



ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL

ABIDE IN CHRIST AND BUILD HIS KINGDOM

2025-2026 Student Dress Code Guidelines

REGULAR SCHOOL DAYS / Kindergarten – Grade 8

DRESS CODE – INTRODUCTION/OVERVIEW:

We are “temples of the Holy Spirit, God dwelling within.” (1Cor 6:19) St. Peter Catholic School (SPCS) students should reflect this conviction. With ongoing styles and material changes that take place within the academic and activity clothing markets, St. Peter Catholic School attempts to be considerate of these changes as well as pricing. These guidelines serve to more closely align our school with other Catholic Schools in the Diocese of Lincoln regarding dress codes. For students, it provides for further focus on their faith and academic development. For teachers, it provides a more productive and positive atmosphere for teaching and learning. All is in the spirit to enhance our school’s mission.

The following ‘dress code’ guidelines are to assist parents in their purchase of appropriate clothing, but they also serve to provide for a high-quality classroom and school day atmosphere. St. Peter Catholic School reserves the right to adjust these guidelines at any time, especially in situations where dress, grooming, or visible bodily markings, whether temporary or permanent, become distracting to the faith and academic environment. Such changes will occur more on an individual basis, but overall adjustments may be made. **Starting in 2025-26, Lands’ End and Tommy Hilfiger are the two approved ‘Dress Code Vendors.’ Although Dennis uniform is no longer in business, those dress code items from previous years will be allowed, if in good condition.**

DRESS CODE – General Guidelines (Boys & Girls):

Each student should strive to be presentable at all times and take pride in representing their school to further build their self-esteem. Students are expected to be in dress code each day. Exceptions to this rule will be rare. Exceptions will be made with the approval of the Principal (ex. medical procedure [cast]). Parents will be called to bring suitable clothing if the School Office is unable to provide a temporary replacement. Dress Code items should be:

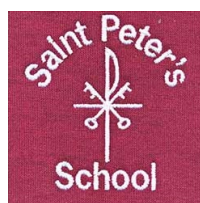
- Clean
- Well kept...items torn, frayed, or extremely threadbare are not acceptable
- Appropriate size...throughout the entire year (e.g., appropriate pant length)
- Modest in appearance
- Marked with the child’s name (ex. on the tag)

All students should be neatly groomed.

- Boys must restrict their hair length to the top of their shirt collar. Boys’ hair should not reach below their eye brows or ear lobes. Natural hair color (boys & girls) is to be maintained. Extremes in hairstyles are unacceptable (ex. spiked/shaved spots/bushed). SPCS reserves the right to determine what is allowed regarding dress or hairstyle. Fads or extreme fashions are to be avoided. Hats and coats are not to be worn in the classroom.

DRESS CODE – New Logo:

Our school logo has changed but prior year logo items are still considered part of our dress code. The prior and new logos are below:



Prior Year’s Logo



New Logo (started in 24-25)

DRESS CODE - Wearable technology update (All Students):

A recent trend of students is ‘wearable technology,’ such as smartwatches. Please be advised that the usage of such devices is strictly prohibited during the school day, even in the event that the device is placed on school mode. Students wearing these devices will be asked to turn them into their teachers. Should there be multiple occurrences, the device may be collected by the teacher until parents retrieve the device from the School Office. In cases where the device is medically necessary, exceptions will be considered. These exceptions will be granted on a case-by-case basis determined by school administration.

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DRESS CODE (Girls):

Plaid Jumper (Grades K-5)

- knee length
- shorts or leggings are to be worn underneath

Plaid Skirt (Grades 6-8)

- knee length
- shorts or leggings are to be worn underneath

Slacks (Optional, October 27 to March 6, unless noted by Administration)

- Lands' End navy or khaki (Grades K-8)

Shirts **(NEW – Banded Bottom available)**

- Collared dress code-type blouse, white or light yellow, short or long sleeve (Grades K-5)
- Plain white or light-yellow polo or turtleneck, short or long sleeve (Grades K-5)
- White or burgundy short or long sleeve polo embroidered with school logo (Grades 6-8)
 - Must be tucked in
 - Short or long sleeve, solid white T's may be worn underneath

Sweatshirts, 1/4 Zips or **(NEW)** Full Zips

- Navy or burgundy sweatshirt embroidered with school logo (Lands' End / Tommy Hilfiger) worn with dress code shirt
- Navy or burgundy 1/4 zip fleece jacket embroidered with school logo (Lands' End/Tommy Hilfiger) worn with dress code shirt

Socks

- Solid navy, white or black tights or socks
- Full-length navy or black leggings (no flares)
- No logos on socks

Shoes

- Athletic shoes
- Dress shoes
- No sandals, clogs, or light-up shoes

Jewelry

- Post earrings only (max of one in each ear)
- Religious jewelry and watches; medals, crosses & medical alert related items are allowed

Make-up

- Clear or clear pink nail polish only (no French-tip nails)
- No face/eye/lip makeup may be worn - natural hair color (no highlights in hair)

DRESS CODE (Boys):

Pants

- Lands' End / Tommy Hilfiger navy or khaki (Grades K-8)

