

Uniform/Dress Code Policy

Uniforms are an important part of the way we remain connected as a school community. When wearing the St. Barnabas School uniform, inside and outside the school, students represent the school and their behavior should be a credit to themselves, their families, and the school community. We ask that all parents and students adhere to the uniform policy outlined below to help our school community retain this important part of our identity.

A student who wears a visible item that is not specifically permitted by the dress code is in violation of the code. Students violating the dress code will be asked to provide a written explanation from a parent. If a written explanation is not provided, parents may be called and asked to bring a change of clothes. The administration of St. Barnabas School has the ultimate authority to determine the appropriateness of all attire, including special dress days.

The PTU sponsors Uniform Exchange events throughout the school year, where new and gently used uniform items are available for a small fee. You do not need to bring an item to purchase an item. The Uniform Exchange chairperson may also be able to accommodate a special request, outside of the scheduled sessions by appointment.

Purchasing Uniforms

St. Barnabas School has contracted with two uniform vendors to provide our families a variety of options. St. Barnabas recommends that you purchase your items from the uniform vendors listed below, as all items in these school shops are approved for use at the school.

- School Belles: schoolbelles.com; (888) 637-3037; School code #S0192
- Lands' End Uniforms: landsend.com/uniforms; (800) 963-4816; Preferred School #900131616

Most of the products from Prime Time Sporting Goods (stbarnabas.itemorder.com) are considered spirit wear and are **not** permitted per the standard and dress uniforms, but one item, the Jerzees Nublend ¼-Zip Cadet Collar Sweatshirt is permitted. It is available in youth and adult sizes. School logo must be selected.

Note that items purchased from other vendors must mirror the style and color options offered from School Belles and Lands' End. If you purchase items from other vendors, embroidery services are available for a fee from the following:

- **Steve's Sports:** <http://www.stevesports.com>; 440-735-0044
- **Mrs. Shauna Kaminsky:** 330-468-6941 (Office); 216-548-0966 (Cell). Texting is suggested.

Components for gym uniforms may be purchased from above vendors, or may be purchased directly from the school and charged to your FACTS account in person at one of the Uniform Exchanges, or using the following order form:

- <https://www.cognitofirms.com/StBarnabasSchools/StBarnabasPEUniformOrderForm>

STANDARD AND DRESS UNIFORM: White and light blue polos are being phased out and are not available to purchase new from our vendors but will still be permitted as part of the dress code.

		ITEM	DETAILS
BOYS K-3	TOPS	Polo or Quarter Zip Long sleeve: navy, royal blue, gray	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Logo required on all items • Polo can be short or long sleeve • All items to be tucked in or banded
	BOTTOMS	Dress Pants: navy Shorts (Qtrs 1 & 4 only): navy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tailored plain front pants or shorts, with cuffed or stitched hems • No patch pockets/cargos, contrasting seams or other adornments
	REQUIRED ACCESSORIES	Dress Socks: solid navy, black, gray or white	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Socks must cover ankle • Belt (brown or black) optional
BOYS 4-8	TOPS	Polo or Quarter Zip Long sleeve: navy, royal blue, gray	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Logo required on all items • Short or long sleeve • Tucked in or banded
	DRESS UNIFORM TOPS	Oxford: plain white + SBS plaid or navy tie (Qtrs 2 & 3 only)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Short or long sleeve • Tucked in • Logo optional on oxford
	BOTTOMS	Dress pants: navy (grades 4-5), khaki (grades 6-8), or SBS plaid Shorts (Qtrs 1 & 4 only): navy (grades 4-5), khaki (grades 6-8)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tailored plain front pants or shorts, with cuffed or stitched hems • No patch pockets/cargos, contrasting seams or other adornments
	REQUIRED ACCESSORIES	Dress Socks: solid navy, black, gray or white Belt (with pants or shorts): dark brown or black	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Socks must cover ankle
GIRLS K - 3	TOPS	Polo or Quarter Zip Long sleeve: navy, royal blue, gray Tailored Blouse: peter-pan (round) collar, white	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Short or long sleeve blouse or polo • Tucked in or banded • Logo required on top when wearing shorts or pants • Logo optional on tailored blouse
	BOTTOMS	Drop Waist Shift, Tunic or V-Neck Pleated Style Jumper: SBS plaid Dress pants: navy Shorts (Qtrs 1 & 4 only): navy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jumper should be no more than 2 inches above the knee • Tailored plain front or pleated pants or shorts, with cuffed or stitched hems • No patch pockets/cargos, contrasting seams or other adornments
	REQUIRED ACCESSORIES	Dress Socks, Knee Socks, Tights or Leggings: solid navy, black, gray, white	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Socks must cover ankle; cannot be worn with tights. • Belt (brown or black) optional
GIRLS 4 - 8	TOPS	Polo or Quarter Zip Long sleeve: navy, royal blue, gray Oxford: white	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Short or long sleeve blouse or polo • Tucked in or banded • Logo required on polos, optional on tailored blouse
	DRESS UNIFORM TOPS	Options: 1. Polo: navy, royal blue, gray; plus Sweater Vest, Crew Neck or Cardigan Sweater: navy (Qtrs 2&3 only)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Blouse or polo may be short or long sleeve; tucked in or banded • Logo required on all sweaters • Logo optional on oxford • SBS plaid or navy tie optional

