

UNIFORMS

Saint Bernadette School has a distinctive uniform reflecting the school colors of 'blue - white' in honor of Mary.

For girls in Grades 1-8: The uniform for girls in grades 1 through 4 and the one for girls in grades 5 through 8 are clearly defined in the uniform information sheet. All girls are to wear navy crew socks in warmer weather and navy leotards during the winter months. Only the school sweater may be worn when a sweater is needed.

For boys in Grades 1-8: navy blue dress slacks, plain black belt, white golf shirt with banded waist imprinted with school name , navy V-neck pullover sweater with school name imprinted, if a sweater is needed. Boys may wear white, blue or black socks. The required school shoe is available from Flocco's Discount Shoes in Conshohocken. (610-828-5544), or local vendors.

Only white t-shirts with no printing or logos will be allowed to be worn under the uniform shirts.

Make-up is not to be worn by students, nor is gum chewing allowed by students in uniform or on the school premises. Girls in grades 5 - 8 will be permitted to use nail polish discreetly. **Jewelry** is to be kept to a minimum with the uniform, e.g. wristwatches, religious pins or medals, and one pair of simple earrings for girls with pierced ears. The boys are not permitted to wear earrings.

Hair styles for both boys and girls must be neat. **The school reserves the right to decide what is or is not acceptable with regard to uniform and hair styles.** A moderate amount of hair spray may be used to hold bangs in place. Spiked, striped, or teased hair styles are not acceptable. Tails are not permitted. The boys' hair may not go past the top of the shirt collar.

Gym uniforms are required for physical education classes. The uniform is as follows: Saint Bernadette tee shirt, royal blue gym shorts, white socks, white or blue and white gym shoes, and royal blue sweat suits.

All infringements of the dress code can occasion a demerit. For more serious or repeated infractions, parents will be called and will be expected to pick up their child. The student will be readmitted when the situation has been remedied.

Parents are asked to assume the responsibility of seeing that their children are properly dressed and truly representative of the school.