● Must be worn at all times and must completely cover ankles and be visible above shoes. ● Same color or small logos permitted if they are not visible under uniform pants. ● No additional trim allowed
<p>Shoes</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Appropriate school-type shoes (including athletic shoes) ● No open-toed or open-heeled sandals, clogs or Crocs ● No wheeled or flashing shoes ● Shoes must be tied or fastened at all times ● Boots may not be worn indoors
<p>Belts</p> <p>Colors: Navy, black, brown or Black Watch plaid</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Belts must be solid color or Black Watch plaid, in leather or fabric, with a simple buckle and no other ornamentation. ● Belts must be worn with uniform pants and uniform shorts (see grade 1-3 exception).
<p>Accessories</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Accessories and jewelry should be simple and conservative, and should contain no offensive words or symbols. They should be minimal and not distracting. ● Single pair of stud earrings (one per ear) allowed (no hoops, dangles or drop earrings). ● Conservative tie optional (worn only with dress shirt or blouse).
<p>Not allowed</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Monograms, contrasting color brand designations, printed clothing ● Frayed, cut or torn clothing ● Tattoos or applied skin markings of any kind must be covered ● Visible body piercing (other than ears) ● Excessive jewelry or jewelry with offensive words ● Bandanas, scarves or hats ● Make-up ● Unnatural hair colors ● Removable (faux) hair pieces ● Colognes, perfumes, scented body sprays and other heavily-scented products

Girls Grades 1-5

<p>Uniform Jumpers</p> <p>Colors: Lands' End custom Black Watch plaid</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • St. Robert jumper must be purchased from Lands' End. The St. Robert jumper is a box-pleated shift style in custom Black Watch plaid. May not be shorter than 3" above mid-knee.
<p>Tights/Leggings (optional)</p> <p>Colors: Navy or hunter green</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Full length leggings, tights or knit yoga pants may be worn under the uniform jumper. • Must meet ankle and cover top of socks • A small slit no larger than 2 at hem is allowed • No snaps, zippers, or other embellishments
<p>Uniform Skorts (optional)</p> <p>Colors: Navy</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Skorts may be worn during the months of May, June, August, September and October or as designated by the administration. • Designated skort must be purchased from the St. Robert Lands' End uniform site • Skorts are available in long or short to accommodate individual height. Finished length must be no more than 3 above the knee.

Boys and Girls Grades 6-8 (Middle School)

<p>Shirts</p> <p>Colors: Navy, white, Lands' End yellow (maize) or evergreen</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Solid color turtleneck, collared shirt or blouse, long or short sleeves. No logos, except St. Robert logo or same color manufacturer logo. No additional trim or embroidery. • Solid color (navy, white, light yellow or evergreen) short- or long-sleeve t- shirt may be worn under the uniform shirt in the same or contrasting uniform color. No visible printing. • Solid color long sleeve t-shirt or turtleneck may be worn under the uniform shirt. No visible printing. • All shirts and turtlenecks must be tucked in. Shirts and turtlenecks must be long enough to stay tucked in.
<p>Sweaters (optional)</p> <p>Colors: Navy, white, Lands' End yellow (maize) or evergreen</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plain cardigan, crewneck, v-neck sweater or sweater vest worn over a uniform shirt or turtleneck. Collar or turtleneck must be visible. No hooded sweaters permitted indoors.
<p>Fleece (optional)</p> <p>Colors: Navy</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fleece must be purchased from the Lands' End uniform site. • All fleece must be embroidered with the St. Robert logo.

<p>Blazer (optional)</p> <p>Colors: Navy</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Traditional style ● Hip length ● Single- or double-breasted ● No patches
<p>Uniform Pants</p> <p>Colors: Navy or khaki (not olive green)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Tailored uniform pants, with waistband and belt loops in twill or corduroy. Not allowed are the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Patch pockets ○ Rivets, slit legs or contrast stitching ○ Hip huggers, low rise or cargo style ○ Bell bottoms or baggy pants ○ Denim, knits or fleece ● Small manufacturer’s labels either sewn or embroidered on back pocket are allowed – e.g., <i>Dockers, Sonoma, etc.</i> ● Belts must be worn with uniform pants.
<p>Uniform Shorts (optional)</p> <p>Colors: Navy or khaki (not olive green)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Shorts may be worn during the months of May, June, August, September and October or as designated by the administration. ● Knee length walking shorts (<i>no more than 3” above the knee</i>) with waistband and belt loops in twill or corduroy. Not allowed are the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Patch pockets ○ Rivets, slit legs or contrast stitching ○ Hip huggers, low rise or cargo style ○ Bell bottoms or baggy pants ○ Denim, knits or fleece ● Small manufacturer’s labels either sewn or embroidered on back pocket are allowed – e.g., <i>Dockers, Sonoma, etc.</i> ● Belts must be worn with uniform pants.
<p>Socks</p> <p>Colors: Navy, black, white, hunter green, gray, brown or red</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Anklets, crew, athletic, knee highs or tights. ● Must be worn at all times. ● Same color or small logos permitted if they are not visible under uniform pants. ● No additional trim allowed
<p>Shoes</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Appropriate school-type shoes (including athletic shoes) ● No open-toed or open-heeled sandals, clogs or Crocs ● No wheeled or flashing shoes ● Shoes must be tied or fastened at all times ● Boots may not be worn indoors
<p>Belts</p> <p>Colors: Navy, black, brown or Black Watch plaid</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Belts must be solid color or Black Watch plaid, in leather or fabric, with a simple buckle and no other ornamentation. ● Belts must be worn with uniform pants and uniform shorts (see grade 1-3 exception).

