

June 2024

Greetings St. Philip's Parents and Students!



Mrs. Kellee Murrell  
*Principal*

Thank you for another wonderful year at 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue! Enclosed you will find a summer reading list, math activity packets, school supply information, uniform policy, class trip information (2nd through 8th grades), a tentative 2024-2025 school year calendar, and several other important items. Many of these items, along with the full year calendar, will remain posted in the parent portal of our school website, [www.stphilips1600.org](http://www.stphilips1600.org). If any of the above items are missing please contact the Office of Admissions and Enrollment Management at [admissions@stphilips.com](mailto:admissions@stphilips.com). Records may be withheld if your child has missing books (library or textbooks) or if there is a need to reconcile with the business office for any reason.

The summer reading list is provided to encourage our students to continue daily reading habits they have established during the school year. Please help ensure that your child will be ready for school in August by participating with them in summer learning. You will find a letter about summer ALEKS Math requirements for all upcoming 4th, 5th, 6th, and 7th grade students. Upcoming 8th graders will work on ISEE preparation through Test Innovators with an additional calculator proficiency skill practice. All upcoming PK3 thru 3rd students will find a letter about summer math practice along with an activities calendar.

Plan to join us for our "Back to School Bash" event on Sunday, August 18th at 2:00 PM. This is also an opportunity for you to bring your labeled school supplies to the classroom before the first day of school. Look for a special message from your homeroom teacher or advisor in early August.

The first day of classes will be Wednesday, August 21st with **chapel service beginning at 8 :25 AM.**

There will be no before or after school care until , Monday, August 26th .

Parents, we will be looking for volunteers to assist in AM carpool – coined, K.S.S. (Keeping Saints Safe) each day. A sign-up link will be shared prior to the start of the school year for you to sign-up for your homeroom or grade levels week. Let me know if the students can count on seeing your smiling face as they arrive to school next year. If you can commit to one day or more, it will truly help. The shift is 7:40 until 8:00 AM. Thanks to all who stepped in to make our student arrivals happy and safe this past year. We truly appreciated your 'sunshine or rain' sacrifice.

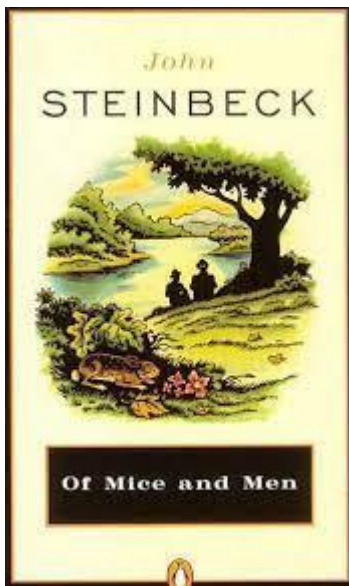
Enjoy a wonderfully blessed summer!

Sincerely,

Kellee Murrell, George T. Lee Principal  
[kmurrell@stphilips.com](mailto:kmurrell@stphilips.com)

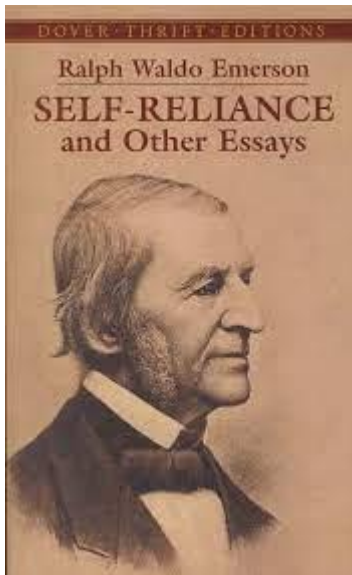
**If it is to be, it's up to me!**

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**St. Philip's School & Community Center-Middle School  
Rising 8<sup>th</sup> Graders  
Required-Summer Reading Novel & Project**

*Of Mice and Men*  
by John Steinbeck



Ralph Waldo Emerson's essay "*Self-Reliance*"  
(<http://www.emersoncentral.com/selfreliance.htm>)

**Discipline:** English & History

**Topic:** Symbolism

**Type of Activity:** Reading, Writing, Critical Analysis

**Objectives**

- Students will understand what a symbol is.
- Students will understand, identify, and apply symbolism (through reading/writing) elements in *Of Mice and Men* & *Self-Reliance*
- Students will identify symbolic elements in the world around them.
- Students can distinguish between literal and figurative concepts through reading and writing.

