

UNIFORM

The uniform policy at St. James Academy is an expression of classic good taste with a long tradition of excellence. Wearing a uniform is a privilege and sets a standard for appropriate behavior. Parents are strongly encouraged to maintain student uniforms in a **good state of repair!**

Uniforms for boys and girls may be purchased through:

Flynn & O'Hara (local - order in store, by phone, or www.flynnohara.com)

8868 Waltham Woods Road 410-828-4709 (store)

Parkville, MD 21234 800-441-4122 (by phone)

Girls in Grades PreKindergarten – 5

1. Navy plaid jumper with white Peter Pan collar blouse, long or short sleeves, or plain white turtleneck with SJA monogram
2. Navy SJA cardigan or navy crewneck/hooded SJA sweatshirt
3. Navy tights, navy knee-highs, navy leggings, or **white crew socks to cover ankles**; navy bloomers, navy leggings, SJA boxers, or gym shorts must be worn under jumper
4. PreKindergarten and Kindergarten – White Tennis Shoes
First - Fifth Grade – Tan tie Oxford Buck suede dress shoes (below the ankle) with smooth soles
5. Optional for cold weather: navy leggings or SJA sweatpants may be worn to and from school and during recess, but may not be worn in the classroom.
6. Optional for hot weather in September through mid-October and mid-April through June: khaki shorts, brown leather belt. Peter Pan collar blouse or white knit SJA polo (short-sleeved), and white crew socks
7. Gym uniforms are not required for PreKindergarten and Kindergarten, however it is optional for PreKindergarten and Kindergarten students to wear the SJA gym uniform on Fridays only

Boys in Grades PreKindergarten - 5

1. Khaki pants - light tan, permanent press, with white SJA turtleneck or white knit SJA polo shirt (long or short sleeves) - shirts are to be tucked in at all times
2. Navy V-neck SJA sweater or navy crewneck/hooded SJA sweatshirt
3. Brown leather belt (Optional for Kindergarten through January) PreKindergarten students should not wear a belt
4. **White or navy socks to cover ankles**
5. PreKindergarten and Kindergarten – White Tennis Shoes
First - Fifth Grade – Tan tie Oxford Buck suede dress shoes (below the ankle) with smooth soles
6. Optional for hot weather in September through mid-October and mid- April through June - Khaki, pleated shorts (no cargo or baggy shorts) with white SJA polo shirt (short-sleeved) and **white crew socks to cover ankles**
7. Gym uniforms are not required for PreKindergarten and Kindergarten, however it is optional for PreKindergarten and Kindergarten students to wear the SJA gym uniform on Fridays only

Girls in Grades 6 - 8

1. Navy plaid skirt - hemmed to **a conservative length** (measure no more than 3” above the knee) with yellow Oxford blouse, yellow SJA knit blouse, or white SJA turtleneck
2. Navy or red SJA cardigan sweater, navy crewneck/hooded SJA sweatshirt or hooded SJA athletic jacket
3. Navy tights, navy knee-highs, navy leggings, or SJA sweatpants or athletic pants; navy bloomers or SJA gym shorts must be worn under skirt; girls may wear **white crew socks to cover ankles**
4. Tan tie Oxford Buck suede dress shoes (below the ankle) with smooth soles
5. Optional for hot weather in September through mid-October and mid-April through June – Khaki shorts or skorts, brown leather belt, navy or red SJA polo and white crew socks **to cover ankles**

Boys in Grades 6 – 8

1. Khaki twill trousers with **pastel** blue, pink, or yellow Oxford dress shirts (long or short sleeved) - shirts must be tucked in at all times
2. Navy or red SJA cardigan sweater, navy crewneck/hooded SJA sweatshirt, or hooded SJA athletic jacket
3. Brown leather belt
4. Tie (uniform regimental and other conservative choice), brown leather belt, navy or white socks **to cover ankles**. (Regimental tie must be worn for pictures, special occasions, and graduation)
5. Tan tie Oxford Buck leather or suede dress shoes (below the ankle) with smooth soles
6. Optional for hot weather in September through mid-October and mid-April through June- Khaki shorts (no cargo or baggy shorts), brown leather belt, navy or red SJA polo shirt and white crew socks **to cover ankles**

ALL ITEMS OF CLOTHING SHOULD BE CLEARLY MARKED WITH STUDENT'S NAME.