

Good Shepherd Catholic School emphasizes modesty, cleanliness, and good grooming. In appearance, just as in other aspects, students must be presentable and represent the traditional high standards of Catholic schools. Student uniforms are part of the tradition of Catholic schools. The purpose of the uniform is to eliminate distractions and competition over clothing so as to enable students to concentrate on their work.

**Hairstyles** must be neat, clean, and reserved (for boys above the eye brows and ears and not touching the collar). **Hair color** must be natural. **Makeup** is not allowed in the elementary grades. Middle School girls may wear minimal, natural-looking makeup (eye makeup is not allowed). **Nail polish** is NOT allowed in any grade. **Jewelry** should be minimal. Boys may not have earrings.

All students in grades kindergarten (K) through eight (8) must be in the appropriate uniform chosen for Good Shepherd Catholic School, except on “dress-out-of-uniform” days determined and announced by the principal. On those days, students must still adhere to the standards of the GSCS dress code, including only wearing gym shoes. No one is exempt and complete cooperation is expected. If for a serious reason the student cannot comply with the dress code, a written explanation must be sent to the school by the parent/guardian.

Regular Uniforms are purchased through Tommy Hilfiger (<https://www.globalschoolwear.com/school-search>). PE uniforms are purchased through CLS of Frankfort. Logos must be the official school logos.

### **Dress Code for K-8:**

- Official GSCS logo is optional on shirts, sweaters, and sweatshirts.
- PE uniforms are to be worn all day on days that the student has PE class scheduled.
- Shorts may be worn before Fall Break and after Spring Break.
- Students may wear Good Shepherd “spirit” shirts on the last Friday of each month only.
- No belts for K-4. Belts are optional for 5-8 (must be black or brown if worn).
- Shorts must be *no shorter* than 4 inches above the knee. Skorts must be *no shorter* than 2 inches above the knee.
- No skirts, jumpers, or plaid.
- The only skort option for K-3 girls is the “ponte skort” with elastic waist from *Tommy Hilfiger*.
- Gym shoes for all K-8 students.
- 8th grade students will be allowed to wear their special “8th grade class” sweatshirts.

### **Girls:**

- Solid navy shorts, pants, skorts.
- Solid white or light blue polo-style shirt; short or long sleeve.
- Solid white or light blue dress oxford button down shirt; short or long sleeve.

*(Appropriate undergarments should be worn under white tops for modesty)*

- Solid white or navy socks or tights
- Solid navy cardigan sweater
- Solid navy crewneck sweatshirt

### **Boys:**

- Solid navy pants or shorts
- Solid white or light blue polo-style shirt; short or long sleeve.
- Solid white or light blue dress oxford button down shirt; short or long sleeve.
- Solid white or navy socks
- Solid navy sweater vest
- Solid navy crew-neck sweatshirt

### **P.E. uniform for K-8:**

Shirts: Gray t-shirt (short or long sleeve) with GSCS athletic logo

Shorts: Navy blue mesh shorts

Pants: Navy blue sweatpants with GSCS athletic logo