Mass Day Dress Code Requirement:

Students will be required to abide by the following dress code on days on which the Holy Mass is offered and other special days designated:

Students shall wear official St. John's Academy approved polo, ¼ zip available, or crewneck sweatshirt with school logo at the online store: <u>SJA Apparel | St. John's Academy</u> (stiphnsacademynd.org).

Khaki or black dress pants (jeans are not permitted) are required. Girls also have the option to wear school approved jumper/plaid skirt that is offered at the online school apparel store or khaki or black skorts/skirts if they reach the mid-thigh (leggings are not to be worn exclusively, unless worn underneath approved skort/skirt).

Dress shorts will be allowed at Mass between **May 1**st and **September 30**th each year. These shorts need to be black, or khaki and the length of shorts and skirts (i.e., all outfits) must reach the mid-thigh. No athletic shorts may be worn.

Students are to remain in "Mass Day" dress attire throughout the remainder of the day. Students may wear a white or black undershirt under polos, dresses, ¼ zips or wear the approved sweatshirt available at the online store. Unapproved outerwear (sweatshirts/coats) are not to be worn while in the school building on designated days.

Exchange Policy

Families may return gently used, laundered clothing items (free of holes and stains) in exchange for a coupon, which can be redeemed at the Used Item Store. New families may purchase coupons for up to two items per child at a cost of \$5.00 each.

The <u>Used Item Store</u> will operate the week prior to the start of the school year. See school communications for further details.

2024-25 Policy line:

In order to be in compliance, the school logo must be visible at all times throughout the school day.

The Academy will provide a \$10 coupon per student towards their initial purchase of polos or ¼ zips on the online store.