## Overview

Steinbeck's novels are rich with symbolism, and *Of Mice and Men* is no exception. Students must be able to distinguish between literal and figurative concepts. In Emerson's essay *Self-Reliance*, he urges readers to be focused on not conforming to social expectations rather than following their own voice and being honest in their relationships with other people.

**Symbolism:** Symbolism describes the use of concrete images to convey abstract ideas.

## **Of Mice and Men** -Examples of Pre-reading Explanations of Symbolism

- **Lennie's puppy**—this represents the ongoing theme of strong vs. weak.
- **Crooks' living quarters**—because Crooks is isolated from the others due to his skin color, this could represent isolation, racism, prejudice, and repression.
- **Characters themselves**—each character has a symbolic significance as you read the novel and further explore this. For example, Curley's wife may represent frustration, lost ambitions, and seeking status.

## Assignment #1

## Symbolism

Use the chart below to prepare for discussions about symbolism in *Of Mice and Men*. There is room at the end of the chart for more symbols that you find. If a description has been provided as an example meaning, you cannot use that in your meaning. You must create an original meaning.

Symbol	Pages Found	Meaning
The Dream of owning a farm		
Lennie's Puppy		
Candy's Dog		
Rabbits		

Crooks' Quarters		
The Bunkhouse		
Mice		
Curley's Wife		
Curley		
Slim		
Lennie		
George		
Crooks		
Candy		


## Assignment #2

### TOPIC: *OF MICE AND MEN*—SHORT ESSAY QUESTIONS

#### How do you write an effective short essay question?

- Read all parts of the question.
- Respond to the questions being asked.
- Write a thesis sentence summarizing the answer and reaching the point.
- Make sure your essay has at least 10-12 complete statements.
- Re-read your response and check your response for errors in grammar, spelling, and punctuation.
- Your essays can be written or typed. If you choose to type your essays, they must be typed in **12 font, Times New Roman, double-spaced, regular print** (no bold or italics.) Only the name of the book *Of Mice and Men* can be italicized. The writing (print/manuscript) must be legible if you prefer to write the essays.

#### You must respond to both essays.

##### Short Essay 1

Besides being a place to live, how does the little piece of land that George and Lennie want to own represent freedom to them? Even though they have the freedom to work where they choose, do you think that they are really free? Explain.

##### Short Essay 2

Though Curley's wife's death was purely accidental, can it be considered a mercy killing, like George's killing of Lennie or Carlson's killing of Candy's dog? What might Curley's wife's life have been like had she lived?

WELCOME TO  
8TH GRADE



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**Summer  
Requirement  
Your Guide to  
ISEE Prep**

**8th Grade**

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Tentative ISEE test date - week of December 9th

# General Recommendations

- 1) Begin working on Test Innovators **NOW!** Utilize test innovators and **show your work in a journal** on a regular basis over the summer!
- 2) Take the practice tests when you feel rested and are in a calm environment.
  - a) Wake up one morning and complete the test in one sitting.
  - b) You want this to be practice for the actual test in December.
- 3) Analyze the data after taking your test to determine where you should allocate your time. Do not forget to incorporate the campus required sections assigned into your plan.
- 4) Keep track of your progress!
- 5) Do not panic if you are not achieving the scores you want right away!



# Keep Track of your Data

Use the following templates to analyze your results and keep track of your data. You **MUST** answer all questions with appropriate detail and in complete sentences.

- 1) [Digital Individual Test Reflection](#) (recommended)
- 2) Individual Test Reflection (optional printable version -Pg. 4)
- 3) [Digital Data Tracking Tool](#) (recommended)
- 4) Printable Data Tracking Tool (optional printable version- Pg. 5)

**\*\* Don't forget to share this with your teachers, Mrs. Maryland and Mrs. Govan \*\***

Don't forget to utilize the feedback test innovator provides on all wrong answers. This will help with your reflections.

# Individual Testing Reflection

- 1)** How did you feel during test?
- Did you use all of the permitted time?
  - What test taking strategies did you use?
  - What went well? What did you struggle with?
  - Did you complete the questions to the best of your ability?
  - When and where did you take the test?

