

UNIFORM / DRESS CODE

At St. Leo Catholic School, the uniform is a sign for all of us that we work together to learn. It is a part of Catholic School tradition. When students put on their uniform each day, we encourage them to offer prayers of thanksgiving for all Catholic schools and honor their Catholic heritage.

We strive to have a uniform that is neat, comfortable for learning and durable, yet reasonably priced and accessible. Uniforms are worn in schools and occupations to show a unity of purpose and dedication to the job.

At all times, parents must use their best judgment. If a student is inappropriately dressed at any time, he or she will be asked to call home for an official uniform. The student will wait in the office while waiting for a change of clothes. The decision of the principal is final.

The approved uniform is to be worn during the school year and may be purchased through Lands' End (www.landsend.com - log in with our St. Leo Code 900131673).

FRIDAY DRESS UNIFORM

The Friday Dress Uniform is to be worn every Friday.





Boys: K - 5th Grade

- Pants: Long navy pants
- Shirts: Solid white <u>dress</u> shirt that will accommodate a tie. The only logo permitted is the SLCS monogram.
- Tie: Classic solid navy tie or classic navy/evergreen tie (L.E. only) *No bow ties permitted*.
- Shoes: Solid black or brown <u>dress</u> shoes. No sneakers, athletic shoes, or canvas shoes.
- Socks: Solid white, navy, gray, black, forest green or khaki socks. Socks must be above the ankle at all times.
- Belts: Must wear Black or Brown Belt.

Boys: 6th - 8th Grade

- Pants: Long khaki pants
- Shirts: Solid white <u>dress</u> shirt that will accommodate a tie. The only logo permitted is the SLCS monogram.
- Tie: Classic solid navy tie or classic navy/evergreen tie (L.E. only) *No bow ties permitted.*
- Shoes: Solid black or brown <u>dress</u> shoes. No sneakers, athletic shoes, or canvas shoes.
- Socks: Solid white, navy, gray, black, forest green or khaki socks. Socks must be above the ankle at all times.
- Belts: Must wear Black or Brown Belt.

FRIDAY DRESS UNIFORM



Girls: Kindergarten - 5th Grade

- Kilts: 5th Only: Classic Navy/Evergreen plaid no shorter than 3 inches above the knees.
- Jumpers: K-4th: Classic Navy/Evergreen plaid no shorter than 3 inches above the knees.
- Shirts: Solid white collared polo shirt, solid white turtleneck, or solid white collared blouse. The only logo permitted is the SLCS monogram.
- Shoes: Solid black, navy, or brown <u>dress</u> shoes. Shoes must have backs and toes enclosed. *No sneakers*, *athletic shoes*, *or canvas shoes*.
- Socks: Solid white, navy, gray, black or forest green socks, knee socks, or tights. Socks must be above the ankle at all times.
- Sweaters: Solid white, green or navy. The only logo permitted is the SLCS monogram.



GIRLS: 6TH - 8TH GRADE

- Kilts: Classic Navy/Evergreen plaid no shorter than 3 inches above the knees.
- Shirts: Solid white collared polo shirt, solid white turtleneck, or solid white collared blouse. The only logo permitted is the SLCS monogram.
- Shoes: Solid black, navy, or brown <u>dress</u> shoes. Shoes must have backs and toes enclosed. *No sneakers, athletic shoes, or canvas shoes.*
- Socks: Solid white, navy, gray, black or forest green socks, knee socks, or tights. Socks must be above the ankle at all times.
- Sweaters: Solid white, green or navy. The only logo permitted is the SLCS monogram.

GIRLS: K - 5TH GRADE



Shorts:	Navy shorts no shorter than 3 inches above the knees. (Skorts and capris are permitted)
Pants:	Navy Pants
Kilts:	5th Only: Classic Navy/Evergreen plaid no shorter than 3 inches above the knees.
Skirt:	Navy skirt, no shorter than 3 inches above the knees.
Jumpers:	K-4th: Classic Navy/Evergreen plaid no shorter than 3 inches above the knees.
Shirts:	Collared white, evergreen or gray heather polo-style shirt, white blouse, dress shirt or turtleneck. No logos permitted other than the SLCS monogram.
Belts:	Black or brown belt with shorts/pants.
Socks:	Solid white, navy, gray, black, forest green. Socks must be above the ankle at all times. Girls may wear knee socks or tights.
Shoes:	Black or brown dress shoes with backs and toes enclosed or solid black, navy, gray, or white athletic shoes or canvas shoes. <i>*See clarifications on Shoes</i>
Sweatshirt/Sweater:	L.E. evergreen with SLCS monogram or a solid white, green or navy sweater. No outerwear permitted.