		OR: 2. Oxford: plain white	
	BOTTOMS	Skirt: SBS plaid Dress pants: navy (grades 4-5), khaki (grades 6-8), or SBS plaid Shorts During Qtrs 1 & 4: navy (grades 4-5), khaki (grades 6-8)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Skirt should be no more than 2 inches above the knee • Tailored plain front or pleated pants or shorts, with cuffed or stitched hems • No patch pockets/cargos, contrasting seams or other adornments
	REQUIRED ACCESSORIES	Dress Socks, Knee Socks, Tights, or Leggings: solid navy, black, gray, white Belt (with pants or shorts): dark brown or black	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Socks must cover ankle; cannot be worn with tights
ALL	SHOES	Dress, Loafer-style, Sneaker-style: solid khaki, navy, black, brown, gray, white	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed-toe and closed-back, dress, loafer, sneaker style shoe, in solid gray, khaki, navy, black, brown. Must be tied at all times. • No excessive stripes or designs • Examples include Sperry, Converse, Vans, Toms, Adidas, etc. • Not permitted: high-tops, boots, Crocs, slippers, moccasins, slides/mules, high heels, open toe, sandals, lights/light-up, wheels or noises • Rubber soles only; non-marking
	WARM LAYERS	Sweater Vest, Crew Neck Sweater, Cardigan Sweater, Gym Sweatshirt: solid navy Layering t-shirt or turtleneck: plain white, navy, gray	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Logo required on all sweaters and sweatshirts • Items should not have a hood • Plain white t-shirt or turtleneck may be worn under polo shirt or blouse(girls), must be tucked in

GYM UNIFORM: Required for all students in K-8, to be worn to school all day, on the day(s) the student has gym class

	ITEM	DETAILS	
ALL	TOPS	T-shirt: SBS navy gym t-shirt Optional: navy sweatshirt (no hood)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Logo required on all items • T-shirts obtained through St. Barnabas Athletics are not permitted as gym shirts
	BOTTOMS	Shorts: SBS navy gym shorts (Qtrs 1 & 4 only) Sweatpants or Track Pants: navy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Logo required on all items
	REQUIRED ACCESSORIES	Socks: white	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Socks must cover ankle
	SHOES	Athletic/Running Shoes: any color	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-marking athletic shoes of any color, and must be Velcro, fastened or laced and tied at all times

ADDITIONAL POLICIES	
GIRLS K-8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hairstyles: neatly trimmed and not hanging in front of face. • Makeup, nail polish and perfume are not permitted. • Simple jewelry (no more than two pairs of small stud earrings per ear, two bracelets; one necklace) that complements the uniform may be worn.
BOYS K-8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hairstyles: neatly trimmed and not hanging in front of the face. Must be above the shirt collar, the top of the ear and the eyebrow. • Cologne is not permitted. • Facial hair: it is expected that boys be clean-shaven. Beards, mustaches, and sideburns extending below the earlobe or onto the cheek are not permitted. • Simple jewelry (two bracelets; one necklace) that complements the uniform may be worn.
NOT PERMITTED	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not permitted: inappropriate hairstyles, extreme spiking, unnatural colors or combinations of colors of hair, scarves, bandanas, hats or other headwear, anatomical piercing, except for the ear (girls only) nail polish or tattoos. Headwear worn as a legitimate religious attire (as determined by the School Principal) may be considered an exception. • No accessory may be worn that is contrary to the philosophy of the school.

SPECIAL DRESS DAYS	
DRESS DOWN DAYS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Permitted: jeans, sweatpants, athletic pants, yoga pants, leggings provided the shirt touches the fingertips when arms are down at the sides, shorts (during 1st and 4th quarters), T-shirts, polo shirts or sweatshirts • Not permitted: ripped, torn, tight-fitting or painted clothing, clothing with inappropriate words, hats or headwear, armbands, crop tops, tank tops, tube tops, halter tops, low-rise pants, and shorts (during 2nd and 3rd quarters). • While the school may have a special dress day, a class that has Liturgy or special activities may be directed by their teacher to adhere to the <i>Standard and Dress Uniforms</i>. • Students dressed inappropriately on a dress down day will be issued a demerit, and may be kept out of class until appropriate clothing is found or brought from home. • If a student continues to violate the dress code he/she may lose future "out of uniform" privileges.
DRESS UP DAYS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An example of a Dress Up Day would be Picture Day, Awards Day, Concerts, etc. Follow the guidelines outlined from the Principal. • Students are not required to wear <i>Standard and Dress Uniforms</i>. • Athletic shoes, athletic shorts, t-shirts, jeans, tank tops, spaghetti straps are examples of items that are not permitted.
BIRTHDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students may dress down on the day of his/her birthday is celebrated. Please consult with your teacher prior to dressing down.

Standard and Dress Uniform

Examples of Dress, Loafer-style, Sneaker-style: solid khaki, navy, black, brown, gray, white



Gym Uniform

Examples of Athletic/Running Shoes, including High-Tops: any color; can be worn to school all day, on the day(s) the student has gym class