**2)** What were your scores/percentiles?

Verbal: \_\_\_\_\_

Reading Comprehension: \_\_\_\_\_

Quantitative Reasoning: \_\_\_\_\_

Math Computation?: \_\_\_\_\_

**3)** Identify the top 3 concepts in each category that you did really well on.

**4)** Identify the top 3 concepts in each category that you need to spend more time working on.

**5)** When will you be taking the next test? Make a schedule to cover those topics identified in question 4.

# Data Tracking Tool

	Test #1	Test #2	Test #3	Test #4	Test #5	Test #6
Verbal Reasoning						
Reading Comprehension						
Math Skills						
Quantitative Reasoning						
Date & Time Taken	June ____ ____:____	August ____ ____:____				
	Summer Testing		In-School Testing			

# General Schedule for Completing Summer Practice

**Practice Test #1** - beginning of June (Complete Individual Testing Reflection and Data Tracking Sheets)

**Practice Skills** - Campus Required Skills + Individual Skills identified in your Individual Testing Reflection (June -August)

**Practice Test # 2** - End of June - beginning of August

## Campus Required Skills Assigned:

Square roots  
Box and Whisker  
Ratios  
Fractions, Decimals, and Percentages  
Central Tendency  
Reading Comprehension (5)  
Verbal and Quantitative Reasoning (5 each)  
Reading Passages (3)

You will turn in this information which includes sharing your digital [Individual Testing Reflection](#) and [Data Tracking](#) Sheet, [journal](#) and [calculator proficiency practice](#) on the 1st day of school to receive credit. This will be your first quiz grade of the school year.

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# How to use Test Innovators

— Help for Parents & Students —

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# Logging In



Watch the video at the website:

<https://iseepracticetest.com/>

Log in Page:

[https://accounts.testinnovators.com/interaction/3KRMUNK3\\_YYU8XcfILkix/login](https://accounts.testinnovators.com/interaction/3KRMUNK3_YYU8XcfILkix/login)

Username: \_\_\_\_\_

Password: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\*Both Parents & Students take a picture of your Username and Password\*\*\*

## Test Innovators Support

📞 Phone: 1-800-280-1857

✉ Email: [support@testinnovators.com](mailto:support@testinnovators.com)

🕒 Hours: 9am - 5pm ET, Mon - Fri  
Email support 7 days a week

# Making A plan for studying/completing the Summer Requirement

How many topics do I need to review before the next test?

How many days until I take my next test?

Create a calendar and plan it out. Remember you do not need to work on ISEE everyday.

# Sample plan for preparing for next test

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
	Verbal reasoning practice		Math Skills Practice			Reading Practice
	Quantitative Reasoning practice		Verbal Reasoning practice			Math Skills practice
	Reading Practice		Quantitative Reasoning practice			Verbal Reasoning practice
	Math Skills practice		Reading Practice			Next Practice Test



# ST. PHILIP'S SCHOOL & COMMUNITY CENTER-MIDDLE

## SCHOOL SUPPLY LIST 2024-2025

This list comprises what every middle school student needs to start the school year. Please read each list carefully and note what is required for each class. When bringing items to school, we request that you separate, bag, and label the items with your name and the class name. All items should be packed in a way that is easy to distribute to each teacher. Please do not bring supplies mixed in several bags for all teachers. We will not sort any supplies at school; only previously sorted supplies will be distributed to the appropriate teachers/classes. Please adhere to the request in bold/underlined form.

