

St. John Vianney Catholic School

Uniforms

St John Vianney uniforms may be purchased online through A+ Uniforms at this web address: https://lansing.myaplusuniforms.com/collections/st-john-vianney

Or may be purchased through one of these school-approved vendors:

Old Navy or Walmart

RBG Uniforms

2055 28th Street SE, Suite 18 Grand Rapids MI 49505 616-245-1944

Hours: M-F 10am-6pm Sat. 10am-4pm

GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT UNIFORMS AND DRESS CODE

Students dress in uniforms every day except for special "dress down" or "dress up" days that are shared in the newsletter and included on the school calendar on the website. The advantages of wearing a uniform are many and include a sense of community, a shared identity, and a focus on learning. Clothing should fit, be in good condition, and reflect the dignity of our school community.

Grades K-8 required uniform Items:

SHIRTS - Students are required to wear the official "SJV" logo on all shirts and must be purchased through RBG Uniforms. Approved shirts are the standard navy blue or white Pique knit polo shirt with three buttons. There are short and long sleeve options. Shirts must be tucked in at all times.

PANTS - Students are required to wear dress/uniform style pants available at the school-approved vendors listed above. Pants must be neat in appearance with no visible stains or tears. Double stitching, rivets, and cargo-style pants are not allowed. Grades K through 5 wear navy blue pants and Grades 6-8 wear khaki or beige pants.

BELTS - Brown, black or navy belts are required (grades 3-8) and may be purchased at any store. Acceptable styles include plain leather, faux leather, braided, or fabric belt. Other colors, designs, and studs are not allowed.

SOCKS - Socks with pants and short options are required and must be simple and non-distracting, no wild patterns (white, black, brown, navy blue). Students may wear holiday-themed socks on holidays or as specified on the monthly school calendar. Socks may be purchased at any store.

SHOES - Shoes must be a closed toe and closed heel. Tennis shoes are permitted but must be neat in appearance (no tears, stains, holes, etc) and should also be simple and non-distracting (no light up shoes). Shoes may be purchased at any store. Boots may be worn to and from school, and recess only.

Optional Uniform Items Gr. K-8 SHORTS Students may wear navy shorts purchased through the vendors listed above. Shorts may be worn from the beginning of school in the fall through November 1st and from April 1st through the end of the school year, as weather permits. Shorts should be no more than 2" above the knee. Shorts must be traditional uniform style, without double stitching, cargo pockets, or rivets. Blue for Gr. K-5 and khaki or beige for Gr. 6-8.

SKORTS/SKIRTS/JUMPERS - (girls only) Students may wear the St. John Vianney plaid skort, skirt or jumper purchased from St. John Vianney's approved vendor throughout the entire school year. Skorts, skirts and jumpers should be no more than 2" above the knee. Hosiery must be worn during the school day. Hosiery includes stockings, socks, and tights, collectively. Additionally, ankle-length leggings may be worn. Hosiery, tights, and ankle-length leggings must be solid color of a navy, gray, white, or black color. Hosiery, tights, or ankle-length leggings must be solid in style and may not include print, lace, fishnet or other design.

VESTS/SWEATERS/CARDIGANS - Students may wear vests, or cardigans in navy blue or white. The vest or cardigan must be a traditional and classic style. Please note that sweatshirts are not allowed during the school day. Full Zip Fleece from RBG Uniforms can be worn over the uniform during the school day.

TIES (boys) - Students may wear ties in the approved SJV plaid for purchase from RBG Uniforms with a button-down white logo oxford shirt.

T-SHIRTS - Short-sleeved t-shirts may not extend past uniform shirtsleeves (white tee-shirts only). No long sleeved tee-shirts or turtlenecks under short-sleeved logo shirts.

Non-Uniform Day Dress Code Gr. K-8 - Clothing worn on non-uniform days can be casual or it can be dressy, depending on the theme of the day. Generally, non-uniform days are planned ahead and are scheduled on the monthly calendar. Clothing worn on these days must be modest and support our mission as a Catholic School.