# St. Michael's School Dress Code Policy

# <u>Our Philosophy</u>

The Catholic school uniform symbolizes respect for authority as well as the idea of basic equality in the eyes of God. St. Michael's students are instructed to wear clothing in a manner that reflects both a pride in self and school. All students in kindergarten through 5th grade are required to wear dress code during the school day.

#### Dress Code Expectations

St. Michael's School strives to create an atmosphere conducive to learning during school hours, on school grounds and during any school activities.

- Parents are responsible for ensuring their children are appropriately dressed.
- All students in kindergarten through fifth grade are required to wear dress code during the school day.
- All clothing must be clean, neat, well-fitting, and contain no holes.
- Occasionally, students are exempt from the dress code for a free choice dress day.
- If a child cannot wear dress code on a day other than those listed exceptions, the school must receive a written or verbal request from the parents on the day the child is out of uniform.

# The Dress Code on NON-MASS Days

#### SHIRTS

Solid Red Polo Shirt (long or short sleeve) Solid Navy Blue Polo Shirt (long or short sleeve) If you chose a logo, the St. Michael's School logo is the only logo allowed

# BOTTOMS

Khaki Shorts (knee length) Skirt (knee length or longer) Pants (straight leg, docker style – no sweatpants, cargo pants, jeans, cords, skinny pants or leggings as pants) Capris

# UNDERSHIRTS

White long sleeve undershirt may be worn with short sleeve red or navy blue polo shirts Crewneck or turtleneck are acceptable

#### SWEATERS

Solid white, red, or navy blue cardigan No embellishments (sequins, lace, fringe, ruffles, glitter) Always worn with uniform polo shirt

#### SWEATSHIRTS

Solid red or navy blue without hoods St. Michaels logo hoodie sweatshirt No logos other than St. Michael's School logo Always worn with uniform

# SOCKS

Neutral in color and must reflect dress code policy White or black leggings or tights under skirts

#### JUMPERS/DRESSES

Khaki only (knee length or longer) Red or navy blue polo shirt underneath



# Dress Code for MASS DAY

#### Bottoms

Black Pants - (straight leg, docker style – no sweatpants, cargo pants, jeans, cords, skinny pants or leggings as pants) Skirt – knee length or longer No Shorts

### Shirts

Solid red polo shirt (long or short sleeve) If you chose a logo, the St. Michael's School logo is the only logo allowed

#### Socks

Black leggings or tights under skirts Neutral in color and must reflect dress code policy

#### Sweaters

Solid white, red, or black cardigan No embellishments (sequins, lace, fringe, ruffles, glitter) Always worn with uniform polo shirt

#### Sweatshirts

Solid red, gray, or black without hoods No logos other than St. Michael's School logo St. Michaels logo hoodie sweatshirt Always worn with uniform

# Undershirts

White long sleeve undershirt may be worn with short sleeve red polo shirts. Crewneck or turtleneck are acceptable

# FREE CHOICE DAYS

Students may wear clothing of their choice on Free Choice Days when indicated by school administration. Please follow these guidelines when helping your child make choices:

- No sleeveless shirts may be worn
- Hats are not to be worn in the building at anytime
- Skirts/shorts should be knee-length or longer
- No pajamas
- No costumes
- Logos or graphics should reflect the mission of St. Michael's School

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