

2009-2010 School Uniform Guidelines

Philosophy of School Uniform

Trinity Catholic aspires to provide a formal, disciplined learning environment for our students. As such, all members of the community are expected to attire themselves in a manner that respects this setting. We believe that adherence to a uniform is an effective way for our students to outwardly display the kind of inner discipline that is required to find success in life. Additionally, it serves to provide unity and equality within our community. We expect strict compliance with all the details that are outlined below and exceptions will not be granted. If a student arrives to school out of dress code, he/she will be sent home.

Young Women
<p><u>Skirts</u> – Gray skirt (JB Edwards only). Skirts must be worn at knee level. Optional, gray dress pants.</p> <p>Dress pant cannot have slit seams, nor flared bottoms, must be loose fitting but not baggy, and cargo pants with external pockets are not allowed. They must be worn around the waist with shirts tucked in.</p>
<p><u>Shirts</u> – White button down dress shirt or blouse (or turtleneck with sweater) for all Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors. Seniors may wear any solid, reasonable color, non-patterned, button down shirt.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• All Shirts must be completely tucked in!• Undershirts must be non-offensive in nature and non-distracting. The sleeves of the undershirt must not extend beyond the length of the outer shirt. <p>At the start of the 4th quarter, students are permitted to wear the white or navy Trinity Catholic embroidered polo shirt. Undershirts must be short-sleeved and not visible. At the discretion of the administration, or rare hot days, students will be permitted to wear polo shirts.</p>
<p><u>Outerwear</u> – Navy embroidered Trinity Catholic sweater, sweatshirt or navy sleeveless fleece vest is recommended during the 2nd & 3rd quarter. Only Trinity Catholic outerwear items may be permitted in the winter months.</p>
<p><u>Hosiery</u> – Solid (non-patterned) Navy, white, black or gray knee socks or full-length tights of the same colors.</p>
<p><u>Belt</u> – Inappropriate belts are not permitted.</p>
<p><u>Shoes</u> – Solid black or brown fully-enclosed dress shoes. Dress shoes cannot be above the ankle. No sneakers or boots are allowed. Heel maximum of 1.5 inches or less.</p>

Young Men
<p><u>Pants</u> – Gray dress pants</p> <p>Slit seams, flared bottoms, baggy pants, and cargo pants with external pockets are not allowed. They must be worn around the waist.</p>
<p><u>Shirts</u> – White button down dress shirts (or turtleneck and sweater) for all Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors. Seniors may wear any solid, reasonable color, non-patterned, button down dress shirt.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• All shirts must be completely tucked in• Undershirts must be non-offensive in nature and non-distracting. The sleeves of the undershirt must not extend beyond the length of the outer shirt. <p>At the start of the 4th quarter, students are permitted to wear the white or navy Trinity Catholic embroidered polo shirt. Undershirts must be short-sleeved and not visible. At the discretion of the administration, or rare hot days, students will be permitted to wear polo shirts.</p>

Ties – The official Trinity Catholic tie must be purchased at J.B. Edwards. Ties should be properly worn and knotted at the top of the shirt.

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Belt – Inappropriate belts are not permitted.

Shoes – Solid black or brown dress shoes. Dress shoes cannot be above the ankle. No sneakers or boots are allowed.

To ensure compliance, all school uniform items should be purchased through J.B. Edward Uniforms.

J.B. Edwards
(Main Store and Warehouse)
745 South Street
Roslindale, MA 02131
(617) 323-8832

J.B. Edwards
(Branch Store)
39 Cummings Park
Woburn, MA 01801
(781) 376-2071

Items may be purchased either in person at the J.B. Edward stores or may be ordered by mail. Mail orders must be pre-paid and will incur a shipping and handling charge. You may order online at www.jbedwarduniforms.com. For online ordering purposes, the Trinity Catholic school code is **096**. Parents/Guardians may also order by telephone with a MasterCard or Visa.

The uniform applies to the entire school day. Hats or headwear of any kind are not to worn in the building at any time,

Any attire or personal appearance (including hairstyle or color) that may cause a distraction in our formal educational setting will be prohibited by the Administration.