

Students in Grades K-8 wear the school uniform during the entire school year, beginning with the first day of school. Any exceptions will be communicated by the Principal or Assistant Principal in advance. Plaid uniform items are available at Milagro School Uniforms and Land's End (Clear Blue Plaid). (Milagros: Address: 132 W 9th St, Erie, PA 16501) Other uniform items may be purchased at any Department Store (Target, Walmart, Boscov's, etc.).

Dress Code 2025-2026 (Kindergarten-8th Grade)

PRESCHOOL ONLY: Wear play clothes and sneakers every day!

Girls Uniforms:

- Traditional plaid uniform jumper (Grades K-3)
- Traditional plaid uniform skort or skirt (Grades K-8)
- Navy blue shorts (All Grades)
- Navy blue dress slacks (All Grades) -No leggings
- Navy blue polo- long or short-sleeved (Grades K-8)
- Navy Blue (ONLY) School-logo sweatshirts-1/4 zip or crewneck (All Grades) NO HOODIES/NO SPIRIT WEAR
- Navy blue or white cardigan
- Skirts, skorts, jumpers, and shorts must fall below the fingertips in length.
- Closed-toe leather-type dress shoes or canvas shoes with a heel no higher than 1 inch; white, tan, brown, navy, or black- plain with no patterns or extra colors- NO sneakers, NO UGGS/moccasins, NO Crocs, NO boots **Kindergarten ONLY are permitted to wear sneakers every day**
- White, navy, or black socks- ankle, crew, or knee high (no-show socks, stripes, or patterns are not permitted)
- White or navy blue tights (no leggings)

Boys Uniforms:

- Navy blue pants (All Grades)
- Navy blue shorts (All Grades)
- Light blue polo- long or short-sleeved (Grades K-8)
- Navy Blue (ONLY) School-logo sweatshirts-1/4 zip or crewneck (All Grades) NO HOODIES/NO SPIRIT WEAR
- Closed-toe leather-type dress shoes or canvas shoes with a heel no higher than 1 inch; white, tan, brown, navy, or black- plain with no patterns or extra colors- NO sneakers, NO UGGS/moccasins, NO Crocs, NO boots **Kindergarten ONLY are permitted to wear sneakers every day**
- White, navy, or black socks- ankle, crew, or knee high (no-show socks, stripes, or patterns are not permitted)

School Sweatshirt Link: https://www.companycasuals.com/OLPUniforms/start.jsp

**All Students: Shirts must always be tucked in unless a banded shirt is worn.



Physical Education Uniform

The standard gym uniform for Grades K through 8 consists of a school-specific gym shirt, shorts, and sweatpants. This is MANDATORY in order to participate in Physical Education class. Gym shirts and shorts can be purchased at the following school site:

https://www.companycasuals.com/OLPGYM/start.jsp

- School-logo shorts
- Navy or grey school-logo sweatpants or solid grey or navy (no logos)
- Solid color socks (white, navy, or black)
- Clean sneakers (any color)

Hair

- <u>Boys</u>: Students are expected to have neatly trimmed hair that falls above the eyebrows and collar. Hair cannot impair one's vision in the instructional environment. It is also expected that one's hair is of a natural color and styled tastefully and appropriately. Extreme hairstyles are not permitted. No Mohawks, mullets, rat tails, etc.
- <u>Girls</u>: Students are expected to have neatly styled hair that does not cover one's eyes/face, which impairs the instructional environment. It is also expected that one's hair is of a natural color and styled tastefully and appropriately. Extreme hairstyles are not permitted. Hair accessories must be simple, tasteful, and not distracting in color or size.

Make-up and Nail Polish

Students can wear minimal and tasteful make-up. Students wearing an abundance of make-up or very dark make-up will be required to remove it. Female students are also permitted to wear lightly colored nail polish. Nails are to be of moderate length. Acrylic nails are not permitted. Students wearing dark or very bright-colored nail polish will be required to remove it.

Accessories

- <u>Boys</u>: The following accessories are acceptable: A wristwatch, one thin bracelet, one ring, and a thin gold or silver chain. Male students are permitted to wear studded earrings.
- **Girls:** The following accessories are acceptable: A wristwatch, one bracelet, one ring, a thin gold or silver chain, and stud-style earrings. Girls are permitted to wear small hoops or dangle.
- Smart Watches are allowed but <u>must</u> remain in School Mode when students are in the building. Failure to comply could lead to this privilege being revoked.



All Students: Students are not permitted to wear facial jewelry of any kind, including nose, lip, or eyebrow piercings.

Dress Down Days

Throughout the year, on designated days, students are permitted to dress down. Students are often asked to donate at least \$1.00 for the privilege of dressing down. The monies collected are donated to a local charity, mission, or other worthy causes.

- Skirts, skorts, and shorts must fall below the fingertips in length.
- No spaghetti-strapped shirts or dresses.
- All shirts must be long enough so that the midriff is not showing when you raise your hands.
- Shirts must cover the posterior if leggings are worn.
- No backless shoes, Crocs, sandals/flip-flops, or UGGS/moccasins.

Spiritwear Link: https://www.companycasuals.com/OLPCustom/start.jsp

Dress Down Day clothing should be acceptable and appropriate for a Catholic school student. Modesty and self-respect should be observed. Any messages on clothing should be appropriate and positive.

Failure to comply with the dress code will result in a phone call home for a change of clothes, a write-up, and/or dress-down privileges being revoked.