

School uniform

All students attending St. Benedict must be in full uniform while on school property and while representing St. Benedict in the community. We expect our school uniform to be worn proudly and neatly. As well, we ask parents or guardians to support our school in affirming this policy. A student will not be admitted to class if he or she is not in proper uniform. If a student is not admitted to class, he or she will be responsible for all work missed.

The uniform consists of the following:

Bottom:

- Tartan kilt or navy short – must be worn with navy, hunter green or white knee socks or tights. The length must be a maximum of 3 cm above the knee, if hemmed. The administration reserves the right to determine the appropriateness of the kilt length.
- Navy flat front dress or casual pant – if the pant is not purchased at McCarthy's, it must be of the same material, style, and colour. It is to be worn at the waist.
- Navy dress pant or navy short – if they are not purchased at McCarthy's, it must be of the same material, style and colour. It is to be worn at the waist.

Top:

- White French-cut blouse (embroidered) – this blouse is tapered at the hip and does not have to be tucked in
- Navy or hunter green golf shirt (short or long sleeve) – this shirt does not have to be tucked in
- Rugby shirt (crested) – does not have to be tucked in
- Crew neck long sleeve knitted sweater (crested) – a white undershirt may be worn underneath this sweater
- Crew neck quarter zip sweatshirt (crested) – a white undershirt may be worn underneath this sweatshirt
- Zip sweatshirt (crested) – a plain white shirt or blouse is to be worn underneath
- V-neck cardigan – the white blouse or t-shirt is to be worn underneath.
- White oxford shirt – this shirt is to be tucked in at all times

Footwear

Dress or running shoes must be solid black in colour and closed at the heel and toes. They must have flat non-marking soles, low heels (not to exceed 4 cm in height), and black laces. Black ankle boots are also permitted. Shoes that are or resemble slippers, sandals, or boots are not permitted.

Other uniform requirements

- T-shirt worn under blouses and shirts is to be solid white
- Any article of clothing that is ripped, torn, or stained is not acceptable
- Footwear must be worn at all times
- Administration reserves the right to determine the appropriateness of all non-school uniform items