

St. Bartholomew School

UNIFORM POLICY

2023-2024

St. Bartholomew School uniforms are purchased through Flynn and O’Hara. The company website for online ordering is: <http://flynnohara.com/>. Please specify St. Bartholomew School in East Brunswick when ordering. Their address is:

Flynn and O’Hara Uniforms
2145 Route 35
Holmdel, NJ 07733
(732)- 888-3885

Summer uniforms may be worn from the first day of school in September until October 31 and then from Easter until the last day of the school year. Except for those days on which the school has given permission for other attire, each student is required to wear a complete, clean uniform. Personal hygiene should be a cooperative effort between child and parent /guardian that results in cleanliness of body and apparel. Please be sure uniforms are clean, neat, and in good repair. All students should take pride in their appearance and dress properly for school, trips, and activities. The school is the student’s place of business and, as such, the administration has an educational responsibility to enforce the dress code regulations.

Shoes must be suitable for school. Shoes should be black, brown, tan, or navy blue. Unacceptable footwear includes platforms, sneakers, clogs, backless or toeless shoes, high heels, boots, and wheeled sneakers. Shoes should be tied at all times. Shirts must be tucked in at all times. Girls’ skirts are to be an appropriate length. Trousers, shorts, and skirts must be worn at the natural waist. Polo shirts and sweaters or vests without the school emblem are not permitted.

Girls may wear a pair of post earrings only. Any other body piercings are not permitted and may not be displayed by boys or girls. Boys may not wear earrings. Watches may be worn, but all noise devices must be turned off. Neither males nor females are permitted to wear “fad” hairstyles. The hair length for males must not extend beyond the top of the shirt collar. Inappropriate hair coloring is not permitted. The Administration reserves the right to determine the appropriateness of style or color. Make-up is not permitted. Nail polish should be light in color. Tattoos are not permitted.

The Administration and Faculty are aware that any dress code cannot cover all situations. We reserve the right to decide, in all circumstances, if the student’s dress is appropriate or unacceptable.

On occasion, including birthdays, students may be permitted an out-of-uniform day. We expect the attire to be appropriate, modest, well-fitting, and clean. No article of clothing should be excessively worn or soiled. Indecent or inappropriate writing or pictures on clothing is prohibited. Clothing must cover the body appropriately. For example, halter tops, transparent or mesh tops, bare midriff or shoulders, tank tops, shorts cut too short, etc. are not permitted. Flip flops, hats, and caps in school are not permitted. The Administration reserves the right to make the final decision regarding the appropriateness of student dress.

SPRING/SUMMER UNIFORM OPTIONS

GIRLS - KINDERGARTEN - GRADE 4

Plaid School Jumper - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: Long-sleeve or short-sleeve White Peter Pan collared blouse ONLY

White or Navy knee socks - (no stripes or logos)

Tan, Navy, Black or Brown shoes - No sneakers

or

Khaki School Skirt - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara ***(Spring/Summer Only)***

With: White or Navy knee socks - (no stripes or logos)

Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

or

Navy Polyester 4 Kick Pleat School Skirt - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: White or Navy knee socks - (no stripes or logos)

Tan, Navy, Black or Brown shoes - No sneakers

or

Khaki School Shorts - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara ***(Spring/Summer Only)***

With: White or Navy crew socks - (no stripes or logos)

Tan, Navy, Black or Brown shoes - No sneakers

or

Khaki School Pants - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: Tan, Navy, Black or Brown shoes - No sneakers

AND

Dark Navy or White short-sleeve "St. Bartholomew School" Polo Shirt - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

GIRLS - GRADES 5-8

Khaki School Skirt - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara ***(Spring/Summer Only)***

With: White or Navy knee socks - (no stripes or logos)

Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

or

Navy Polyester 4 Kick Pleat School Skirt - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: White or Navy knee socks - (no stripes or logos)

Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

or

Plaid School Skirt - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: White or Navy knee socks - (no stripes or logos)

Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

or

Khaki School Shorts - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara ***(Spring/Summer Only)***

With: White or Navy crew socks - (no stripes or logos)

Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

or

Khaki School Pants - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

AND

Dark Navy or White Short-Sleeve "St. Bartholomew School" Polo Shirt - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

SPRING/SUMMER UNIFORM OPTIONS (continued)

BOYS - KINDERGARTEN - GRADE 8

Khaki School Shorts - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara *(Spring/Summer Only)*

With: White or Navy blue crew socks - (no stripes or logos)

Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

or

Khaki School Pants - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

AND

Dark Navy or White short-sleeve "St. Bartholomew School" Polo Shirt - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

Fifth through 8th grade students (boys and girls) have the option of wearing the Flynn & O'Hara Navy blazer.

FALL/WINTER UNIFORM OPTIONS

GIRLS - KINDERGARTEN - GRADE 4

Plaid School Jumper - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: Long-sleeve or short-sleeve White Peter Pan collared blouse ONLY
Solid White or Navy knee socks or Solid Navy tights
Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

or

Navy Polyester 4 Kick Pleat School Skirt - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: Solid White or Navy knee socks or Solid Navy tights
Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

or

Khaki School Pants - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

AND

Dark Navy or White long-sleeve or short-sleeve "St. Bartholomew School" Polo Shirt - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

or

Long-sleeve or short-sleeve White Peter Pan collar blouse

With: Navy School Vest or Navy V-neck School Sweater or Navy School Cardigan when blouse is worn with school pants or Navy school skirt.

