OUT OF UNIFORM DAYS

At all times, CKS students will represent themselves in an appropriate dress becoming of a Catholic student. On days designated as dress up or out of uniform, students are expected to dress in modest clothing looking clean and neat. Students earning individual out of uniform passes may not use the passes on liturgy days (usually Tuesdays and First Fridays) and MUST ask permission from the homeroom teacher twenty four hours PRIOR to the use of the pass. This prevents students from wearing clothing not suited for an occasion and parents from having to come to school to bring a change of clothes. Students not following the guideline will lose their out of uniform pass and receive a uniform infraction.

Students may be allowed to come out of uniform with permission for special occasions provided the following guidelines are observed:

- 1. Clothing must be free of holes, tears and frayed edges.
- 2. Students may wear athletic shorts that are clean and modest in appearance. This excludes "cut off" shorts, short shorts, boxer shorts, shorts with writing across the back.
- 3. Hem length of skirts, shorts or skorts must be <u>mid-thigh level or below</u>. Shorts may be worn before Thanksgiving and after the third full week of March, if the weather is warm.
- 4. No fleece sweat pants or bottom clothing of fleece sweat pant material.
- 5. Leggings may be worn under a skirt or dress only.
- 6. Clothing should be an appropriate size to fit the student.
- 7. Shirts with offensive advertisements or wording regarding items prohibited to persons of school age (bars, tobacco, alcohol) and low cut, tight-fitting, "see-through" shirts or tank tops are excluded.
- 8. Straps on shirts must be three inches or more in width.
- 9. Shirts and tops must cover the waistband of pants or shorts, covering the midriff.
- 10. For sanitary and safety reasons, any shoes worn to school must have a back strap or cover the whole foot. Teachers may restrict students from certain play activities if they deem shoes are not safe for the activity.
- 11. Concealer and foundation of natural tones are the only facial make-up that may be worn.
- 12. Girls may wear nail polish of any color on their <u>natural nails</u> on out-of-uniform days provided it is kept neatly manicured.
- 13. Due to safety, the earring and ring requirements remain on out of uniform days. Students may wear other jewelry that is in good taste.