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>6th-8th GRADE GENERAL SUPPLIES</b></p> <p>1 set of earbuds 2 packs of wide-ruled notebook paper 2 packs #2 pencils/mechanical pencils w/extra lead 8-tabbed plastic dividers w/pockets 1 three-hole punched pencil pouch</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>6th-8th GRADE ENGLISH, LANGUAGE ARTS &amp; READING</b></p> <p>1 composition notebook (wide ruled) 1-spiral notebook w/divider pockets (2 subj, wide ruled) 1-pack of markers broad tip Plastic folder, no brads 1 pack of dry-erase markers Dry erase spray 1.5-inch binder 4 tabbed file folders 1 pack of 3 x 5 index cards (on key ring) Red check pen</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>6th-8th GRADE SCIENCE</b></p> <p>2 composition notebooks (wide ruled) 1 roll of kitchen paper towels 1 Dry-erase marker 3 boxes of Kleenex</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>6th-8th GRADE SOCIAL STUDIES</b></p> <p>1 spiral notebook (5 subject, wide ruled w/pockets) 1 pack-colored pencils Pens/Pencils 3 Glue Sticks Personal Dictionary (Webster paperback) 1 Manuel Pencil Sharpener 2 Pair Scissors 3 Highlighters 1 plastic folder (6th blue, 7th red, 8th black) with brads and pockets</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>6th-8th GRADE MATH</b></p> <p>½ inch wide graph paper notebook no spiral (100 sheets) 2 Composition notebooks (100 sheets) TI-84 Calculator (7th and 8th grade only) Dry Erase Markers</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>6th-8th GRADE SPANISH &amp; LATIN</b></p> <p>1 spiral notebook (purple) 1 plastic folder w/pockets (purple) 2 dry-erase markers 1 pack of 4 x 6 index cards (100 count)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>6th-8th GRADE FINE ART</b></p> <p>1 blue binder 1 spiral notebook 5 dividers</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>6th-8th GRADE TECHNOLOGY</b></p> <p>1 set of earbuds</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>PHYSICAL EDUCATION</b></p> <p>1 St. Philip's PE uniform (may be purchased from the school spirit shop) 1 pair of rubber sole gym shoes</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ENTREPRENEURSHIP</b></p> <p>1 blue binder (1.5 inch) with a clear outside sleeve</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ADVISORY</b></p> <p>1 box of Kleenex</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>6th-8th Summer Novel List</b></p> <p>6th- Hatchet &amp; A Long Walk to Water by Gary Paulsen 7th- Gone to the Woods &amp; The Winter Room by Gary Paulsen 8th- Of Mice and Men by John Steinbeck</p>



# St. Philip's School and Community Center

## Middle School Retreat Information

Hello Parents,

We are excited for our students to participate in the overnight Middle School Retreat from Thursday, August 22 to Friday, August 23. We will load the bus at **8:00 am Thursday (Drive-thru at the back of SPSCC)** and depart for the Lakeview Camp and Retreat Center at 5128 FM 66, Waxahachie, Texas 75167. Students will need to eat breakfast on the morning of the 22<sup>nd</sup>. St. Philip's will provide all other meals. Students are estimated to return to school in time for afternoon pick-up at 4 pm, on Friday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>.

### Detailed Packing List:

Clothing	Personal Items
<b>Thursday Attire</b> PE Uniform (to be worn on bus for departure)	1 Large Towel 1 Face Towel Toiletries (Toothbrush, Toothpaste, Soap, Deodorant, Hair Products, Comb/Brush, Face Wash, Lotion, etc.) Shower Shoes 1 set of twin sheets, 1 pillow, 1 blanket or, sleeping bag, and 1 pillow
<b>Friday Attire (by grade level)</b> 6 <sup>th</sup> yellow t-shirt 7 <sup>th</sup> red t-shirt 8 <sup>th</sup> blue t-shirt Athletic shorts or jean shorts 1 pair of sneakers/tennis shoes	
Additional Items	What to bring on the bus
Insect repellent Sunscreen Flashlight Bible	Refillable water bottle 1 Drawstring backpack

\*Please ensure your child's hair is styled so the student can maintain himself/herself.

*Please arrive at St. Philip's School and Community Center on Friday at 4 pm for pickup.*

**2024-2025**  
**Eighth-Grade Ghana, Africa**  
**Academic Excursion**



The eighth-grade academic service learning excursion will be a ten-day-long trip to Ghana, Africa. Complete details of the trip will be communicated at a pre-trip parent meeting.

**\*Trip Date: March 9th- 21st, 2025**

**\*Cost: \$4000 (approximately)**

**\*First Installment-\$700 due August 1, 2024**

**\*\*Passports are required. Students should obtain their passports this summer to avoid any delays.**

We look forward to a unique and life-changing trip with the students!