Accessories	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Accessories and jewelry should be simple and conservative, and should contain no offensive words or symbols. They should be minimal and not distracting. ● Single pair of studs or small hoop earrings (one per ear) allowed. Small hoops must be 1/2 or smaller diameter (no large hoops, dangles or drop earrings). ● Conservative tie optional (worn only with dress shirt or blouse).
Not allowed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Monograms, contrasting color brand designations, printed clothing ● Frayed, cut or torn clothing ● Rolled waistbands ● Tattoos or applied skin markings of any kind must be covered ● Visible body piercing (other than ears) ● Excessive jewelry or jewelry with offensive words ● Bandanas, scarves or hats ● Make-up ● Unnatural hair colors ● Removable (faux) hair pieces ● Colognes, perfumes, scented body sprays, and other heavily-scented products ● Facial hair

Girls

Grades 6-8 (Middle School)

Uniform Jumpers Colors: Lands' End custom Black Watch plaid	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● St. Robert skirt must be purchased from Land's End. The St. Robert skirt is a box-pleat style in a custom Black Watch plaid. May not be shorter than 3" above mid-knee.
Tights/Leggings (optional) Colors: Navy, black or hunter green	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Full length leggings, tights or knit yoga pants may be worn under the uniform skirt. ● Must meet ankle and cover top of socks ● A small slit no larger than 2 at hem is allowed ● No snaps, zippers or other embellishments
Uniform Skorts (optional) Colors: Navy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Skorts may be worn during the months of May, June, August, September, and October or as designated by the administration. ● Designated skort must be purchased from the St. Robert Lands' End uniform site. ● Skorts are available in long or short to accommodate individual height. Finished length must be no more than 3 above knee.

Non-Uniform Days

On designated or announced days, students are allowed to wear clothes other than the school uniform. Students may express more personal style on these days; however, this should not deviate from the overall dress code philosophy noted on page one.

Non-uniform days	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Clothing of the student's choice● Skirts or dresses of uniform length; if shorter, then must be worn with leggings or tights.● Leggings may only be worn if the top, dress or skirt comes at least to the top of the thighs.● Shorts must be consistent with the PE uniform shorts length (mid-thigh).● No spandex shorts alone● Shorts may be worn during the months of May, June, August, September and October or as designated by the administration.● All tops must cover the midriff when arms are lifted overhead. Backs must be covered. Necklines must be modest and reveal no cleavage.
Not allowed	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Sandals or other open-toed shoes● Any offensive or inappropriate words or sayings on any clothing item● Tank tops or spaghetti straps● Visible undergarments● Frayed, cut or torn clothing● Rolled waistbands● Tattoos or applied skin markings of any kind must be covered● Visible body piercing (other than ears)● Excessive jewelry or jewelry with offensive words● Bandanas, scarves or hats● Make-up● Unnatural hair colors● Removable (faux) hair pieces● Colognes, perfumes, scented body sprays, and other heavily- scented products● Facial hair

Dress Uniform – Special Occasions – these days will be designated by the Principal

Boys

Required	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Uniform pants• Uniform shirt
Optional	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• White dress shirt• Tie• Uniform sweater• Blazer• Dress shoes• St. Robert logo items except for athletic wear

Girls

Required	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Uniform jumper, skirt or pants• Uniform shirt or blouse
Optional	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Uniform sweater• Blazer• Tights• Dress shoes (flats only)• St. Robert logo items except for athletic wear

Dress Code and Uniform Policy Violations

Parents are expected to support the dress code and uniform policy by purchasing the appropriate uniform components and by supervising the student's attire on uniform and non-uniform days.

- Examples of appropriate uniform components may be viewed on our customized Lands' End webpage (See link on school website).
- Questions about style and color choices should be directed to the principal.
- Students whose shirts are untucked will be asked to tuck them in. Untucked shirts may result in disciplinary consequences if the student is unresponsive to "tuck requests, || or exhibits repeated offenses.

Students must be in uniform to be admitted to class. If a student appears to be in violation of the dress code or uniform policy during their first class period, the student will be sent to the office for proper uniform attire, and may be subject to standard disciplinary consequences. Proper attire may be acquired by calling home or borrowing items from the school's supply of used uniforms. Families will be billed for loaned items not returned.