ST. IGNATIUS CATHOLIC SCHOOL Policy 1200: DRESS CODE

St. Ignatius's dress code is intended to encourage modesty, cleanliness, neatness, and pride in one's appearance and school community. Students are reminded that whenever they are wearing their school uniform they are representing St. Ignatius. It is our belief that students should respect each other for who they are, not what they wear. The administration and faculty will monitor student compliance with the dress code. The administration reserves the right to determine the appropriateness of a student's general appearance and compliance with the code.

*Items with an asterisk must be purchased through School Belles or Educational Outfitters.

K-8				
Boys	Pants/Shorts: Navy blue or khaki shorts or pants No cargo or jeans No holes Tops: Embroidered navy, maroon, or white polo* Students in grades 6-8 may wear a quarter zip sweatshirt with the school logo* Optional: Maroon or navy sweater with logo* Optional: navy jacket with logo* Footwear: Socks: White, black, navy, grey, or maroon Shoes: closed-toed Predominantly black, brown, white, grey, maroon, or navy Practical for physical activity No heels No more than 1" raise on boot heel			
Girls	Pants/Shorts: Navy blue or khaki shorts or pants No cargo or jeans No holes No leggings or tight pants Plaid Jumper*: White, navy, black, gray, or maroon solid-colored tights, leggings (no athletic leggings), or bike shorts must be worn under Plaid Skirt*: White, navy, black, gray, or maroon solid-colored tights, leggings (no athletic leggings), or bike shorts must be worn under Tops: Embroidered navy, maroon, or white polo*			

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- Jumper only: Embroidered logo not required for tops under jumper
- Students in grades 6-8 may wear a quarter zip sweatshirt with the school logo
- Optional: Maroon or navy sweater with logo*
- Optional: navy jacket with logo*

Footwear:

- Socks: White, black, navy, grey, or maroon socks
- Shoes: closed-toed
 - o Predominantly black, brown, white, grey, maroon, or navy
 - o Practical for physical activity.
 - No heels
 - o No more than 1" raise on boot heel

MASS DAY

Boys	Girls
Pants (belt required for those in grades 6-8): Navy blue or khaki pants (no shorts) Students in 6 th -8 th grade must wear a belt Tops: White dress shirt with logo* (tucked in) Tie or bowtie in uniform plaid, navy, or maroon* Optional: Maroon or navy sweater with logo*	 Plaid Jumper*: White, navy, black, grey, or maroon solid-colored tights, leggings (no athletic leggings), or bike shorts must be worn under Plaid Skirt*: White, navy, black, grey, or maroon solid-colored tights, leggings (no athletic leggings), or bike shorts must be worn under Tops: White blouse with logo* (must be tucked in) Jumper only: logo not required on blouses under jumper Optional: Maroon or navy sweater with logo*

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Boys	Girls
Shorts: • St. Ignatius black athletic/basketball shorts* Shirt: • St. Ignatius PE T-shirt*	Shorts: • St. Ignatius black athletic/basketball shorts* Shirt: • St. Ignatius PE T-shirt*

OTHER UNIFORM NOTES:

- Girls' leggings must be cotton and solid-colored (no patterns or textures). Athletic pants are not considered uniform approved leggings.
- Skirts and jumpers must be no shorter than 2 inches above the knee.
- Clothing must be worn as it was intended.

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HAIR

- Hair must be neat, clean, properly cut and styled (no extremes)
- Hair must stay out of the eyes
- No unnatural hair coloring; hair must be of one natural color (no two-tone; three tone; etc.); however, natural highlights are acceptable
- Boys No facial hair other than sideburns trimmed at the earlobe

<u>Jewelry/Tattoos/Head Covering/Make-up</u>

- Girls are allowed to wear small earrings (those which do not pose a potential safety/tearing risk) in moderation.
- Hats/visors/stocking caps/ beanies/sunglasses etc. are not allowed to be worn inside the building during the school day
- Headbands and hair ties must coordinate with school colors. Large bows, sequins, and headbands with accessories attached (other than subtle bows/flowers) are not allowed.
- Young ladies in 7-8th grade may wear make-up in moderation (Girls younger than 7th grade may not wear makeup).
- Tattoos (including temporary ones) are discouraged and should never be visible.
- Girls may wear nail polish in moderation and if it is not a distraction to the learning environment. No artificial nails.
- Smart watches are considered devices and covered under the Student Electronic Devices Policy.

On <u>designated Spirit Days</u>, all students may wear a t-shirt or sweatshirt with the school logo along with pants/shorts/skirts/jumpers and footwear that are in line with the dress code.

Parents, students and staff must work together to ensure that the dress code is enforced and supported. Students who are not following dress code will be asked to change into appropriate clothing. Staff members may refer students to Administration for dress code violations.

The Administration will make the final decision on all matters pertaining to dress code.

APPROVED:			
	Pastor	Date	

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