

NEWLY REVISED DRESS ATTIRE

Holy Family School System LaSalle Middle School Dress Attire Grades 5-8

The purpose of the dress code is to promote a sense of pride and community among students attending Holy Family School System. We expect all students and parents to abide by the following guidelines. Parents of students in violation of the school attire guidelines will be notified.

Pants/Slacks:

- solid color in navy, gray, tan, brown or black
- corduroy, twill or dress pant material
- ankle length
- worn at the waist
- belts must be worn if there are belt loops on the pants
- no leggings allowed

Shorts/skorts/capris:

- solid color in navy, gray, tan, brown or black
- length is to be longer than mid-thigh
- no leggings allowed
- permitted in the months of August/September and May/June only

Shirts/Blouses:

- collared dress shirts, turtlenecks, or mock turtlenecks
- shirts must have sleeves
- no denim or flannel allowed
- must be buttoned one button or one inch from the top
- no bare midriffs
- **must be tucked in**

Sweaters:

- dress sweaters, cardigans, sweater vests are acceptable
- must be worn with a collared shirt or turtleneck beneath
- cardigan sweater may have a single-zipper
- no outerwear or outerwear fleece may be worn during the school day
- no hoods allowed
- approved LaSalle pull-over allowed

Shoes:

- only closed toe and heel shoes are allowed
- socks must be worn at all times
- no boots allowed during the school day
- no Heeley shoes allowed

Skirts:

- skirts are not allowed

Head Gear:

- no hats, caps, or other head coverings allowed during the school day

Miscellaneous:

- no dangling or excessive earrings allowed
- only mascara, blush and clear lip gloss allowed (female students only)
- no inappropriate hair color or extreme hair styles allowed

Free-Dress/Spirit Days:

- silver, black, blue, green, Holy Family, LaSalle, or Xavier shirts are permitted on Spirit Day
- jeans and sweat pants are acceptable
- NO tops with inappropriate slogans allowed
- Free dress days are usually the 2nd Friday of the month (check school calendar)
- Spirit Day is the last Friday of the month
- no free dress on Liturgy days.
- students who comply with dress code regulations may earn a free dress day.

Penalties:

Students in violation of the school attire guidelines will be given demerits-this includes the untucking of shirts. When 3 demerits are acquired, a detention will be issued. Parent contact will be made if frequent violations are observed. Parents may be asked to bring a change of clothing if necessary.

Final decisions about the appropriateness/inappropriateness rests with the school administration.