Student Dress Code

The Dress Code of St. Charles Borromeo School applies to all students in grades Kindergarten through 8th grade. Transitional kindergarten students may wear play clothes to school, but jeans and sandals are not allowed.

Conservative dress is encouraged and students are expected to avoid extremes in hair, clothing and accessories. Hats may only be worn by permission. Clothing, accessories, jewelry or any items which promote alcohol, tobacco, illicit drugs, violence, illicit organizations or anything inappropriate to a Catholic school environment are not permitted. Also banned are any items with language, pictures or symbols that are sexually explicit or which pertain to or can be interpreted as pertaining to any of the above restricted categories. The Dress Code applies during the school day and to all occasions when students are in school-sponsored activities or represent St. Charles. The administration reserves the right to make the final decision on appropriateness. St. Charles School recommends that uniform attire be purchased from Educational Apparel which comes to the school for sales.

https://www.educationalapparel.com/shop-by-school/st-charles-kettering-13/ http://deuceshirts.com/st-charles-spirit-wear/ (Spirit Store Items) https://www.landsend.com Account 900037912

Dress Code for Students					
	Grade	Item	Description	Color	
Belts	Grades 1 to 8	Belts	Beits are to be worn with slacks and shorts. Plain leather, vinyl or cloth.	Solid navy blue, or solid black.	
Socks	Grades K to 8	Socks must be worn at all times.	Plan crew, ankle or knee high styles	Solid black, navy blue or white.	
Tights	Girls in grades K to 8	Tights	Plain solid tights that reach the ankle may be worn during cold weather.	White or navy blue.	
Shoes	Grades K to 8	Gym/athletic shoes are required and must be worn at all times. Students are not permitted to wear boots during the school day. Boots should only be worn in times of inclement weather to and from school.	Clean and appropriate styles. Open toe or open back shoes are not allowed. Shoes should not have a rollover toe, such as a Keen. On special dress days students may wear dress shoes.		
Jewelry	Grades K to 8	Jewelry	Single Earring in each ear lobe are permissible and must be small studs and not dangle below the ear lobe. Small rings, wristwatches and small jewelry pieces or medals are allowed. Other jewelry is not allowed. Boys are not permitted to wear earrings.		
Make-up	Grades K to 8	Make-up	Body make-up, tattoos and lipstick are not allowed. Face make-up and nail polish are strongly discouraged. Strong perfumes are not permitted.		
Hairstyles	Grades K to 8	Hairstyles	Extreme hairstyles, hair carvings, adornments and artificial hair colors are not permitted. Boys' hair length may reach to the shirt collar and must be out of student's eyes. Students with artificially dyed hair may be required to take corrective action prior to their return to school.		

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Grade	Item	Description	Color
Grades K to 8	Knit polo shirt	Cotton blend or Cotton performance mesh knits with collar and placket button front. Long or short sleeves. May have school logo.	White o Light Blue
Grades K to 8	Sweatshirt is never	Approved Uniform School Sweatshirt	
ST. CHARLES	worn alone. May only be worn over a	purchased through Spirit Store.	
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Grades K to 8	Sweater Is never worn alone. It is only worn over a uniform polo shirt	Plain knit with long sleeves. Cardigan or pullover style with V-neck or crewneck.	Navy Blue
Grades K to 8	Track Jackets, Fleece jackets	Only Track Jackets or fleece jackets purchased at the Spirit Store.	
	Grades K to 8 Grades K to 8 Grades K to 8 Grades K to 8	Grades K to 8 Grades K to 8 Sweatshirt is never worn alone. May only be worn over a uniform top Grades K to 8 Grades K to 8 Track Jackets, Fleece isolected.	Grades K to 8 Grades

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	Grades K to 8	Slacks	Cotton or	Navy
Slacks and Shorts Insignias, emblems, decorations, labels, patterns, embroidery, grommets or designs are not allowed. Slacks and shorts must fit and be an appropriate size, never too tight or too loose. Cargo shorts and pants are not acceptable			cotton/poly blend twill. Traditional, tailored, straight-leg style with pleated or flat front, with or without cuffs. May have two front pockets (with or without watch pocket) and two welt-style pockets in back. Jeans-style slacks are not allowed. Tapered slacks that fit the ankle are not	Blue
			acceptable	
	Grades K to 8	Shorts - length to the knee.	Cotton or cotton/poly blend twill. Traditional, tailored, walkingstyle shorts with pleated or flat front, wan or without curfs. May have two front pockets (with or without watch pocket) and two welt-style pockets in back. Jeans-style shorts are not allowed.	Navy Blue
Skirt	Girls in grades 4 to 8	Uniform skirt	Shirt hems reach to the knee.	Blue and gray St. Charles plaid or Navy.
Skort	Girls K-8	Uniform		Navy
		Skort		Blue
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Jumper	Girls in grades K to 4	Uniform jumper	Jumper hems reach to the top of the knee to just below the knee.	Blue and gray St. Charles
			the knee.	plaid
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Physical Education Uniform

Students in grades 3-8 will wear the St. Charles School PE Shorts available in the school Spirit Store with any school logo t-shirt. Socks, and gym shoes or athletic shoes are to be worn. Sweat pants may be worn on cold weather days. The uniform shirt and uniform shorts may not be worn for physical education.

Students in grades K-2 will come to school on designated PE days in appropriate shorts, t-shirt, socks and gym/athletic shoes.