## 2024-2025 St. Philip's School & Community Center Calendar

August 2024						
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December 2024						
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August	
18	Back to School Bash/ Middle School Tech Night
21	First Day of School
21	Quarter 1 Begins
22-23	Middle School Leadership Retreat
26	Before/After School Care Begins

September	
2	Labor Day - No School
6	New Parent Pastries w Principal In-person
16	Picture Day
17	PSA Meeting 5:45pm (In-Person)
19	North TX Giving Day
25	L.A.S.P. High School Fair
27	Private School Fair Day- No School

October	
8-Oct	Parent University Learning Simulation
11	Student Holiday/Staff Development
13	Fellowship Sunday
14	Indigenous People Day-Student & Staff Holiday
23/24	Quarter 1 Ends/ Quarter 2 Begins
28-31	Parent/Teacher Conferences

November	
1	Parent/Teacher Conferences
1	Pastries w/ Principal (Virtual)
11	Veterans Day/ Veterans Day Chapel
22	Grandparents Day/Early Release 12PM
25-29	Thanksgiving Break- No School

December	
2	Student Holiday/Staff Development
6	Pastries w/ Principal (Virtual)
12	Early Childhood Christmas Program 6pm
18	Christmas Chapel
19	1st-6th Christmas Musical 6pm
20	No Afterschool Care- 3:30/3:45-4:00 Dismissal
21-29	Christmas Break-No School

January	
1--3	Christmas Break-No School
6	Student Holiday/Staff Development
9/10	Quarter 2 Ends/ Quarter 3 Begins
14	PSA Meeting 5:45 (Virtual)
20	Martin Luther King Jr. Day- No School
31	Mid-Year Awards

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June 2025						
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July 2025						
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February	
1	Re-Enrollment Opens
5	Real Men Pray Chapel
11	Parent University
14	Valentine's Day
14	Winter Break-Student Holiday/Staff Development
17	Winter Break-Student & Staff Holiday
28	Heritage Program

March	
1	Re-Enrollment Closes
14	Quarter 3 Ends
17-21	Spring Break-No School
24	Student Holiday/Staff Development
25	Quarter 4 Begins
31	Parent Conferences

April	
1--4	Parent Conferences
4	High School Signing Day
7--11	ERB Testing Week
18	Good Friday- No School
21	Easter Break- No School
22	Earth Day

May	
12--16	Teacher Appreciation Week
13	Blazer Ceremony/Passing of the Torch 8:30am
16	Field Day
21	E.C. 9am/L.S. 1:30 Awards
22	MSP/ MS Awards 9am
22	8th Graduation 6pm
23	Last Day of School/ Early Release 12PM

June	
2	Summer Packets Available on Parent Portal
14	Flag Day
15	Father's Day

July	
4	Independence day
	Student Holiday/Staff Development
	PSA/Parent University
	Student & Staff Holiday
	Parent Meeting Requirement Opportunity(4 is needed)



# The Dallas Arts Hive

## Bee in the Arts Summer 2024

Looking for ways to keep your child artsy this summer? These are a few of my go-to sites! I will be offering small group instruction this summer as well!

Email: [Aholmes@stphilips.com](mailto:Aholmes@stphilips.com) for details!!!

### Theater

<https://www.dct.org/academyclasses/summerclasses/>

<https://dallas.kidsoutandabout.com/content/drama-and-musical-theater-summer-camps-dallas>

### Visual Arts

<https://www.kidartdallas.com/camps>

<https://studioartsdallas.com/classes-and-camps/summer-classes/art-camps/>

### Dance

<https://dallas.kidsoutandabout.com/content/dance-summer-camps-dallas>

### Music

<https://www.schoolofrock.com/locations/dallas/music-camps>

<https://dallas.kidsoutandabout.com/content/music-summer-camps-dallas-area>

### Creative Writing

<https://dallas.kidsoutandabout.com/content/creative-writing-camp-1>

<https://writeonfrisco.com/collections/creative-writing-camps-summer>

# UNIFORM GUIDELINES

Girl's 6th-8th grade





# UNIFORM GUIDELINES

Girl's 4th-5th Grade



# UNIFORM GUIDELINES

Girl's K4-3rd Grade





# UNIFORM GUIDELINES

Girl's K2-K3 Grade



# UNIFORM GUIDELINES

\*Boy's 6th-8th grade



\*Tie is a men's tie. No clip-ons in middle school.



# UNIFORM GUIDELINES

Boy's K2-5th Grade



# PE UNIFORM GUIDELINES

1st-8th Grade





## **DRESS CODE AND SCHOOL UNIFORM**

St. Philip's School believes that emphasizing neat, clean, and appropriate attire will help students to develop good personal grooming throughout life. Haphazard grooming often encourages haphazard behavior and may interfere with a child's personal and academic progress. Adherence to this dress code is an exercise in obedience to rules and policy. We appreciate our parents' diligence in assisting their children in carefully adhering to the school uniform code.

