

## **Uniform Policy**

St. Veronica's uniform policy places an emphasis on modesty, cleanliness, and appropriate grooming. The presentation of our students is a symbol of the pride demonstrated at school. Students are expected to be neat and presentable, therefore representing St. Veronica School in a positive manner. Parents should be aware of appropriate apparel and overall appearance of their children prior to leaving for school each day.

The complete uniform must be worn on the first day of school. The administration has sole discretion in making final determinations about the regulations listed in the school's uniform policy. "Out of uniform" days are designated by the administration and only affect the type of clothing worn. All other regulations will be in effect on these days.

The Uniform Policy is part of the Code of Discipline. Students will receive a written warning for each uniform infraction. Three infractions will result in a disciplinary point and loss of subsequent out of uniform days.

The dress code for K-8 St. Veronica students is as follows:

### **Boys**

<b>Shirts:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Solid white, light blue, or navy long or short sleeve shirt with collar with or without the St. Veronica logo</li><li>• Plain white turtlenecks or polo shirts (short/long sleeve, light blue/white) with or without the St. Veronica logo may be worn in place of the shirt</li><li>• Shirts must be <u>TUCKED INTO</u> slacks/shorts</li><li>• Plain white t-shirts may be worn under the uniform shirt/polo shirt</li><li>• No other brands or logos beside St. Veronica should be visible</li><li>• 8th graders are able to wear their class shirts daily throughout the school year</li></ul>
<b>Sweaters:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Navy blue, white, or gray sweaters may be worn</li><li>• Vest, pullover or cardigan style with scoop or v-neck</li></ul>
<b>Outerwear:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Navy blue with the St. Veronica logo</li><li>• Quarter zip fleece with a St. Veronica logo</li><li>• Navy blue crewneck sweatshirt with a St. Veronica logo</li><li>• A full zip fleece is considered a jacket and will not be permitted</li><li>• Must be worn over the uniform shirt</li><li>• No hooded sweatshirts for grades K-7</li><li>• 8th graders may wear class hoodie daily</li><li>• Spiritwear is not permitted</li></ul>
<b>Pants/Shorts:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Solid navy Docker style dress slacks/shorts with belt loops</li><li>• Pants are to be worn at the waist</li><li>• All uniform shorts must be no shorter than mid-thigh</li><li>• No rivets, outside pockets, or knits pants</li><li>• Grades 6-8: Khaki or navy Dockers style slacks/shorts with belt loops</li></ul>
<b>Belts:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Grades 3-8: Belts must be worn with slacks/shorts</li><li>• Belts can be navy, black, or brown</li></ul>
<b>Socks:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Solid white, navy blue, or black</li><li>• Brand logos may be present if they are white, navy, or black</li><li>• Socks must be visible above the shoe</li></ul>

<b>Shoes:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Shoes must enclose the foot and be securely attached are allowed</li> <li>Gym shoes are preferred for safety</li> <li>No sandals, clogs, or shoes with open toes or back</li> <li>Boots may be worn to school during inclement weather, but must be changed for the school day</li> </ul>
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## Girls

<b>Shirts:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Solid white, light blue, or navy long or short sleeve shirt with collar with or without the St. Veronica logo</li> <li>Plain white turtlenecks or polo shirts (short/long sleeve, light blue/white) with or without the St. Veronica logo may be worn in place of the shirt</li> <li>Shirts must be <u>TUCKED INTO</u> slacks/shorts</li> <li>Plain white t-shirts may be worn under the uniform shirt/polo shirt</li> <li>No other brands or logos beside St. Veronica should be visible</li> <li>8th graders are able to wear their class shirts daily throughout the school year</li> </ul>
<b>Sweaters:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Navy blue, white, or gray sweaters may be worn.</li> <li>Vest, pullover or cardigan style with scoop or v-neck</li> </ul>
<b>Outerwear:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Navy blue with the St. Veronica logo</li> <li>Quarter zip fleece with a St. Veronica logo</li> <li>Navy blue crewneck sweatshirt with a St. Veronica logo</li> <li>A full zip fleece is considered a jacket and will not be permitted</li> <li>Must be worn over the uniform shirt</li> <li>No hooded sweatshirts for grades K-7</li> <li>8th graders may wear class hoodie daily</li> <li>Spiritwear is not permitted</li> </ul>
<b>Pants/Shorts:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Solid navy Docker style dress slacks/shorts with belt loops</li> <li>Pants are to be worn at the waist</li> <li>All uniform shorts must be no shorter than mid-thigh</li> <li>No rivets, outside pockets, or knits pants</li> <li>Grades 6-8: Khaki or navy Dockers style slacks/shorts with belt loops</li> </ul>
<b>Belts:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>For grades 3 and up</b>, belts must be worn with slacks/shorts</li> <li>Belts can be navy, black or brown</li> </ul>
<b>Socks:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Solid white, navy blue, or black</li> <li>Brand logos may be present if they are white, navy, or black</li> <li>Socks must be visible above the shoe</li> </ul>
<b>Shoes:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Shoes must enclose the foot and be securely attached are allowed</li> <li>Gym shoes are preferred for safety</li> <li>No sandals, clogs, or shoes with open toes or back</li> <li>Boots may be worn to school during inclement weather, but must be changed for the school day</li> </ul>

