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Dear Parents,

As you prepare for the 2020-2021 school year, I wanted to provide you with the updated school uniform policy for Holy Name School. Parents are expected and encouraged to assist in the student's full compliance and cooperation with the dress code. Parents will be notified of dress code infractions. Repeated violations of the dress regulations will result in the loss of conduct points.

In all cases, the principal reserves the right to determine if clothes, shoes and hair are in accordance with the dress regulations. The principal also reserves the right to request that clothing deemed inappropriate not be worn to school.

Holy Name School has signed a contract with Schoolbelles for all school uniform purchases. Attached you will find the updated dress code for girls and boys. Information for SchoolBelles is as follows:

Schoolbelles Uniform Company  
Phone: 216-898-5500 x167  
Toll Free Phone Orders: 1-888-637-3037  
Online Orders: Schoolbelles.com

Questions regarding dress code may be directed to the school office 472-8817.

Sincerely,

*Mrs. Robin McMullen*

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## **KINDERGARTEN DRESS CODE**

All Kindergarten students are required to wear the HN gray polo shirt on Holy Name School Mass days. Most school Masses occur every Friday. HN gray polo shirts and HN gray quarter zip sweatshirts are purchased through the Holy Name School office.

## **DRESS REGULATIONS FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES 1 THROUGH 8**

### **GIRLS**

The uniform consists of a skirt or jumper, HN gray polo shirt, sweater or HN gray quarter zip sweatshirt, socks and shoes as described below:

- The length of uniform skirts and jumpers is to be modest, touching the top of the knee.
- Navy blue or black dress slacks may be worn from **November 1 to May 1**. If belt loops are present, a belt (black, brown, or navy) must be worn. “Dress slacks,” means slacks that are designed to hang straight. Dress slacks are not designed to hug the contours of the body. Dress slacks do not have rivets, external patches, or oversized pockets. No cargo pants are to be worn. The dress pants should not have bell bottoms or be ragged on the bottom. Faded slacks, corduroys, stretch pants, and jeans are not permitted. Pants are to be worn at the waist.
- Uniform blue shorts may be worn during the months of August, September, and May. These shorts are available through SchoolBelles.
- HN gray polo shirts and HN gray quarter zip sweatshirts are purchased through the Holy Name School office.
- Sweaters and vests are to be solid navy blue, white, gray or burgundy (not red). They may be cardigan or pullover style, without hoods.
- Dress crew type or knee socks are to be solid navy blue, black, white, gray or burgundy. Low cut sports socks are not appropriate with the uniform skirt or jumper. Socks must be free of designs including company logos. Argyle socks are not permitted.
- Solid, dark colored shoes, which are practical and safe for the school environment, are to be worn. Solid, dark color boat shoes and sketched type walking shoes are permitted. They may not be open backed or have a measurement of more than two inches in combined height of sole and heel.

Students who wear boots to school in the winter must bring dress shoes to wear during the school day. Students are not permitted to wear the following: Toms, Ugg-like shoes, moccasins, slippers, and sneakers.

- Make up and body glitters are not permitted.
- Solid color nail polish is acceptable.
- Hair accessories should be simple and match the school uniform.
- Earrings should be small and no more than two pairs may be worn. Ear clips/cartilage piercing earrings are not permitted.
- No more than one necklace and one ring may be worn. Chokers are not permitted.
- Hairstyle is expected to be reasonable. If a style is deemed inappropriate for a Catholic school student, parents will be notified with the expectation that it be changed. Hair coloring which distracts from a uniform appearance is not appropriate. Students are to keep their hair its natural color.
- Sneakers are needed for gym class. For safety purposes, zippered sneakers should not be worn. Shorts or jogging pants, and t-shirts or sweatshirts are to be worn. Girls should not wear jewelry to gym. No aerosol cans, scented products, or cologne are permitted.

## **BOYS**

The uniform consists of navy blue or black slacks, belt, HN gray polo shirt, sweater or HN gray quarter zip sweatshirt, socks and shoes as described below:

- Dress slacks must be navy blue or black. If belt loops are present, a belt (black, brown, or navy) must be worn. “Dress slacks” means that no sport pants, jeans, or jean type fabric may be worn. Painter pants, cargo pants with external pockets and/or zippers on the pockets are not allowed. Ragged bottoms, faded slacks, or corduroys are not acceptable. Pants should properly fit the student and not be worn hanging below the waistline or sitting on the hips. Excessive bagginess is unacceptable.
- Uniform blue shorts may be worn during the months of August, September, and May. These shorts are available through SchoolBelles.
- HN gray polo shirts and HN gray quarter zip sweatshirts are purchased through the Holy Name School office.

- Sweaters and vests are to be solid navy blue, white, gray or burgundy (not red). They may be cardigan or pullover style, without hoods.
- Dress crew type socks or low cut socks are to be solid navy blue, black, white, gray or burgundy. Socks must be free of designs including company logos. Argyle socks are not permitted.
- Solid, dark colored shoes, which are practical and safe for the school environment, are to be worn. Solid, dark color boat shoes and sketched type walking shoes are permitted. Sneakers, army type boots, tennis shoes, work boots, gym or sports shoes, are not permitted. Students who wear boots to school in the winter must bring shoes to wear during the school day. Students are not permitted to wear the following: Toms, Ugg-like shoes, moccasins, slippers, and sneakers.
- Earrings, jewelry, and polished nails are not permitted.
- Hairstyle is expected to be reasonable and should not cover the eyes or shirt collar. If a style is deemed inappropriate for a Catholic school student, parents will be notified with the expectation that it be changed. Hair coloring which distracts from a uniform appearance is not appropriate. Students are to keep their hair its natural color.
- Sneakers are needed for gym class. For safety purposes, zippered sneakers should not be worn. Shorts or jogging pants, and t-shirts or sweatshirts are to be worn. No aerosol cans, scented products, or cologne are permitted.