Students shall observe the following specific requirements of the dress code:

### **A. General Appearance**

1. Neat, clean, and appropriate grooming for school will be encouraged and expected.
2. Hair styles and cuts should reflect good taste, and be appropriate to the simplicity of the uniform. All hairstyles (natural and others) should be kept neat in appearance – in adherence to our standard of excellence in all areas.
3. Boys may not wear earrings. Girls may wear modest earrings.
4. Make-up is not permitted.
5. No hats or caps may be worn inside the building. Adults are also asked to comply.
6. All shirts and blouses must always be tucked in.
7. St. Philip's sweaters, crewneck sweatshirts, hoodies and jackets are the only types of outer wear to be worn in the building.
8. College/University T-Shirts or sweatshirts may **only** be worn on Fridays with the St. Philip's uniform skirts, shirts, slacks, or shorts.
9. Titans may wear any College/University apparel on Thursdays and special Fridays are Free Dress days.
10. No body art (tattoos) will be allowed.
11. No gang symbols on books, bodies, bags, or other personal belongings are allowed.

### **B. Basic Guidelines**

1. Students who come to school improperly dressed will be issued a Dress Code Violation as a warning for their 1st offense. The

2nd dress code violation will result in the student being sent to the Admissions Office and parents being contacted to bring the proper clothing to school. The 3rd dress code violation will require the student to be picked up by the parent/guardian and taken home for the remainder of the day.

2. No miscellaneous items shall be worn on, over, or under the uniform. Extra coats, jackets, and non-uniform sweaters must be removed and hung in designated areas. They may not be worn in the building (hallway, classroom, gym, or cafeteria) once the school day has begun. St. Philip's sweaters, crewneck sweatshirts, hoodies and jackets are the only types of outer wear to be worn in the building.
3. Long pants are not acceptable for girls at any time.
4. St. Philip's plaid, red, white, or blue is the only acceptable color for hair accessories.
5. Uniform ties are to be worn on Mondays and special days.
6. The official uniform must be worn on Dress for Success Mondays. Boys should wear long pants and a uniform tie. Girls should wear dresses or skirts and a uniform tie. Middle School students must wear the Navy Blazer with St. Philip's emblem. No shorts or skorts may be worn on Mondays.
7. **November through March is winter weather. While there is no specific winter dress code, please be sure to dress your**

**student wisely for the cold weather conditions.**

### **C. Official Uniform**

The official uniform can be purchased at Levines Uniform Store or Official Website. Please check with the Admission Office for specific details.

All required items of the uniform shall be worn as follows:

#### **Uniform Girls**

##### **Shoes Girls**

- **PK2-PK3:** Black Mary Jane w/Velcro **NO TENNIS SHOES**
- **PK4 through 8<sup>th</sup> Grades:** Black and white or navy and white saddle oxford shoes are the only shoes that girls may wear.

#### **Pre-Kindergarten 2-Years Old through 3-Years Old Girls**

- **White oxford (button down collar)** (shirt/blouse, long or short sleeved) School Plaid or Dark Blue – Jumper. (Skirts **may not** be worn)
- **\*Navy** modesty shorts must be worn underneath jumper
- **Blue skorts** (no shorts or pants)
- White crew or knee socks (no lace) or white tights (no other color socks or tights may be worn). No ankle socks or footies may be worn
- School plaid cross tie
- St. Philip's red cardigan or pullover sweater with St. Philip's emblem.

#### **Pre-Kindergarten 4-Year Olds through 3rd Grade Girls**

- **White** shirt/blouse, long or short sleeved with button-down collar

- School plaid - Jumper (Skirts **may not** be worn)
- \***Navy** modesty shorts must be worn underneath jumper
- Blue skorts
- White crew or knee socks (no lace) or white tights (no other color socks or tights may be worn). No ankle socks or footies may be worn
- School plaid cross tie
- St. Philip's red cardigan or pullover sweater with St. Philip's emblem.

#### **4th through 5th Grade Girls Uniform**

- School plaid - skirt only
- The remainder of the uniform is the same as 3<sup>rd</sup> grade girls (as described above) apart from the plaid jumper.

