



John F. Kennedy CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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Dress Code

Girls' uniforms are Classic Navy Large Plaid style if ordering from Lands End.

Tops:

- Students must wear a Kennedy Logo red, white, or navy blue 3-button polo shirt (short or long sleeve). These can be purchased through the Kennedy Eagles Nest. Kindergarten students will not be required to purchase logo shirts. Kindergarten students may wear solid red, white, or navy 3-button polo shirts.
- Plain red, white, or navy turtlenecks may be worn under a Kennedy Logo polo along with their jumper, skirt, or pants.
- Solid color red, white, or navy blue cardigan, crew neck navy sweatshirt with red, white or blue Kennedy lettering (no sports/team specific) V-neck, or sweater vests may be worn in the winter months over the school polo shirt. Students may wear a half zip pullover fleece, available through Lands End.
- Polo shirts must be tucked in at all times.

Bottoms:

- Navy blue or tan/khaki slacks/pants with no extra pockets or metal studs. (Hip huggers, low-rise and cargo styles are not acceptable).
- Shorts season is extended to October 31 and will resume on April 1. Shorts are navy or tan/khaki and are to reach mid-thigh or longer. Absolutely **no cargo/carpenter Shorts**.
- Girls in Grades K-5 may wear a uniform jumper or skirt (Classic Navy Large Plaid) ordered through Lands End.
- **Navy blue knit shorts should be worn under the skirt.** **Please note the "School Uniform Plaid Pleated Skort Top of Knee" style has knit shorts underneath.* Jumpers and skirts are to be mid-thigh or longer.
- Pants/shorts **may have elastic waists**, but if they have belt loops then students in grades 4 & 5 must wear a belt.

Shoes/Socks:

- Shoes: Tennis shoes or dress shoes are permitted. Reasonable colors are acceptable. Absolutely **no light up shoes**. Shoes with laces must be tied. Socks are to be worn at all times and must be visible above shoes. Slip-on shoes must have hard rubber soles and have a back. Girls wearing the uniform jumper, skirt, or shorts may wear red, white or

navy socks, ankle or knee socks. Girls have the option of wearing red, white or navy tights under their uniform. Navy leggings may be worn under the jumper or skirt during winter months

- NOT permitted: sandals, flip-flops, open-toed shoes, slides, slippers, backless shoes, Crocs, boots, heels, Ugg type shoes/boots/slippers.
- During the winter months, boots may be worn to school; however, students must change into regular shoes. Boots of any kind may not be worn during the school day.

Grooming:

- Hair should be neat and well-groomed and worn in an appropriate style for school. No extreme fad hairstyles including two tones, man-buns, man ponytails, mohawks/faux hawks, fades, or unnatural hair colors.
- Boys are to have haircuts above the collar and off the eyes. **No fad haircuts.**
- Girls are not to have faddish hairstyles/trends.
- Excessive jewelry is not to be worn. Watches and a short thin chain with a cross or religious medal are permitted. No fad jewelry.
- Girls are permitted one or two small post earrings per ear. Boys are not permitted earrings.
- No tattoos; permanent or temporary.
- Makeup, nail polish and glitter are not permitted. Coats, jackets, sweatshirts, and hats are outside apparel and may not be worn in the classroom.

Scheduled Gym Days:

Students are to wear a gym uniform on their scheduled gym day(s). A gym uniform is a navy Kennedy gym logo t-shirt (must be purchased at Eagle's Nest) and plain navy shorts or sweatpants. Kennedy logo shorts and sweatpants are available for purchase at the Eagle's Nest if you choose to wear them but they are not mandatory.

Dress Down Days: Occasionally students will have the opportunity for dress down days. Sometimes these days are school-wide; other times, students may earn or purchase a "pass" to use at their discretion. Reminder that dress down passes may **NOT be used on Mass days** or field trips unless specifically instructed.

- Shirts must have appropriate writing/logos/images.
- No tank tops, midriffs, or low-cut shirts.
- Jeans: may be distressed from the mid-thigh down. No skin may show through the jeans above the knee. Holes below the knee should be a "slit" and not a gaping hole.

As always, the administration has the final judgment on appropriate dress. Thank you for your support!



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