

## UNIFORM POLICY

It is generally accepted by educators that the manner in which children are dressed influences both their behavior and their performance. There is a long tradition of uniform dress in Catholic Elementary Schools and its positive aspects are accepted facts. The Dress Code at St. Boniface School is an effort to maximize the advantages that can be derived in this regard.

- Schoolbelles School Uniform, 5718 Harrison Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio 45248  
(513) 921-3417 [www.Schoolbelles.com](http://www.Schoolbelles.com). Our plaid is S2496.
- Items of the uniform not bought from the Uniform Company must be comparable in both pattern and color to articles sold by Schoolbelles.
- Make-up is not permitted to be worn and hair may not be unnaturally colored.
- Jewelry must be school appropriate and non-disruptive to the normal activities of the school day. Earrings may not extend past the earlobe. No artificial fingernails or facial jewelry may be worn.
- Shoes are to be appropriate and safe for school activities, **completely enclosing the foot.**
- Bandanas and/or other large hair ornaments are not permitted. Simple hair bands may be worn.
- Girls may wear leggings with the uniform jumper/skirt when extra warmth is needed.
- “St. Boniface” sweatshirt may be worn anytime. The red T-shirt may be worn on gym days.
- Shirts worn under the uniform shirts or blouses must be solid white with no collar. No turtlenecks may be worn.
- Long key chains may not be worn around the neck for safety reasons. Cloth key holders may be worn, if necessary.
- Boots may not be worn during the school day.
- Gym shoes and black Tae Kwon Do pants must be worn on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Red school T-shirts may also be worn on designated days.
- All students should have a backpack with no wheels.
- Out of Uniform Days: Dress must be appropriate with no holes in jeans, no tight fitting jeans and no leggings as pants. Shoes are to be appropriate and safe for school activities, completely enclosing the foot.
- Students may be permitted to call home for replacement items in the event of a dress code violation. Subsequent dress code infractions will result in disciplinary consequences.
- Please put students’ names on all sweaters and coats.
- Students are not to wear clothing tied around the waist and trousers/slacks are to be worn at the waist.