#### **6<sup>th</sup>-8th Grade Girls Uniform**

- Khaki- skirt only
- Red logo polo
- School plaid cross tie
- **Light Blue** shirt/blouse, long or short sleeved with button-down collar and **Navy** blazer with St. Philip's emblem is required for "Dress for Success" Monday's.
- St. Philip's **Navy** cardigan or pullover sweater with St. Philip's emblem.

\*Girls **must** wear navy modesty shorts under their jumpers so that they may participate in more vigorous activities without embarrassment or undue concern about immodesty.

#### **Uniform Boys**

##### **Shoes Boys**

- **PK2-PK3:** Black Leather---Velcro **NO LACE UP SHOES**
- **PK4 – 8<sup>th</sup> Grades:** Boy's black lace-up shoe

#### **Pre-Kindergarten 2 – 3-Year-Old Boys**

- Navy blue slacks with or without cuffs (no corduroy or

outside labels such as Bugle Boy or Dockers)

- Baggy or "sagging" pants are not permitted
- Navy walking or knee – length shorts
- White oxford (button down collar) shirt, long or short sleeved
- Navy or black socks only with uniform shoes
- **No ankle socks or footies may be worn**
- Red cardigan or pullover sweater with St. Philip's emblem.

#### **Pre-Kindergarten 4 Year Olds - 5th Grade Boys**

- Navy blue slacks with or without cuffs (no corduroy or outside labels such as Bugle Boy or Dockers)
- Black or navy belt with small buckle (mandatory for K-6th grade)
- Baggy or "sagging" pants are not permitted
- Navy walking or knee-length shorts
- White shirt, long or short sleeved with button down collar
- Navy or black socks **only** with uniform shoes
- **No ankle socks or footies may be worn**
- Red cardigan or pullover sweater with St. Philip's emblem.

#### **6<sup>th</sup>-8th Grade Boys**

- Khaki pants
- Khaki knee-length shorts
- Red logo polo
- School plaid tie (no clip-on, needs to be a full tie)
- **Light Blue** shirt/blouse, long or short sleeved with button-down collar and **Navy** blazer with St. Philip's emblem is required for "Dress for Success" Monday's.

- St. Philip's **Navy** cardigan or pullover sweater with St. Philip's emblem.

#### **Physical Education Attire**

Girls and boys (1st-8<sup>th</sup>) must wear **royal blue**, cotton blend shorts and **gray** T-shirts with an official St. Philip's logo. The official P. E. uniforms can be purchased through the Squadlocker Spirit Shop. The Squadlocker Spirit Shop carries P. E. shorts, short-sleeved and long-sleeved shirts as well as sweatshirts and sweatpants. PK2-Kinder students **do not** purchase PE (Physical Education) uniforms. They will wear their sneakers with their official uniform.

1<sup>st</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade boys and girls may bring any type of lace-up sneaker shoes for P.E. However, they are only to be worn with the P.E. uniform. When students are in the official school uniform, the official uniform shoe must be worn. Sneakers with roller blades are not permitted (roller runners).

#### **Free & Special Dress Days**

- When "Free & Special Dress Day(s)" are awarded, the attire must represent the St. Philip's Statement of Mission and Values. When students are awarded free dress days, while on field trips or on field day, they must wear closed toed shoes.
- Additional dress guidelines will be communicated at time of "Free & Special Dress Day(s)"
- **The following items do not meet the requirements of the Dress Code and cannot be worn on campus or while participating in academic excursions.**
- Students must wear closed-toe shoes at all times while on campus and on academic excursions. Crocs, slippers, and Bubble Slides are not acceptable school footwear.
- Clothing that is sheer or reveals large amounts of skin such as a tank top or shirt/dress with spaghetti straps.
- Shirts or clothing referring to sex, drugs, alcohol, violence pertaining to degrading and distracting statements.

- Outerwear that fits tightly such as biker shorts, compression shorts and pants, tights, jegging, leggings, pajamas, yoga pants, etc. Spandex attire is not permitted.
- Shorts (for boys and girls), dresses and skirt length must reach the mid-thigh when seated.
- Clothing that restricts movement or makes it difficult to remove as needed.
- **No one-piece, onesies, full-body, or full jumper** outfits are permitted for Early Childhood and students with urinary incontinence.

**No Sandals on Free Dress or Special Dress Days** - Open-toed shoes are not permitted.

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