

SCHOOL UNIFORM CODE

St. Veronica Catholic School's uniform policy places an emphasis on modesty, cleanliness, and appropriate grooming. The presentation of our students is a symbol of the pride demonstrated at school. Students are expected to be neat and presentable, therefore representing St. Veronica Catholic School in a positive manner. Parents should be aware of appropriate apparel and overall appearance of their children prior to leaving for school each day.

The complete uniform must be worn on the first day of school. The administration has sole discretion in making final determinations about the regulations listed in the school's uniform policy. "Out of uniform" days are designated by the administration and only affect the type of clothing worn. All other regulations will be in effect on these days.

St. Veronica Catholic School's uniform items containing specific school plaid or logo, must be purchased from Schoolbelles (skirts and outerwear) and Eastgate Custom Graphix (outerwear and PE uniforms only).

<u>Boys and Girls / Grades K-6</u> Shirts: ● Long or short sleeve polo shirt with or without the St. Veronica Catholic School School embroidered logo ● Light blue or navy in color ● Shirts must be tucked into slacks/shorts ● Plain white short sleeve t-shirts may be worn under the uniform polo shirt ● No other brands or logos beside St. Veronica Catholic School School should be visible Outerwear: ● Navy blue or gold quarter zip with a St. Veronica Catholic School School embroidered logo ● Navy blue crewneck sweatshirt with a St. Veronica Catholic School School embroidered logo ● No other styles of outerwear may be worn during the school day ● Polo shirt must be worn underneath all outerwear Pants/Shorts: ● Solid navy docker-style slacks or shorts ● Chino or dry fit material ● Pants are to be worn at the waist ● Jogger style pants are not permitted ● All uniform shorts must be no shorter than mid-thigh ● No rivets, oversized pockets, or knit pants ● Leggings may not be worn as pants	<u>Boys and Girls / Grades 7-8</u> Shirts: ● Long or short sleeve polo shirt with or without the St. Veronica Catholic School School embroidered logo ● Light blue or navy in color ● Shirts must be tucked into slacks/shorts ● Plain white short sleeve t-shirts may be worn under the uniform polo shirt ● No other brands or logos beside St. Veronica Catholic School School should be visible ● 8th grade only: class shirts may be worn on Fridays Outerwear: ● Navy blue or gold quarter zip with a St. Veronica Catholic School School embroidered logo ● Navy blue crewneck sweatshirt with a St. Veronica Catholic School School embroidered logo ● No other styles of outerwear may be worn during the school day ● Polo shirt must be worn underneath all outerwear Pants/Shorts: ● Solid khaki docker-style slacks or shorts ● Chino or dry fit material ● Pants are to be worn at the waist ● Jogger style pants are not permitted ● All uniform shorts must be no shorter than mid-thigh ● No rivets, oversized pockets, or knit pants ● Leggings may not be worn as pants	
<u>Girls / Grades K-2</u> Jumper: ● Blue plaid v-neck pleated jumper purchased through Schoolbelles ● Length may be no more than 2 inches above the knee Tights/Leggings: ● Girls may wear tights or ankle length leggings in gray, navy blue or black with their jumper ● Sweatpants and loose fitting knit pants are not permitted	<u>Girls / Grades 3-6</u> Skirts: ● Blue plaid pleated, two kick pleated skirt or kilt skirt purchased through Schoolbelles ● Length may be no more than 2 inches above knee ● Skirts are to be worn at the waist ● No skirt is to be rolled up at the waist Tights/Leggings: ● Girls may wear tights or ankle length leggings in gray, navy blue or black with their skirt ● Sweatpants and loose fitting knit pants are not permitted	<u>Girls / Grades 7-8</u> Skirts: ● Solid navy blue or khaki pleated, two kick pleated skirt or kilt skirt purchased through Schoolbelles ● Length may be no more than 2 inches above the knee ● Skirts are to be worn at the waist ● No skirt is to be rolled up at the waist Tights/Leggings: ● Girls may wear tights or ankle length leggings in gray, navy blue or black with their skirt ● Sweatpants and loose fitting knit pants are not permitted

Belts

- Belts are optional
- If worn, belts can be navy, black, or brown

Socks

- Socks must be worn
- Solid white, navy blue, gray or black
- Brand logos may be present if they are white, navy, gray or black
- Logos must be minimal in size

Shoes

- Gym shoes are required
- Shoes must enclose the foot and be securely attached
- Boots may be worn to school during inclement weather, but must be changed for the school day

Name Tags

- Must be worn by students in grades K-8 at all times

Make-up

- Grades K-6: No make-up, including lip gloss, mascara, and/or eyeliner
- Girls Grades 7-8: May wear natural lip gloss, mascara and/or eyeliner
- Nail polish may be worn by girls only
- Nail length (short) and color must be natural/non distracting, no press on nails

Jewelry

- One (1) simple necklace
- One (1) simple watch
- No wearable electronics including but not limited to smart watches and ear buds
- One (1) simple bracelet
- Earrings are limited to one pair of simple post style, no larger than a quarter, no hoops or dangling earrings
- One (1) simple band type ring
- No jewelry can distract from learning

Hairstyles

- Hair is expected to be neat and clean
- All styles must be natural looking; no additional color
- Hair styles may not distract from the learning environment
- All hair must be out of student's sight lines
- Headbands should be worn flat to the head; no animal figures, pom poms, ears, etc.

PE Uniform

- Students in grades 5-8 must wear their PE uniform to school on the days they have PE. Students must remain in their PE uniform all day.
- PE uniform top - St. Veronica Catholic School spirit wear shirt
- PE uniform bottoms - St. Veronica Catholic School PE shorts or sweatpants purchased through Eastgate Custom Graphix

Spirit Wear Days

- 1st and 3rd Fridays of each month
- Students may wear St. Veronica Catholic School spirit wear tops or hoodies
- Students may wear St. Veronica Catholic School sports jerseys
- All students must wear uniform bottoms or St. Veronica Catholic School PE shorts/sweatpants purchased from Eastgate Custom Graphix.

Out of Uniform Days

- St. Veronica Catholic School gym shorts/sweatpants bottoms (purchased from Eastgate Custom Graphix) or uniform bottoms may be worn
- Any school appropriate tops, including hoodies may be worn
- Sleeveless, strapless or spaghetti strap shirts are not permitted

- Shirts containing verbiage or depiction promoting association with a group or organization non- conducive with the learning environment or teachings of the Catholic Church will not be permitted
- Footwear must totally enclose the foot and be securely attached; no sandals, clogs, or shoes with open toes or backs

Prohibited Attire and Accessories

To maintain an educational environment focused on learning and to foster a cohesive school community, students are prohibited from wearing clothing, jewelry, buttons, patches, or accessories that display political campaigns, political ideologies, controversial social movements, or divisive symbolism while on school premises or at school-sponsored events. The administration reserves the right to determine what constitutes disruptive or inappropriate attire.

Schoolbelles: www.schoolbelles.com (school code s2017)	Eastgate Custom Graphix: 4459 Mt Carmel Tobasco Rd, Cincinnati, OH 45244
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