



# St. Paul's

## LUTHERAN SCHOOL

**DRESS CODE:** Compliance with the dress code is required during school hours.

The Scriptures remind us that whatever we do should be done to the glory of God. St. Paul's Lutheran School implements a policy of dressing for success. Our dress code is designed to enhance discipline, concentration, student safety, and school spirit while reducing competition and peer pressure. Our dress code encourages students to maintain pride, give a positive impression, while emphasizing that school is a place for work.

To maintain consistency of style, color, and quality and to simplify selection, we recommend that families purchase from Land's End who carry approved dress code items:

Land's End  
[www.landsend.com/school](http://www.landsend.com/school)  
School Code: 900132184  
1-800-469-2222

### **Tops**

- Red, black or white, long or short-sleeved polo-style shirt with embroidered SPLS logo on left-chest
- Red, black or gray cardigan sweater with embroidered SPLS logo on left-chest
- Red, black or gray quarter zip sweatshirt, fleece, or performance pull-over with embroidered SPLS logo on left-chest
- Red, black or gray crewneck sweatshirt with embroidered SPLS logo on left-chest
- Solid white, black or gray long-sleeved crew-neck t-shirts may be worn under polo-style shirts.
- A logoed polo shirt must be worn under any sweater, sweatshirt, or quarter zip listed above
- Shirts must be tucked in

### **Pants and Shorts**

- Uniform-style khaki, gray or black twill pants or shorts (no cargo pockets or rivets)
- Black or brown belt (if loops are present)

### **Skorts and Skirts**

- Uniform-style khaki, gray or black skorts and skirts (no cargo pockets or rivets)
- Must not be shorter than mid-thigh.
- Must be free of labels and logos with no pockets sewn on the outside
- Shorts must be worn under skirts at all times.

### **Shoes/Socks**

- Solid, conservative-colored, matching socks must be worn
- **Girls:** white, gray or black tights may be worn under skorts or skirts
- Black or gray solid leggings may be worn under skorts, skirts, or shorts
- Shoes must fit properly. Shoe should not be loose fitting and should stay on during recess and other play activities. (No Boots)
  - Any athletics shoe may be worn
  - Any shoe which ties, buckles, or attaches with a Velcro strap
  - All shoes must be closed toe (No Sandals)
  - All shoes should have a flat rubber sole

### **General Dress and Grooming:**

- Clothing needs to fit, being neither too small or too large.
- No frayed edges or holes in any clothing
- Hair should be clean, appropriately styled, and should not call undue attention to the individual student. Hair should not interfere with direct eye contact. Any coloring in hair which is of unnatural color, should be limited to a particular area.
- No excessive make-up, or cosmetics. (Fingernail length should allow for successful participation in PE, recess, and other play activities.)
- Jewelry should not be excessive
  - Watches, rings, necklaces and bracelets are permitted.
  - Earrings for girls must be less than  $\frac{3}{4}$  inch in diameter or length. No earrings for boys
  - No body and/or facial piercings. No gauges
- No tattoos, whether temporary or permanent
- Clothing designed for the outdoors must not be worn during inside class time.
- Leggings, stretch pants/shorts, jeggings or yoga pants may not be worn as outerwear.

### **P.E. Uniform**

- Solid red athletic logoed t-shirt (Embroidered shirts are preferred)
- Solid black logoed athletic shorts (Embroidered shorts are preferred)
- Black or Gray logoed sweatpants (Embroidered sweatpants are preferred)
- Athletic shoes are required to participate in PE

### **Dress-Down:**

- All "General Dress and Grooming" standards apply.
- Sports jerseys (T-shirts should be worn under jersey)
- All clothing should be modest and God honoring in appearance and messaging.
- Closed toe, closed heel, rubber soled shoes

### **Violations**

As a parent of SPLS, we expect that you support the dress code policies in sending your child to school. It is expected that you review your child's dress prior to dropping them off at school each day. If your child comes to school in violation of the dress code, you can expect a note/email informing you of the violation. With repeated violations, parents can expect a phone call to bring proper attire to school. Noncompliance could result in additional consequences for your child. If there are times the teacher feels your child's dress choices are a distraction, you will be notified.