<b>Jumper:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Grades K-4 - blue plaid jumper</li> <li>• Length may be no more than 2 inches above or below above the crease at the back of the knee</li> </ul>
<b>Skirts:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Grade 5 &amp; 6 - blue plaid jumper, or blue plaid skirt</li> <li>• Grade 5 &amp; 6 - Length may be no more than 2 inches above or below above the crease at the back of the knee</li> <li>• Grade 5 &amp; 6 - Skirts are to be worn at the waist</li> <li>• Grades 7 &amp; 8 - blue plaid skirt</li> <li>• Grades 7 &amp; 8- Length may be no more than 2 inches above or below above the crease at the back of the knee</li> <li>• Grades 7 &amp; 8 - Skirts are to be worn at the waist</li> <li>• No skirt is to be rolled up at the waist</li> </ul>
<b>Skorts:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Grades K -8 - Uniform plaid skorts, or solid navy</li> <li>• Grades K -8 -Skorts must be buttoned and zipped at all times</li> <li>• Grades K-8 - Length may be no more than 2 inches above or below above the crease at the back of the knee</li> </ul>
<b>Leggings/Tights:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Girls may wear gray, navy blue or black tights or <b>full-length</b> leggings that extend into the shoe (no skin showing) with their skirt/jumper</li> <li>• Sweatpants and loose fitting knit pants are not permitted</li> </ul>

All uniform items are available from SchoolBelles, Shaheen's, and Lands' End.

## Personal Appearance

### Name Tags

- Must be worn by students at all times

### Make-up

- No make-up, including lip gloss, mascara, and/or eyeliner
- Nail polish may be worn by girls only
- Nail polish must be light in color
- No acrylic or artificial nails

### Jewelry

- One (1) simple necklace
- One (1) simple watch; smartwatches must be disconnected from the cellular/wifi source
- One (1) silicon bracelet
- No ankle bracelets
- Earrings are limited to one pair of simple post style, no larger than a quarter
- One (1) simple band type ring
- **No jewelry can distract from learning**

### Hairstyles

- Hair is expected to be neat and clean

- All hair must be natural looking; no additional color
- Hair styles may not distract from the learning environment
- All hair must be out of their sight lines
- Boys' hair must be above the eyebrows and off the collar
- Girls must have hair off their face
- Headbands should be worn flat to the head; no animal figures, pom poms, ears etc.

#### **Gym Uniform**

- Students in grades 5-8 must change clothes for gym class
- Basketball style gym shorts of their choosing should be worn
- Shorts must be mid-thigh in length and school appropriate
- St. Veronica spiritwear t-shirt

#### **Out of Uniform**

- Uniform bottoms and school appropriate tops, including hoodies may be worn
- Sleeveless, strapless or spaghetti strapped shirts are not permitted
- Shirts containing verbiage or depiction promoting association with a group or organization non conducive with the learning environment or teachings of the Catholic Church will not be permitted
- Footwear must totally enclose the foot and be securely attached; no sandals, clogs, or shoes with open toes or back

#### **Spirit Days**

- 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Fridays of each month
- Students may wear St. Veronica Spirit t-shirts or hoodies
- Students may wear St. Veronica sports jersey
- All students must wear uniform jumper, skirt, shorts or slacks