SEAS Uniform Policy

All Kindergarten (beginning 21-22 school year) through 8th grade students are required to wear the official school uniform from our uniform provider. The purpose of a clean, neat appearance and appropriate attire is to teach students respect for themselves and others, reduce "dress competition," and eliminate distractions to the learning process. The school uniform code is expected to be observed from the time students arrive in the morning until they leave campus after dismissal. These uniforms help to identify our students and are to be worn with pride.

If uniforms are not within acceptable guidelines, the student will be required to change, or a parent/guardian will be called to obtain suitable attire. To avoid this situation, please monitor your child's/children's dress before leaving home. **Long pants should reach the ankle, khaki shorts must be of a Bermuda length, and skirts must be no shorter than one inch above the knee.** Your cooperation with the uniform policies is greatly appreciated.

The final judgment on the appropriateness of or if the uniform meets the school standard rests with the administration.

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic School has adopted the following uniform/dress code:

UNIFORM POLICIES FOR ALL GRADES

- Uniforms and other permitted attire must be well-fitting and in neat, clean condition and must be from the school's uniform company, Flynn and O'Hara
- A wristwatch is permitted.
- No make-up is permitted.
- No fingernail polish is permitted, except with special permission from the principal
- One simple small earring on each earlobe is allowed for girls only, no cartilage piercing
- No body piercings.
- One simple chain necklace is allowed.
- Hats may not be worn in classrooms or in church.
- Caps/hats that will not cause a disruption to PE class or recess are permitted for sun protection.
- Shorts, slacks and shirts are not to be baggy.
- Polo shirts are to be tucked in. PE shirts may be untucked.

- Any accessories such as jewelry, etc. that are not uniform code will be removed and kept in the office until the end of the day.
- No tattoos (real or temporary) or ink on skin (or uniform).
- Team sweatshirts or jerseys are not considered a part of the school uniform. They may only be worn outside of normal school hours, or on NUT (no uniform today) days.
- St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic School is not responsible for lost/stolen items.

PRE-KINDERGARTEN

The uniform is *strongly encouraged* for all 3K and VPK students. See Flynn and O'Hara's website for further information.

KINDERGARTEN – 8TH GRADE

GIRLS' DRESS CODE

Please note: After the 2021-2022 school year all old plaid patterns will no longer be allowed. Thank you for planning ahead.

The following items must be purchased through our official uniform provider

- Uniform plaid skirt or "skort" (no shorter than 1" above the knee).
- Green polo shirt (short or long sleeves) with the new, official school logo.
- Uniform plaid hair accessories, solid white or black headbands, barrettes or scrunchies may be worn. Bows, etc. should be 2" or smaller.
- Optional plaid jumper PK- grade 4 only (no shorter than 1" above knee and worn with white collared blouse, not polo shirt).
- Optional khaki pants or shorts, plain with the uniform company logo. No cargo shorts
- Gym uniform consists of mesh logo shorts and SEAS logo gray t-shirt.
 Sweatsuit/tracksuit is also available for colder months. Students may not wear leggings/long sleeve shirts under their t-shirts or shorts. They may wear SEAS logo sweatpants on cold days.

Other uniform policies

- Shorts and slacks must be clean, in presentable condition, fit properly, and worn at the natural waistline.
- No skinny or tight-fitting pants/shorts.

- Black/brown leather shoes, cut below the ankle, fully enclosing the foot. "Boat shoes" (Deck shoes) may be worn. They are to be a predominantly **solid** color tan/brown/black. No heels or boots are allowed.
- Only solid white crew socks or white, black, or dark green knee-high socks are allowed.
- No thigh high socks allowed.
- Black tights may be worn.
- Black/brown belt to be worn with shorts or pants.
- Rolling of the skirt at the waist will not be permitted.
- Jewelry should be limited to one pair of small earrings that don't hang from the earlobe.
- Optional Peter Pan Blouse PK-4 only to be worn with the jumper. (Polo shirt is not worn with the jumper)
- PE uniform and sneakers may be worn to school on PE days. Sneakers are not acceptable on regular uniform days

Middle School Girls

• One simple bracelet and one ring that will not cause a disruption to class are allowed. These items must be removed during PE class.

BOYS' DRESS CODE

The following items must be purchased through our official uniform provider

- Green polo shirts with official school logo
- Uniform khakis or shorts no CARGO type pants/shorts. Shorts and slacks must be clean, in presentable condition, fit properly, and worn at the natural waistline. Pants should reach the student's ankle
- Black/brown belt.
- Only solid white or black crew socks are allowed.
- Black/brown leather shoes, cut below the ankle, fully enclosing the foot. "Boat shoes" (Deck shoes) may be worn. They are to be a predominantly **solid** color tan/brown/black.
- No skinny or tight-fitting pants/shorts.

Other uniform policies

- Only uniform polar fleece jacket/cardigan sweaters, and other jackets with the school logo are allowed in the classroom and church.
- Sweaters or jackets may NOT be tied around the waist.

- No boots.
- If a non-school outer jacket is worn, it must be removed upon entering the classroom.
- Hooded sweatshirts are not to be worn during Mass.
- Outer clothing items (sweaters/jackets/sweatshirts) should have the student's name in them.

PE UNIFORM

The following items must be purchased through our official uniform provider

- Official SEAS PE uniform t-shirt with logo.
- Official green SEAS micro mesh uniform shorts with logo.
- Official SEAS sweatpants/sweatshirt/tracksuit with logo.

Other PE uniform policies

- Only solid white or black crew socks are allowed
- Sweatpants/sweatshirts may be worn on PE days but must be the official SEAS sweatpants/sweatshirts
- Appropriate athletic sneakers with laces are to be worn. They should be supportive and well-fitting. **Shoes should not draw attention away from learning.** High tops, light up shoes, or shoes with wheels are not allowed.
- **COLD DAYS:** Students may wear the official SEAS PE sweatsuit or tracksuit.
- Team sweatshirts or jerseys are not considered a part of the school uniform. They may only be worn outside of normal school hours.

HAIR

- Boys: Hair should be short and well groomed. It should be above the ear (the ear needs to show completely), eyebrow and shirt collar. No fad or extreme haircuts, hair dye, high-lights, hair wraps or noticeable changes to natural hair color are permitted. No mohawks, or similar hairstyles. Boys must be clean-shaven. Sideburns may not extend below mid-ear.
- Girls: No high-lights, fad haircuts (shaved hair, etc) hair wraps or noticeable changes to natural hair color are permitted.