Boys: K - 5th Grade



- Shorts: Navy shorts no shorter than 3 inches above the knees.
- Pants: Navy Pants
- Shirts: Solid white, evergreen or gray heather collared polo-style shirt or white dress shirt. No logos permitted other than the SLCS monogram.
- Belts: Black or brown belt with shorts/pants.
- **Socks:** Solid white, navy, gray, black, or forest green. Socks must be above the ankle at all times.
- Shoes: Black or brown dress shoes with backs and toes enclosed or solid black, navy, gray, or white athletic shoes or canvas shoes. High top shoes are not permitted. *See clarifications on Shoes
- Sweatshirt: L.E. evergreen with SLCS monogram. No outerwear permitted.

Girls: 6th - 8th Grade



Shorts:	Khaki shorts no shorter than 3 inches above the knees. (Skorts and capris are permitted)
Pants:	Khaki Pants
Kilts & Skirts:	Classic Navy/Evergreen plaid or khaki, no shorter than 3 inches above the knees.
Shirts:	Collared white, evergreen or gray heather polo-style shirt, white blouse, dress shirt or turtleneck. No logos permitted other than the SLCS monogram.
Belts:	Black or brown belt with shorts/pants.
Socks:	Solid white, navy, gray, black, forest green. Socks must be above the ankle at all times. Girls may wear knee socks or tights.
Shoes:	Black or brown dress shoes with backs and toes enclosed or solid black, navy, gray, or white athletic shoes or canvas shoes. * <i>See clarifications on Shoes</i>
Sweatshirt/Sweater:	L.E. evergreen with SLCS monogram or a solid white, green or navy sweater. No outerwear permitted.

BOYS: 6TH - 8TH GRADE



- Shorts: Khaki shorts no shorter than 3 inches above the knees.
- Pants: Khaki Pants
- Shirts: Solid white, evergreen or gray heather collared polo-style shirt or white dress shirt. No logos permitted other than the SLCS monogram.
- Belts: Black or brown belt with shorts/pants.
- **Socks:** Solid white, navy, gray, black, forest green or khaki. Socks must be above the ankle at all times.
- Shoes: Black or brown dress shoes with backs and toes enclosed or solid black, navy, gray, or white athletic shoes or canvas shoes. High top shoes are not permitted. **See clarifications on Shoes*
- Sweatshirt: L.E. evergreen with SLCS monogram. No outerwear permitted.

UNIFORM FOR PHYSICAL FITNESS (Year Round)



T-shirts:	Lands' End gray t-shirt with SLCS logo.	Socks:	Solid white, navy, gray, black, or forest green. Socks must be above the ankle at all times.
Sweatshirts:	Lands' End evergreen or pewter heather sweatshirt with SLCS logo.	Shoes:	Athletic shoes with backs and toes enclosed.
Sweatpants:	Lands' End evergreen sweatpants.	Shorts:	Lands' End black shorts.

COSMETICS / JEWELRY

- Make-Up is prohibited for K-5 students.
- Understated/natural make-up is permitted for middle school students; only clear nail polish is permitted; artificial or colored nails are prohibited.
- Girls only: One set of single stud earrings are permitted. For safety, no dangle earrings are permitted.
- Body piercings are prohibited
- Religious medals may be worn, but other necklaces/chokers and jewelry are prohibited.

HAIR

- Should be clean, neatly trimmed, combed and natural color with no dyes.
- Boys' hair should be cut so that it is above the eyebrows, ear and not over the shirt collar.
- Boys should be clean-shaven.

CLARIFICATIONS

Uniform clarifications apply to regular uniform and out-of-uniform days.

- Special Dress Codes for May Crowning and other events are required.
- All boots are prohibited for the May Crowning ceremony.
- On Out of Uniform days, students are expected to follow the requirement for hair, cosmetics and jewelry. This expectation includes jeans, pants and shorts free of tears or holes or stains.
- Solid white t-shirts or undershirts are acceptable under uniform shirts. No other colors or writing on the undershirt is acceptable.
- Our SLCS logo is the only monogram acceptable on shirts/sweatshirts/ sweaters.
- Outerwear is prohibited in class including St. Leo Athletics, spiritwear, and fundraising items.
- Undergarments should not be seen; immodest clothing is prohibited. Leggings and skin tight clothes are prohibited. Shoulders should always be covered.
- Regular uniform shirts/blouses should be tucked in at all times.
- Shoes: Sandals and flip-flops and flashing ("light up") shoes are prohibited for safety reasons at all times. High top shoes (defined as extending up over the ankle) are not permitted. Shoe coloring for non-dress shoes should be no more than two-tone with primary color being black, navy, gray, or white.

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