Shorts (Optional, August to October 23 and March 10 thru May, unless noted by Administration)

- Lands' End / Tommy Hilfiger navy or khaki (Grades K-8)

Shirts (Tucked in / **NEW – Banded Bottom available**)

- Polo or oxford, white or light blue, short or long sleeve (Grades K-5)
- White or burgundy short or long sleeve polo embroidered with logo (Grades 6-8)
 - Short or long sleeve, solid white T's may be worn underneath

Sweatshirts, 1/4 Zips or **(NEW)** Full Zips

- Navy or burgundy sweatshirt embroidered with school logo (Lands' End / Tommy Hilfiger) worn with dress code shirt
- Navy or burgundy 1/4 zip fleece jacket embroidered with school logo (Lands' End) worn with dress code shirt

Socks

- Solid navy, white or black socks (no logos)

Shoes

- Athletic shoes
- Dress shoes
- No sandals, clogs, or light-up shoes

Jewelry

- No earrings
- Religious jewelry & watches; medals, crosses, & medical alert related items are allowed

Lands' End:

- Website: <https://www.landsend.com/>
- School Code: 900145863

Tommy Hilfiger (shorts only):

- Website: www.globalschoolwear.com
- School Code: STPE08

NOTE: Dennis Uniform is no longer available but items from previous years are allowable.

Spirit Days/Jeans Days/Non-Dress Code Days for all students will be announced/identified throughout the year (with timely notification). These "Spirit Days" will be limited to special occasions. Dress guidelines will be included when these days are announced/identified.

Dress Code Updates, Used Uniform Sale, and Vendor Promotions

Dear St. Peter Catholic School Parents,

We hope you're enjoying a restful summer! Please take a moment to review the following important updates regarding our school dress code, upcoming uniform sale, and vendor promotions for the start of the 2025–2026 school year.

Dress Code Update

Late last school year, Dennis Uniform—one of our long-time suppliers—unexpectedly closed. In response, we've worked closely with our remaining vendors, Lands' End and Tommy Hilfiger, to ensure continued access to dress code items.

Due to high demand, there is currently a supply delay for plaid jumpers (Grades K–5) and skirts (Grades 6–8) from Lands' End, who is our exclusive vendor for these two items. As a result, we are implementing a grace period with the following updates:

Update 1 of 4:

- Girls (K–8) may continue wearing Dennis Uniform jumpers and skirts if in good condition.
- Incoming 6th grade girls may wear their 5th grade jumpers until Lands' End skirts become available.
- Dress code guidelines for tops remain unchanged.

Update 2 of 4: Used Uniform Sale

- Sale Date: Wednesday, July 16 | 4:00–7:00 p.m. | School Gym (Cash only)
- Donation/Consignment Drop-off:
 - Monday, July 14 | 6:00–7:30 p.m.
 - Tuesday, July 15 | 10:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m.
- Pickup of unsold items/cash: Wednesday, July 16 | 7:30–8:00 p.m.
 - Items not picked up by 8:00 p.m. will be donated unless prior arrangements are made.

Consignment Instructions:

- Tag each item with: Price, Size, Consignment #, and Description (e.g., "skirt").
- Email brenda-shields@cdolinc.net for a consignment number or questions.

Suggested Pricing:

- Jumper/Skirt: \$10–\$12
 - Pants: \$3 | Polo/Blouse: \$2 | Jr. High Polo: \$3
 - Sweatshirt: \$2 | Fleece: \$5 | Leggings: \$2
- *No Spirit Gear accepted. Pricing at seller's discretion.*

Volunteers Needed!

If you can help with setup or the sale, please contact Brenda Shields at , brenda-shields@cdolinc.net.

Try-On Opportunity:

Lands' End plaid jumpers and skirts will be available at the Used Uniform Sale (Wednesday) for girls to try on for sizing before ordering online...when they become available.

Update 3 of 4:

- Girls (K–8) may wear appropriate-length shorts or skirts with dress code tops.
- Solid colors (navy, burgundy, black) are preferred.
- Knee-length is ideal, but flexibility will be applied during this transition.

Update 4 of 4:

Dress code guidelines for boys remain unchanged. All required items are available through our vendors.

Vendor Sales

Lands' End

- Website: <https://www.landsend.com/>
- School Code: 900145863
- July 12–18: 30% off – Code: BELL | PIN: 4378
- July 19–Aug 1: 20% off – Code: SCHOOL20 | PIN: 1298
- Aug 2–15: 10% off – Code: BINDER10 | PIN: 9076

Tommy Hilfiger*

- Website: <http://www.globalschoolwear.com/>
- School Code: STPE08
- July 11–14: 10% off - Code: 23CW5BMGAU
- July 15–21: 10% off - Code: DZP5N563PL

*Matching items like polos and fleece will be added to the site soon—check the site daily.

(Additional sales are expected in August [e.g., free logos] per our vendor reps but dates have not been shared.)

Dress Code Guidelines

Attached for your reference. Please note the temporary exceptions for girls in Grades K–8 as outlined above.

For questions, contact the school office at 402.421.6299 or email office@stpeterslincoln.com.

St. Peter... Pray for Us!