St. Michael Catholic School
Uniforms and Dress Code

*Uniform Vendors*

Uniform components (pants, shorts, skirts, jumpers, blouses, shirts, vests, and sweaters) may be purchased through the following:

**St. Michael Spirit Gear Shop**
spiritgearshop@gmail.com

**School Belles, Inc. ®**
Phone 1-800-548-3883
www.schoolbelles.com
School ID #: 1641

**Educational Outfitters®**
1331 Buck Jones Road
Raleigh, NC 27606
(919) 804-5437
(866) 326-5437.

**Land’s End®**
www.landsend.com

All students must be in uniform every day. There will be out-of-uniform days which will be announced during the course of the school year (a dress code for such days is included in this section). If there is a time when the prescribed uniform cannot for some legitimate reason be worn, a note from the parent/guardian must be written to the Principal. Students who are out of uniform without this excuse will be sent to the office and the parent will be called to bring the proper clothing. **There is a special uniform for Physical Education classes, to be purchased through our school’s Spirit Store.**

St. Michael the Archangel Catholic School sweatshirts, which can be worn with both the P.E. uniform and the school uniform, are ordered through the school only. Sweatpants for P.E. are available through the school’s Spirit Store as well.

School socks may be crew length or ankle socks. Socks should be navy blue, brown, or white. **Socks may have a small logo.**

**Skirts should be no shorter than three inches above the knee in front or the crease behind one’s knee.**

*Physical Education Uniform*
High top sneakers, roller skate sneakers, and sneakers with zippers instead of laces are not allowed.

All students should wear sneakers with socks that are crew length or ankle length.

**Uniform Guidelines**

Dress shoes should be one solid color - dark navy, black, or brown. Oxford style, saddle shoes, loafers, top-siders are acceptable. Top-siders may be two-tone in color, such as brown combined with beige or tan. No sandals, no open-back shoes, or any type of shoe which resembles a tennis shoe, no boots or hi-top shoes, no black and white saddle oxfords, no ballet slippers, and no shoes with a heel over 2 inches (measured from the back exterior of the shoe) are permitted. Shoes with laces must be tied at all times.

All students’ hair should be neat with bangs above the eyebrows. Boy’s hair should be above and not touch the shirt collar and trimmed around the ears. Scrunchies, hair clips, rubber bands, pony tail holders, etc. must be in the hair, not worn on wrists. Extreme hair coloring and bleaching is not permitted. No beads or scarves should be worn in the hair.

No cosmetics, lip gloss, colored chapstick, nail polish, or artificial nails may be worn. No visible tattoos of any kind. No Hologram contact lenses.

No body piercing except pierced ears. Girls may wear one pair of earrings not larger than a dime and without hoops. Boys may not wear earrings of any type. Jewelry should be limited to one watch, one ring, and simple crosses or holy medals on a narrow silver or gold chain. Bracelets that have not been approved by the school administration are not allowed at any time.

Watches with a beeping device should be disconnected during the school day. Watches that beep will be taken away and may be claimed on the last day of the school year.

During the months of January and February, girls may wear plain navy blue sweatpants under their uniform during arrival, recess, and dismissal. They may also wear white or navy blue colored tights at anytime. However, pajama style pants or leggings may not be worn at any time.

The uniform should be clean and pressed with all buttons attached and hem intact. Shirtdtails should be tucked in while a student is on campus unless the uniform style shirt includes an elastic band at the waist. Belts must be worn at all times when a shirt is tucked in to pants or shorts with belt loops. Belts may be navy, brown, or black.

**Brownie/Scout Uniforms** – Students may wear the scout uniforms on meeting days.

**Students who repeatedly violate the uniform policy will be denied participation in the next out-of-uniform day or will serve a detention.**