

## OUR LADY OF LOURDES SCHOOL - DRESS CODE

### A. UNIFORM DRESS CODE

The dress code will be strictly followed. Children not in proper dress will not be allowed into class until the correct uniform is obtained from the school office or by calling parents. **Student uniforms will be monitored as the students walk into their classrooms each morning.** Parents need to make sure enough uniforms are purchased to keep up with the laundry schedule especially when children divide their time between two households. If you are in doubt, call the school office before you purchase uniforms.

**\*\* Elderware, True Grits, Becky Thatcher, Tom Sawyer, or Lands' End uniforms can be used for the basic navy blue and white shirt items. All logo items, skorts, sweat shirts, spirit shirts, and khaki items must be purchased in the Lands' End catalogue or at Generations in Colusa. Plaid jumpers and skirts must be purchased at Dennis Uniform Company in Sacramento or through the Lands' End catalogue.**

### BOYS & GIRLS:

**PANTS: NAVY BLUE PANTS;** Boys and Girls in K-8th may wear corduroy or navy blue slacks: Slacks must be regular uniform pants, see brand names above. Narrow wale is required on corduroy pants. (NO jeans or Levi's and no royal blue; pants must be dark NAVY BLUE). Pants can not be rolled or pegged. No over sized or cargo pockets or baggy style will be allowed.

**SHIRTS:** White cotton knit with a collar and placket or regular button cotton shirts with collar. Long or short sleeves may be worn. No oversized shirts will be allowed. Shirts must fit at the shoulders and look neat at all times. Solid white turtlenecks can be worn UNDER shirts in cold weather but can not be worn by themselves. NO printed or colored T-shirts or long sleeved underwear are to be worn under the uniform white shirt. White uniform blouse with peter pan collar can be worn by the girls.

**RED LOGO SHIRTS:** Grades K through 8th may also wear solid red polo shirts with the school Logo. No other red shirts will be allowed. These shirts must be purchased at **Lands' End or Generations**

**SWEATER: SOLID** colors only **NAVY, RED, WHITE.** Pull over or button up. These sweaters must be tight knit orlon acrylic. No bulky cotton sweaters will be allowed. Sweaters may be worn in the classroom. No designs allowed (flowers, check, etc.). Sweaters may not be longer than the hip line. Different types of sweater are available at Lands' End and at Dennis Uniform Co.

**SWEATSHIRT: ONLY RED SCHOOL SWEATSHIRTS WITH INSIGNIA** may be worn at school. Sweatshirts are available at **Lands' End or Generations.** School shirts must be worn under these sweatshirts at all times. School sweatshirts can be worn in class. NO OTHERS!!!

**SHORTS: NAVY BLUE UNIFORM SHORTS, brands mentioned earlier only.** No excessive pockets or baggy style will be allowed. Shorts can be worn only in August, September, October, March, April, May & June. Shorts **Must be kept at purchased length. Shorts not longer than 5 inches on the in seem must be replaced.** These can be purchased at Lands' End, Dennis Uniform, or Generations.

**SOCKS: Boys -** Socks must be worn at all times at school. Solid white with no stripes when wearing shorts. If socks can be seen, then they need to be solid white without any design.

STOCKINGS: **GIRLS** - Solid **WHITE**, solid **NAVY**, solid **RED**, ankle, knee socks, or leotards. **NO PATTERNED STOCKINGS** and no lace or designs. Stockings must be worn at all times. NO long johns, long underwear, leggings or knit pants will be allowed under skirts, shorts, or jumpers.

HATS: *Still to be determined for the 201 – 12 school year*

SHOES: All shoes whether lace up or loafers must have tread. All shoes requiring laces must have the laces in them and they must be tied at all times. **No open toes, open heels, clogs, ballet type shoes, sandals, or dress shoes with slippery soles may be worn.** *Boots should only be worn when appropriate for the weather.*

PE DRESS: 5th through 8th grade. Tennis shoes with tread and shoe laces. White socks. Solid red shorts or navy blue uniform shorts/pants. Solid red/navy blue sweat pants may be worn in the winter. No jewelry to be worn while involved in sports activities.

*Please check with the PE teachers before purchasing any special attire for PE.*

JACKETS: Any jacket is suitable for our school providing it does not have a logo that is inappropriate for a Catholic School. Jackets will not be allowed to be worn in class - only school sweatshirts or the appropriate school sweaters. Sweatshirt jackets or flannel shirt jackets will not be allowed. School jackets with the logo can be purchased at Generations or Lands' End.

VESTS: Only solid navy or solid red jacket vest or sweater vest will be allowed. These can be purchased at Lands' End.

#### **GIRLS:**

JUMPER: Blue and red Hamilton Plaid purchased from **Dennis Uniform Co.** or **Lands' End** All girls K-4th need at least one jumper to be worn on all Mass days.

SKIRT: Only for girls in the 5-8th grades. Blue and red Hamilton Plaid purchased from **Dennis Uniform Co.** or **Lands' End.** All girls 5-8th need at least one skirt to be worn on all mass days. **The skirt must be no more than 3" inches above the knee when knee is bent on the floor.**

SKORTS: Navy blue skorts purchased at **Lands' End** will be allowed for Girls in K through 8<sup>th</sup>. These skorts must be no more than 3" above the knee.

**7th/8th ONLY:** 7th/8th grade students, boys and girls, are also allowed to wear navy uniform style shirts with the logo. These shirts must be purchased at **Generations or Lands' End.** They may also wear khaki pants, shorts or skorts that also must be purchased from **Lands' End or Generations.**

The principal may change the dress code as the need arises.

**\*\* Only school sweatshirts with insignia may be worn on the playground or in the classrooms. These sweatshirts may be purchased only at Generations or Lands' End. No other sweatshirts should be on the school grounds at any time except for free dress days. We will confiscate all other sweatshirts and return them to the parents.**

There are some used uniforms at the school. These are free to anyone who can use them.

If you are in doubt about school uniforms please call the school office before you make your purchase.