### **PRESCHOOL UNIFORM**

St. Agnes Preschool recognizes the beauty in each person God created and therefore teaches its students to appreciate their individual gifts and appearance as God intended. Clothing often influences the child's mode of operation and social interaction for the day. Young children are very likely to act like the clothing in which they dress. This tends to draw the child from the kind of special experiences and cooperative play that are available at school.

Therefore, outlined below are the basic requirements for proper dress and grooming. These regulations help create an atmosphere conducive to learning and demonstrate pride in our school. Parent cooperation in seeing that the uniform code is adhered to is not only appreciated but also expected. The following is the list of the uniform requirements:

### **Daily Uniform**

All articles of clothing should be clearly labeled with the family or child's name.

#### Girls:

- o Jumper: hunter green and blue plaid (Classic Design Uniform)
- o Bottoms (pants, leggings, shorts, or skorts): Navy blue or khaki color No Jeans. (Leggings are allowed for <u>preschool children only</u>)
- o Polo Shirt: plain hunter green or white OR St Agnes Monogram: Classic Design Uniform Long or short sleeve
- o Cardigan Sweeter: navy blue
- o Fleece Jacket: navy blue
- o St. Agnes Monogram navy blue sweatshirt (Classic Design Uniform)
- o Socks: white, black, or navy blue. MUST be worn at all times
- o Tights(plain and footed): white, black or navy blue
- o Any bows or headbands must be white, navy blue, hunter green, black or uniform plaid.
- Earrings: one flat post. No jewels or precious stones; gold or silver only. If an earring falls out it will be placed
  in a sealed envelope; teachers will not reinsert earrings. No hoops or any type of dangling earrings are
  allowed. St. Agnes Preschool will not be responsible for lost earrings.
- o No other jewelry is permitted, except approved earrings and necklaces that are religious in nature (i.e., a blessed religious medal or cross).
- o St. Agnes Preschool will not be responsible for lost or broken jewelry worn at school.

### **Boys:**

- o Bottoms (cotton-twill pants or shorts): navy blue or khaki color. No jeans.
- o Polo Shirt: plain hunter green or white OR St Agnes Monogram: Classic Design Uniform Long or short sleeve.
- o Cardigan Sweeter: navy blue
- o Fleece Jacket: navy blue
- o St. Agnes Monogram navy blue sweatshirt (Classic Design Uniform)
- o Socks: white, black, or navy-blue socks. MUST be worn at all times
- o No jewelry is permitted, except approved necklaces that are religious in nature (i.e., a blessed religious medal or cross). St. Agnes Preschool will not be responsible for lost or broken jewelry worn at school.

# **PRESCHOOL FORMAL UNIFORM** – For mass and prayer service

### Girls:

- o Hunter green and blue plaid jumper (if have one)
- o Bottoms (pants, leggings or skort): navy blue or khaki color. No jeans.
- o Polo Shirt: plain hunter green or white OR St. Agnes Monogram. Long or short sleeve.

#### Bovs:

- o Bottoms (cotton twill pants): navy blue or khaki color. No jeans.
- o Polo Shirt: plain hunter green or white OR St Agnes Monogram. Long or short sleeve.

# **Shoes** (Boys and Girls)

- : We recommend simple, closed toe and sturdy shoes.
- Velcro fastener shoes are practical and fosters independence.

# The following shoes are NOT allowed in the classroom (including non-uniform dress days):

- : tie shoes (unless your child can tie themselves, independently)
- : high top shoes
- : shoes that light up
- : ALL BOOTS
- : cowboy boots
- : UGG boots/UGG Style boots
- : ankle booties/boots
- : Rain boots
- : crocs, flip flops, open sandals

### **SPIRIT SHIRT TUESDAY**

Current year spirit shirt and sweatshirt may be worn every Tuesday with Jeans.

### **NON-UNIFORM DRESS CODE**

The school uniform is worn each day unless specific permission is given for non-uniform dress.

- o Jeans are allowed on non-uniform dress days ONLY
- o Dress your child in simple clothing, which he/she can manage by him/herself to help foster independence. Elastic waists are best
- o Help your child dress appropriately for the weather.

## The following clothing is NOT acceptable for non-uniform days:

- o Clothing, jackets or shoes that has princess, superhero, TV or movie character identity.
- o Jackets that have attachments on the hood or sleeves (for example: spikes / unicorn horns/ ears)
- o No belts or overalls.

## **Personal Appearance and Accessories**

- o Make-up is not permitted.
- o Only clear nail polish may be worn on fingernails during school hours.
- o Extreme haircuts or styles are not permitted, i.e., dyed, bleached, highlighted hair or unbleached layers. Additional beading, feathers, or extensions may not be worn.
- o Boys' hair length may not touch eyebrows. Haircuts with tails are not allowed and the length of a boy's hair must be short enough so as not to touch the shirt collar.

# **Rainy Weather Apparel**

- o No umbrellas are to be left inside or outside the classroom.
- o Rainboots are fine, however children will need to change out of their rainboots into regular school shoes.
- o No rain boots are to be worn in the classroom.

# **Uniform Purchasing**

St Agnes preschool uniforms may be purchased from any store as long as the uniform requirements are followed.

St. Agnes preschool uniforms are available to purchase through Classic Design Uniform. Classic Design Uniform scrip is available for purchase through the school office.