

SHANLEY UNIFORM POLICY 2021-2022

The purpose of the Shanley High School uniform policy is to support a safe and disciplined learning environment, limit external distractions to learning, encourage positive student behavior and modesty, lessen the impact of socioeconomic differences, and encourage students to experience a greater sense of school identity and belonging.

General Information: Upon entering the school building, all students will follow the uniform policy until the end of the school day. Students in violation of the uniform code will be asked to conform. Students who are not or will not conform to the policy will not be admitted into the classroom and will be sent to the school principal for appropriate action, which may include sending the student home to change clothes. The principal has the final decision on what meets the uniform policy. Senior privileges will not exclude students from following this policy. **Deacon Den apparel is not uniform approved.**

BASE Layer: Items may be purchased at any store, vendor, or the JPII uniform site.

Polo Shirt: Long or Short Sleeve	Solid Color: Red or White
Oxford Shirt: Long or Short Sleeve	Solid Color: White only
Pants & Shorts: Dockers Style (shorts NOT permitted Dec-Feb)	Solid Color: Navy Blue or Khaki
Skirt/Skort: (tights or leggings are required Dec-Feb)	Solid Color: Plaid: Classic Navy (red)

Notes for Shirts & Tops

- Shirts are to be collared with buttons and not have any emblems or logos on them. Only top button undone
- Solid white or red t-shirts may be worn under polo or oxford style shirts (no logos or emblems on the t-shirts)
- Shirts must not be tight or form-fitted and must be tucked in at all times. No undergarments showing
- Polo shirts are to be cotton, cotton blend or polyester performance blend
- Polo shirts with buttons only - no zippers, snaps, or clasps

Notes for Pants & Shorts

- NO FORM-FITTING pants allowed. **NO JEGGINGS**
- **Docker style pants** and must have a finished hem
- Belts are encouraged but not required
- Pants/shorts styles are to have a waistband and must be worn at the waist, with no rips/holes
- **No jean style, yoke stitching or rivets on the pants, as appears on jeans or colored jeans**
- **Docker style walking shorts** only with a finished hem, not below the knee or not more than 4" above the knee

Notes for Skirts

- Skirts must be worn no more than 4" above the knee.
- Leggings & Tights are to be SOLID ONLY black, grey, navy blue, red or white. NO patterns allowed

OUTER Layer: Items may be purchased at any store, vendor, or the JPII uniform site.

Sweaters: Crew Neck, V-Neck, or Cardigan	Solid Color: Navy Blue or Red – w/ JPII logo
Sweatshirts: Crew Neck only (unisex)	Solid Color: Red – w/ JPII logo
Fleece Jacket: Full or ¼ Zip (unisex)	Solid Color: Black – w/ JPII logo

Notes for Outer Layer

- A Base Layer item must be worn under the Outer Layer
- Deacon Den apparel is not dress code approved
- No hoods

Clarifications about Clothing and Appearance

- **School Day Dress:** Upon entering the building, all students must follow the dress code guidelines until the end of the school day or until the last bell has rung
- **Shoes and Socks:** Socks must be worn with all shoes or sandals during Dec – Feb
- **Socks:** Visible socks must be solid Navy Blue, Black, Red or White
- **Hair:** Hairstyles that draw attention are prohibited, color must be of a natural color
- **Boy's Hair:** Hairstyle should be off the eyebrow and off the collar
- **Facial Hair:** All boys must be clean-shaven, and sideburns cannot extend past the earlobe
- **Accessories:** Such as jewelry may be worn as long as they do not distract from the uniform or be distracting to others. **No facial jewelry allowed.**
- **Fitting:** All clothing must be appropriately sized for the student. **No over-sized or under-sized clothing will be allowed**
- **Hat/Headwear:** No hats/headwear during the school day
- **Non-Uniform Day:** Non-uniform days will be designated on the monthly school calendar. Students are to wear clothing appropriate for the school environment on those days. No oversized or undersized clothing will be allowed
 - No clothing that promotes disrespect of the Catholic faith or the teachings of the Church
 - No clothing or jewelry that displays or promotes the use of alcohol, drugs, or obscene language
 - No tank tops, spaghetti straps, low necklines, or bare midriff tops
 - Shoes **MUST** be worn
 - No yoga pants, tight fitting pants or pants with rips or with holes
 - All clothing must be appropriately sized for the student, neither over-sized nor form-fitting
 - Shorts, skirts, or dresses not more than 4" above the knee
 - No hats or hoods up

Clothes for PE Classes: Clothing permitted for physical education classes is by direction and at the discretion of the gym teacher.

- Shorts should be long enough to permit free movement
- Boxer shorts and yoga pants are not allowed
- Tee shirts and shorts cannot advertise alcohol, tobacco, display vulgar or inappropriate words, nor have images inconsistent with our Catholic faith

Events and Travel Attire: Students are representing St. John Paul II Catholic Schools in all aspects of student life and therefore need to act and dress respectfully. Appropriate and modest attire is an expectation on school trips, school sponsored events, and at co-curricular activities.

~~**Spirit Day Attire:** Friday us Shanley Spirit Day attire. Students may wear Shanley Deacons top with regular uniform pants. Shorts/skirts. Tops must be Shanley Deacons: t-shirt, sweatpants, or dress code Outer Layer.~~

The following are prohibited at Shanley High School during the school day:

- Wearing jackets or non-uniform outerwear.
- Tattoos visible.
- Piercing other than earrings.
- Wallet chains.

PLEASE NOTE: Uniform items may be ordered through the JP II uniform site at Globalschoolwear.com, school code JOHN05