GIRLS - GRADES 5-8

Plaid School Skirt - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: Solid White or Navy knee socks or Solid Navy tights
Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

or

Navy Polyester 4 Kick Pleat School Skirt - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: Solid White or Navy knee socks or Solid Navy tights
Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

or

Khaki School Pants - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

AND

Dark Navy or White long-sleeve or short-sleeve "St. Bartholomew School" Polo Shirt - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

or

Long-sleeve or short-sleeve White button-down Oxford shirt

With: Navy School Vest or Navy V-neck School Sweater or Navy School Cardigan when blouse is worn with school pants or Navy or Plaid school skirt.

BOYS - KINDERGARTEN - GRADE 8

Khaki School Pants - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

AND

Dark Navy or White long-sleeve or short-sleeve "St. Bartholomew School" Polo Shirt - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

or

Long-sleeve or short-sleeve White button-down Oxford shirt

With: Navy School Vest or Navy V-neck School Sweater

YEAR ROUND OPTION

Navy Blue School Vest - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara
Navy Blue School V-Neck Sweater - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara
Navy Blue School Cardigan (girls) – purchased at Flynn & O'Hara
Both may be worn with Polo Shirt or button-downed shirt options.

No other outerwear may be worn during school hours, only the school vest, school sweater, or ¼ zip pullover with school logo purchased at spirit wear sale. The blazer may be worn for students in Grades 5 through 8.

FORMAL UNIFORM

On special occasions, including, but not limited to, special liturgies, students will be informed that they must wear the formal uniform. The formal uniform is as follows:

GIRLS - KINDERGARTEN – GRADE 4

Plaid School Jumper - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: Long-sleeve or short-sleeve white Peter Pan collared blouse ONLY
Solid Navy knee socks or Solid Navy tights
Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

or

Navy Polyester 4 Kick Pleat School Skirt - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: Long-sleeve or short-sleeve white Peter Pan collared blouse ONLY
Navy School Vest or Navy V-neck School Sweater or Navy School Cardigan
Solid Navy knee socks or Solid Navy tights
Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

or

Khaki School Pants - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: Long-sleeve or short-sleeve white Peter Pan collared blouse ONLY
Navy School Vest or Navy V-neck School Sweater or Navy School Cardigan
Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

GIRLS - GRADES 5-8

Plaid School Skirt - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: Long-sleeve or short-sleeve White button-down Oxford shirt
Navy School Vest or Navy V-neck School Sweater or Navy School Cardigan
Solid Navy knee socks or Solid Navy tights
Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

or

Navy Polyester 4 Kick Pleat School Skirt - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: Long-sleeve or short-sleeve White button-down Oxford shirt
Navy School Vest or Navy V-neck School Sweater or Navy School Cardigan
Solid Navy knee socks or Solid Navy tights
Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

or

Khaki School Pants - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: Long-sleeve or short-sleeve White button-down Oxford shirt
Navy School Vest or Navy V-neck School Sweater or Navy School Cardigan
Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

Flynn & O'Hara navy blazer may be worn by 5th through 8th grade students.

BOYS – KINDERGARTEN - GRADE 8

Khaki School Pants - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara

With: Tan, Navy, Black, or Brown shoes - No sneakers

AND

Long-sleeve or short-sleeve White button-down Oxford shirt

With: Navy School Vest or Navy V-neck School Sweater

AND

School Tie for Grades KINDERGARTEN-7 and appropriate tie of choice for Grade 8

NOTE: Flynn & O'Hara navy blazer may be worn by 5th through 8th grade students.

GYM UNIFORM

BOYS AND GIRLS - KINDERGARTEN - GRADE 8

Spring/Summer

Green T-shirt - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara
Green Gym Shorts - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara
White or Black Crew Socks - (no stripes or logos)
Sneakers**

Fall/Winter

Green Sweat-Shirt - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara
Green Sweat-Pants - purchased at Flynn & O'Hara
White or Black Crew Socks - (no stripes or logos)
Sneakers**

**Sneakers – Inappropriate designs, platforms, light-ups, high-tops, and wheelies are NOT permitted.

DRESS CODE REMINDERS

The following clothing and/or accessories are not permitted at Saint Bartholomew School:

- Make-up
- Except for light colors, nail polish may not be worn.
- Hanging and/or large earrings for girls, any earrings for boys.
- Tattoos or body piercing; other than one-hole, pierced ears for the girls.
- Except for physical education days, no sneakers may be worn.
- Shoes must be solid black, brown, tan, or navy blue.
- No open back shoes, no boots, no clogs, and no heels.
- Socks and tights are to be solid in color with no designs.
- Sweatshirts or other outerwear, other than the school vest or sweater or blazer or ¼ zip with Saint Bartholomew School logo spirit wear, may not be worn over school uniforms.
- No short-shorts, exposed belly shirts, strapless tops, off-the-shoulder tops or dresses, tank tops, exposed undergarments, or other clothing items deemed inappropriate by administration.

- Shirts must be tucked into pants/skirts.
- Hairstyles are expected to be neat and clean. Boys' hair must be trimmed to the collar.
- Boys' and girls' hair must be away from hanging in the face.
- Hairstyles and any artificial hair colors considered extreme by administration, including green, pink, purple, blue, orange, and yellow, are inappropriate and unacceptable.
- Students may not have mohawks or slogans/cut-outs shaved into hairstyle.