## St. Francis Xavier School

 Student Uniform Dress Code Policy Grades K-5-Suggested Vendors for pants, khaki items, polo shirts, blouses and sweaters: Lands’ End
Lands' End Preferred School Number: 900030990

| Dress Code for Girls K-5 |  |  |
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| Jumpers <br> Solid Jumper <br> Color: Khaki <br> Skirts or Skorts <br> Long Chino Skort Pleated Skirt A-line Skirt <br> Stretch long Chino Skirt | Pants Plain-front Chino/Pleated Chino/Elastic Waist (khaki) Shorts** Pleated chino Plain Front Chino Color: Khaki **Only allowed 4/1 thru 10/31 | Tights/Leggings <br> Tights or leggings are permitted under skirts. Socks must match legging color. <br> Tights colors: black/navy/white Leggings colors: black or navy (solid - no patterns or logos) <br> Non-Uniform Days <br> Leggings are permitted |
| Shirts <br> Interlock Performance Polo Mesh Performance Polo Dri-fit (Lands' End) Long or short sleeve Color: Red <br> Optional Outerwear Red Cardigan <br> 1/4 zip long sleeve (red) <br> Fleece Jacket; Full Zip (red) <br> Hair Color <br> Natural color only | Belts <br> Traditional buckle belts are to be worn with pants and shorts (grades 2-5). Color: Black, Brown, Navy, Khaki <br> Socks <br> Socks must be worn at all times. <br> Knee High socks <br> Colors: Navy, black, white Short socks <br> Colors: Navy, black, white, grey, red <br> Shoes <br> Casual, athletic or dress <br> Primarily white, black, or brown <br> No open toe or heel/no boots | No Makeup <br> No Fake Nails <br> Nail Polish - single/neutral color <br> Jewelry <br> One pair of post earrings is permitted. No hoops or dangling earrings will be permitted for safety reasons. <br> A single, simple necklace or chain is permitted. <br> A single wrist bracelet is permitted. <br> Hair Accessories <br> Conservative bows, barrettes and hair ties may be worn. |
| Dress Code for Boys K-5 |  |  |
| Shirts <br> Interlock Performance Polo Mesh Performance Polo Dri-fit (Lands' End) Long or short sleeve Color: Red <br> Optional Outerwear <br> Red Cardigan, $1 / 4$ zip long sleeve Fleece Jacket; Full Zip (red) <br> Hair Color Natural color only | Pants <br> Plain-front Chino/Pleated Chino/Elastic <br> Waist (khaki) <br> Shorts** <br> Pleated chino <br> Plain Front Chino <br> Color: Khaki <br> **Only allowed 4/1 thru 10/31 <br> Belts <br> Traditional buckle belts are to be worn with pants and shorts (grades 2-5). Color: Black, Brown, Navy, Khaki | Socks <br> Socks must be worn at all times. Colors: Navy, black, white, khaki, grey, red. Socks must be visible <br> Shoes <br> Casual, athletic or dress <br> Primarily white, black, or brown No open toe or heel/no boots |
| No Makeup <br> No Nail Polish or fake nails | Hair <br> Hair must remain its natural color. As a rule- hair should be cut above the collar and eyebrows (not obscuring face/eyes). | Jewelry <br> One religious necklace may be worn and a simple wrist bracelet <br> is permitted <br> No earrings or other jewelry |

## Sweatshirts

All sweatshirts must be removed for Liturgy. The Spirit Store (online ordering twice a year) provides a section of APPROVED uniform apparel. School approved outerwear (i.e. cardigan, $1 / 4$ zip, fleece) can be worn all day long. School-approved sweatshirts or hoodies may be worn on spirit days.

## Shoes

Please keep in mind that shoes will be worn outside during recess (winter boots are required for outdoor play Nov $1^{\text {st }}$ thru May $1^{\text {st. }}$ Therefore, shoes should be comfortable, safe and functional.

- Tennis shoes will be allowed (gym shoes are required for P.E.)
- Wheelies, lights or other gadgets are not permitted.
- Shoes must be in good condition, neat and clean.
- Laces must be tied appropriately.
- High heels or platforms are not permitted.
- Clogs, crocs, slippers, open-backed shoes, and boots are not permitted.
- Socks or tights must be worn with all types of shoes.
- Snow boots must be removed indoors.


## Non-Uniform Days

On the occasional non-uniform days, appropriate school attire is required. All clothing must be free of rips or tears. No midriff tops, short shorts, t -shirts with inappropriate sayings, tank tops, or sleeveless tops. Shoulders must be covered. Shoes are always to be worn with socks or tights - no flip flops, high heels, crocs, clogs, sandals, or opened-toed shoes. This list is a sample and not to be considered all-inclusive. No hair color. When a non-uniform day falls on a Liturgy day (Wednesday mass), students should dress in "Sunday best."

## Dress Up Days (including Middle School Athletics)

Shoulders must be covered. Dress, skirt and shorts length must be appropriate (see skirt/short length below) If dressy shoes are worn, tennis shoes must be sent in and worn for gym and preferably recess. No spandex, yoga pants, or jeans. Boys should wear button down shirt and ties. Appropriate shoes need to be worn for Physical Education.

## Appearance and Grooming

All students are expected to be well-groomed, neat and presentable at all times. Clothing should be clean, properly fitting and modest. Since it is impossible to identify in advance all possible deviations from acceptable dress and grooming, the Administration and staff reserve the right to determine what is acceptable. In all cases, the decision of the principal will be final.

## Skirt/Short Length - "Finger tip length rule"/3" Rule

All students must use the"finger tip length" rule regarding shorts/skirts/etc. This rule states that a student should be able to stand straight, arms by their side, and not have their fingertips reach past their shorts/skirt. This will apply to ALL school days (non-uniform, dress-up and uniform days). For another reference, skirts should be no more than 3 " from the knee when kneeling.

## Winter Gear

All students are required to have winter gear available every day from November 1st-April 1st. If a middle schooler elects to wear shorts during the winter, they must wear snowpants when outdoors during this time.

## Spirit Days - Fridays

Fridays are considered "Spirit days"; a St Francis Xavier School "spirit wear" shirt may be worn in place of the red shirt with uniform bottoms. St Francis Xavier hooded sweatshirts are also allowed.

## Uniform Violations

1st - Note sent home 2nd - Call to parent(s) 3rd - Forfeit non-uniform day 4th - Student sent home
Modesty goes far beyond our choice of clothing; it is an interior virtue that boys and girls are responsible for cultivating within themselves. Help our students foster self-respect \& modesty!

## Dress Code for Girls 6-8 (MIDDLE SCHOOL)

| Skirts or Skorts Long Chino Skort Pleated Skirt A-line Skirt Stretch long Chino Skirt Pants Plain-front Chino/Pleated Chino/ Elastic Waist (khaki) | Shorts** <br> Pleated chino <br> Plain Front Chino Color: Khaki <br> **Allowed all year as long as snowpants are worn outdoors in the winter** | Tights/Leggings <br> Tights or leggings are permitted under skirts. Socks must match legging color. <br> Tights colors: black/navy/white Leggings colors: black or navy (solid - no patterns or logos) <br> Non-Uniform Days <br> Leggings may be worn with "360 coverage"; the student's top (sweatshirt/long shirt) must fully cover the bottom. |
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