



Fridays and Mass Days

On Corpus Christi Sunday (Latin for Body of Christ) 2022, the United States Bishops declared a 3-year National Eucharistic Revival in the Catholic Church. "The National Eucharistic Revival is a movement to restore understanding and devotion to this great mystery here in the United States by helping us renew our worship of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist."
(www.eucharisticrevival.org)

St. Michael School is responding to this Eucharistic Revival by reclaiming a tradition in our school that has been lost in the last few years - that of dressing up and wearing our best uniforms on Fridays and all other days that we attend Mass.

Dressing differently on days that we go to Mass signals to ourselves and others that there is something unique and special about those days and what we are doing. It signifies that those days and we on those days are set apart as holy.

For 4th-8th Grade girls on Fridays and all other Mass days, this means wearing their skirts/skortis with traditional oxford long or short sleeve shirts/blouses along with dress shoes and appropriate socks or hosiery, depending on the time of the year. Cardigans, sweaters, and sweater vests can also be worn on Mass days and are strongly encouraged, especially in the colder weather months, as students take their coats off during Mass.

Shoes, Socks, and Hosiery

Girls may wear the following shoes, socks, and hosiery:

- ◆ Black, brown, navy, or saddle closed-toe dress shoes (with a back and a heel no higher than 1") or any appropriate colored sneakers
- ◆ Solid color socks or knee highs in dark green, white, or navy that are visible above shoe and cover ankle
- ◆ Solid color white, navy or dark green tights (not leggings)



November - March Optional Attire:

- ◆ Solid color leggings with socks (white, navy, or dark green) may be worn under uniform skirts or skortis

Note:

- ◆ Sneakers should be worn or brought to change into on days that students have scheduled Gym class
- ◆ Snow boots may not be worn during the school day

ACCESSORIES

Accessories such as headbands, button ties, scrunchies, bows, etc., are in no way necessary. They are simply fun ways to add SMS style to the girls' uniforms! Check out www.schoolbelles.com



St. Michael School

4th-8th Grade Girls Uniform Guide



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BEST GEAR FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR.
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SCHOOLBELLES UNIFORMS

Since 1989, St. Michael School (SMS) has used Schoolbelles as our uniform provider. Our Navy/Green Polyester Plaid-854 has become recognizable in the Greenville community as being synonymous with SMS.

Girls' Wrap Around Pleated Skirts are made in such a way that they can grow with the girl from 4th-8th Grade. The buttons at the waist and side tab can be moved and resown and the hem let down (about 3 inches) as the girl gets taller. Two Kick Pleated Skirts and Side Pleat Skorts with Knit Shorts have also been added to the SMS 4th-8th Grade uniform closet.



We have found these uniforms to be both attractive and durable. Parents over the years have found that by washing the skirts/skorts and hanging them up to dry increases the skirts'/skorts' life as opposed to putting them in the dryer. In addition to being sold on the Schoolbelles website, SMS has a number of skirts for sale at \$20 each. Throughout the year, we also hold uniform exchanges among families.

KNIT SHIRTS

4th-8th Grade girls may wear the following **Knit shirts, with or without the SMS logo (0743), on all days but those on which we attend Mass. Shirts may be Navy-15, White-17, or Dark Green-19:

- ◆ A+ Pique Polo Short (#5705)/Long (#5706) Sleeve
- ◆ A+ Ribbed Bottom Short (#5708)/Long (#5709) Sleeve
- ◆ A+ Fitted Pique Polo Short Sleeve (#5730)
- ◆ Kaynee Wicking Polo Short Sleeve (#5751)
- ◆ Real School Pique Polo Short Sleeve (#8710)
- ◆ Pique Knit Short (#5705)/Long (#5706) Sleeve
- ◆ Ribbed Bottom Short (#5708)/Long (5709) Sleeve

**These items need not be purchased through Schoolbelles, but through any store that carries a uniform line.

OXFORDS, BLOUSES

4th-8th Grade girls may wear the following White-17 **Oxford shirts (and are required to wear them on Fridays and Mass days):

- ◆ Traditional Oxford Short Sleeve (#1770)
- ◆ Traditional Oxford Long Sleeve (#1771)

SKIRTS, SKORTS

Schoolbelles offers three choices of *skirts/skorts, all with our Navy/Green Polyester Plaid-854:

- ◆ Two Kick Pleated Skirt (#1521)
- ◆ Wrap Around Kilt Skirt (#1525)
- ◆ Side Pleat Skort with Knit Short (#1533)

*When wearing skirts, girls should wear some kind of modesty shorts underneath.

SWEATERS, FLEECE

All students may wear the following sweaters and fleeces in Navy-15 or Dark Green-19:

- ◆ Classroom Cardigan Sweater (#8912)
- ◆ Classroom V-Neck Sweater (#8993)
- ◆ Classroom Sweater Vest (#8994)
- ◆ ***Microfleece 1/2 Zip Pullover (#2395)
- ◆ ***Microfleece Jacket (#2396)

***Optional: add the SMS logo (0743)



PANTS

Pants may be worn on non-Mass days in either Navy-15 or Khaki-27:

- ◆ Value Stretch Narrow (#8263)
 - ◆ Classroom Straight Leg Pant (#8364)
- Solid color brown or black belts are required in Grades 4-8.

SHORTS

Shorts may be worn on non-Mass days in August-October and April-June in either Navy-15 or Khaki-27:

- ◆ Stretch Narrow Leg Shorts (#8273)
- ◆ Value Bermuda Shorts (#8277)

