

## Dress Code

Your school uniform confirms your attendance at St. John Chrysostom School and is a symbol of unity within the school community. It minimizes distractions in the learning process. It is important that you take pride in your appearance by wearing your complete uniform *always remembering that by wearing it inside and outside the classroom and the school you are representing the school and your behavior should be a credit to both yourself and the school community.*

Uniforms and shoes may be purchased from Flynn & O'Hara. Summer shirts and gym uniforms must be bought from Flynn & O'Hara.

Girls K - 3: Red plaid jumper, white blouse, plaid tie, navy blue sweater, red knee socks or tights, navy leather shoe with strap or laced oxford shoe.

Girls 4 - 8: Red plaid kilt skirt, white blouse, red plaid tie, navy blue regulation sweater with white trim, black suede (ankle high Hush Puppy shoes) or black tie shoe, navy blue tights or knee socks

Boys K - 7: Plaid tie, white shirt, navy dress pants (no jeans type or cotton twill), navy pull-over v-neck long-sleeved school sweater with white trim, black leather laced oxford shoe or Velcro, black belt and navy blue socks.

Boys 8th Grade Navy dress pants, blue tie and white shirt, black belt, navy blue regulation sweater with white trim, black leather tie shoes.

PreK3 & 4: Special blue uniform (sweatpants and sweatshirt) short pants and short sleeve t-shirt bought at Flynn & O'Hara. Black or blue sneakers with Velcro.

Sept. & May/June - navy blue cotton school golf shirt (purchased at Flynn & O'Hara).

Jewelry: For the safety of the children and to prevent the loss of valuables, students may wear ONLY the following:

Girls: SMALL post earrings for ear lobes (1/2 inch or less - one pair). Gold or Silver - No loops or hanging earrings.

Boys: NO earrings.

Chains, bracelets, rings, etc. are NOT allowed. No extra gold allowed in or around school building. If jewelry is taken from a child, a parent must come to the school to claim it.

Appearance: Well-groomed hair, NO FAD HAIRSTYLES, e.g., tails, wigs, extensions, unusual color, dyed or hair other than natural color, etc. Hair spray may NOT be brought to school. Boys' hair should not touch their shirt collar, no braids and should be neatly trimmed (no hair or scalp designs). The older boys must be clean shaven. Facial hair is not allowed.

Make-Up: All make-up, including nail polish, false nails and lip gloss, is not permitted. The presence of anything that proclaims a current fad is not permitted.

### Personal Appearance

A good personal hygiene routine should be followed daily; ears, neck and fingernails should be given special attention. When appropriate, children should be instructed in the use of deodorant.

Uniforms should be neat and clean.

Hair should be clean and well groomed. The boys' hair should not be below the shirt collar. Bangs should not be so long that they impede vision.

Parents will be notified if a child comes to school consistently in an unkempt manner. If no improvement is noticed within a reasonable amount of time an appointment with the parents and with the guidance office will be made by school officials.