

NOTRE DAME OF DE PERE Uniform Policy/Dress Code Policy 2020-2021

NOTRE DAME OF DE PERE UNIFORM/DRESS CODE POLICY

The purpose of the student uniform/dress code policy is to foster a respectful, professional learning environment with an emphasis on neatness and modesty. Uniforms can also help build a sense of community and increase academic focus. Parents/guardians are expected to support the school's enforcement of the uniform/dress code policy, helping reinforce an environment best suited for learning and faith development.

Please take time to help your child dress in the appropriate manner for school.

Students in Kindergarten through eighth grade will wear clothing meeting the guidelines established by the School Administrator as listed below. Students who don't comply with these guidelines may be asked to change into clothing kept in the office, or they may call their parent or guardian to bring appropriate attire to school.

PANTS/SHORTS (K-8):

- Solid navy blue or solid tan khaki (cotton twill, broadcloth, or corduroy) uniform style pants.
- Solid navy blue or solid tan khaki (cotton twill, broadcloth, or corduroy) shorts or Capri pants may be worn from April 1 through October 31 each year.
- Shorts may not be worn shorter than 1 inch above the knee.
- Cargo pants/extra pockets/extra zippers, yoga/jogging pants, denim pants, excessively baggy or tight pants such as leggings/jeggings/spandex are not permitted.

SKIRTS/SKORTS (Girls K-8):



- Solid navy blue, khaki, or WHITE PLAID** (cotton twill or broadcloth) pleated uniform style skirts.
- ****WHITE PLAID available through LANDS END catalog and www.landsend.com :**

 #473437BQ8 School Uniform Girls WHITE PLAID Box Pleat SKIRT	 #407088BQ0 School Uniform Girls SOLID NAVY Box Pleat SKIRT	 #407088BQ0 School Uniform Girls SOLID KHAKI Box Pleat SKIRT
 #458605BQ0 School Uniform Girls WHITE PLAID Box Pleat SKORT	 #458611BQ6 School Uniform Girls SOLID NAVY Box Pleat SKORT	 #458611BQ6 School Uniform Girls SOLID KHAKI Box Pleat SKORT

- Skirts/skortts may not be worn shorter than 1 inch above the knee.
- Extra pockets/extra zippers, excessively baggy or tight jumpers are not permitted.

JUMPER (Girls K-8):

- Solid navy blue, khaki, or WHITE PLAID** (cotton twill or broadcloth) uniform style jumpers.
- **WHITE PLAID available through LANDS END catalog or www.landsend.com :

		
#065010BQ4 School Uniform Girls WHITE PLAID JUMPER	#068176BQ1 School Uniform Girls SOLID NAVY JUMPER	#068176BQ1 School Uniform Girls SOLID KHAKI JUMPER

- Jumpers may not be worn shorter than 1 inch above the knee.
- Extra pockets/extra zippers, excessively baggy or tight jumpers are not permitted.

SHIRTS (K-8):

- Solid plain red/white/navy shirt with a collar - short or long sleeve -
- “Notre Dame of De Pere” embroidery acceptable - NO OTHER LOGOS.
- Solid plain red/white/navy shirt may be worn under collared uniform shirt - NO LOGOS.

OPTIONAL:

- T-SHIRT TUESDAYS/SPIRIT DAY: students may wear any Notre Dame of De Pere top with uniform bottoms - current/previous THEME T-shirts and Raider wear acceptable.
- Notre Dame of De Pere TEAM JERSEYS may be worn with a uniform shirt and bottoms on GAME DAYS.
- Scouting uniform tops may be worn with uniform bottoms on MEETING DAYS.
- ALL shirts (uniform, game day jerseys, etc) must be tucked in during the school day.

SWEATERS (K-8):

- Solid plain red/white/navy button down or zipper cardigan or vest style - waist length - NO LOGOS or HOODS.
- A uniform shirt must be worn under sweatshirts

SWEATSHIRTS/FLEECE JACKETS (K-8):

Official Notre Dame of De Pere crewneck sweatshirt, fleece and/or partial zip pullover.



- Uniform shirt must be worn under uniform sweatshirt or full zip fleece.
- Solid non-collared red/white/navy shirt may be worn under collared partial zip pullover.

SOCKS (K-8):

- Socks must be worn at all times and should be visible above the shoes.
- Solid plain red/white/navy footless tights/leggings are permitted UNDER skirts/skorts/jumpers, however, socks must also be worn with the footless tights/leggings.

SHOES (K-8):

- Gym/deck/flats/dress shoes are acceptable - closed toe/heel required - laces must be tied.
- High heels/wedges, sandals, flip-flops, clogs, Crocs or Wheelies styles are not permitted.
- Boots above the ankle are not permitted during the school day - no UGG style/tall boots.
- All students must have non-marking sole tennis shoes available at school for use in the gym.

GENERAL UNIFORM GUIDELINES:

- Clothing must be neat, clean and free of rips/tears/fraying.
- Clothing must not be **excessively tight** or excessively baggy.
- Hats and sunglasses are to be removed upon entering the school building.
- No outerwear is permitted to be worn or carried during the school day.
- Official Notre Dame of De Pere fleece, pullover 1/4 zip jacket, or uniform sweater as listed in the above uniform/dress code policy are acceptable.

HAIR/GROOMING:

- All students' hair must be kept neat, clean and a natural hair color. Extreme hairstyles are not permitted.
- Simple earrings are acceptable (no dangling or hoops) for girls in grades K-8.
- Natural and lightly applied makeup is acceptable for girls in grades 6-8.

DRESS CODE VIOLATIONS:

Parents and students are expected to abide by this uniform/dress code policy. When in doubt, ask for clarification from the administration. If a student has violated the dress code they will be asked to

- Call home to ask for appropriate clothes

- Be supplied by clothes from the uniform closet

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DRESS DOWN/NON-UNIFORM DRESS CODE:

Non-uniform days and school sponsored events will continue to reflect the spirit of the uniform/dress code policy, reflect modesty, and still foster a respectful, professional learning environment.

- Shirts must have sleeves - tank tops or low-cut styles are not acceptable. Writing and graphics on all clothing should reflect positive images.
- Shorts, skirts, and dresses may not be worn shorter than 1 inch above the knee.
- Leggings may not be worn as pants and must be accompanied by an appropriate length skirt, shirt or shorts
- No undergarments should be seen at any time.
- Socks/shoes must abide by the uniform/dress code policy as listed above.

GRADUATION DRESS CODE:

Graduation is a special occasion! All attire must be in compliance with school policy: Shoulders must be covered. Necklines must be appropriate. Dress/skirt length may not be more than 1 inch above the knee. Boys must wear dress pants, a collared dress shirt, a tie and dress shoes. A suit coat is optional. Graduation gowns (provided by the school) will be worn during Mass.