



CHRIST LUTHERAN SCHOOL

2023-2024

Dress & Grooming Regulations



The Christian message is a call to a lifestyle that is different from the norm of society. The purpose of the CLS dress code is neatness, cleanliness, modesty, good taste, and safety. With this in mind, it is imperative that students wear appropriate size clothing, as NO baggy, oversized or sagging clothing will be tolerated.

Listed below are the regulations to be observed by all students at all times while at school or any school function unless specific regulations differing from those listed below are given by the Administration. THE ADMINISTRATION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REQUEST ANY STUDENT TO CHANGE ATTIRE, TO CONFISCATE ANY OBJECTIONAL ITEMS WHEN THEY DEEM IT NECESSARY, AND TO REGULATE AGAINST CERTAIN FASHIONS.

NOTE: Hats and sunglasses are not to be worn at any time. All clothes should be in good condition and kept in good repair. THERE ARE NO "FREE DRESS DAYS".

APPROVED VENDOR: Effective September 5, 2006, RED DOT will be the ONLY approved Vendor. All uniforms must be purchased throughout the year at Red Dot's El Monte location or at the Uniform Sales held at CLS. All uniform clothing must be purchased through Red Dot, except for those items listed in the "Outer Wear" section.

UNIFORMS

BOY SCOUTS, CUB SCOUTS, GIRL SCOUTS, BROWNIES, ETC MAY WEAR THEIR UNIFORMS ON THEIR MEETING DAYS.

PANTS / SHORTS / SKORTS / SKIRTS – These items must be purchased through Red Dot.

Approved colors: Khaki and navy blue and RED DOT Plaid.

Materials: Cotton twill blend, no denim, no corduroy, no stretch jersey or polyester.

1. Pants must be at least ankle length.
2. Shorts may not extend below the bottom of the knee and are not to be rolled up at waistband or hem.
3. Cargo pants and cargo shorts are not allowed.
4. Skirts, Skorts and Shorts must be no shorter than mid-thigh.
5. No underwear/boxers may be visible.

6. Pants must have a zip fly, front closure with side seam pockets. No patch pockets on the back. No hip huggers or bell-bottoms allowed.
7. Skirts and Skorts must be approved style (see examples). Available from Red Dot.
8. Girls may also wear "Stretch Dickies" pants available only through Red Dot.



Girls "Stretch Dickies" Pants



Skort

JUMPERS (Kdg. through 2nd grade only) – These items must be purchased through Red Dot.

Approved colors: Navy blue, khaki, **and RED DOT Green Plaid.**

1. Jumpers may not be shorter than two inches above the knee.
2. Worn only with approved shirts.
3. "Grow-In" and "Drop Waist style jumpers (See example).

Drop Waist Jumper
"Red Dot Green Plaid"



Grow-In Jumper

SHIRTS

Approved colors: Navy blue, Hunter Green, Maroon with CLS logo.

EFFT: 8/21/2018 Light Blue and White will no longer be a color option for polo shirts.

1. Shirts cannot be excessively long or over sized.
2. Polo shirts may be either long or short sleeve.
3. Long sleeve turtleneck or crew neck shirt **white or black** may be worn under short sleeve polo shirt (Effective: 9/4/07).
4. Any CLS/CLC T-shirt, in good condition, such as Spirit Wear, Outdoor Ed*., or summer school*, may only be worn on Fridays. (*may be worn only by those students who participated in these event).
5. No rolled up sleeves on any short sleeve shirt.

OUTERWEAR

All uniform clothing must be purchased through Red Dot, except for sweaters, zip-up sweatshirts, jackets and coats. No logos are allowed except for the CLS logo, which is only available through Red Dot.

SWEATERS - *Approved colors: Solid navy blue or white*

1. Cardigan style, button front only
2. Sweater vest allowed

JACKETS AND COATS

1. Jackets must be of solid color or colors, no prints, stripes, or designs.
2. **No denim, leather, flannel, or Pendleton jackets.**
3. **No professional, college, or other team jackets**
4. An outerwear jacket must have a complete front opening. Over the head types are unacceptable, with the exception of any Outdoor Education jacket which can only be worn on Fridays.

SWEATSHIRTS - *Approved colors: Solid navy blue. Approved Style: Zip up or pullover*

1. Sweatshirts must be free of logos, brand names, and emblems (only Christ Lutheran logos are allowed).
2. Outdoor Ed sweatshirts and green CLS sweatshirts are acceptable on Fridays only. May be worn only by those students who participated in the event.
3. Must be in good condition.
4. Must be worn with a uniform polo shirt underneath on Monday through Thursday. CLS/CLC T-shirts may be worn underneath on Fridays only (see #4 under SHIRTS).

SWEATPANTS (Kdg through 4th grade) - *Approved colors: Solid Navy blue with CLS logo.*

All sweatpants must have the CLS logo imprinted on the leg. This item is only available through Red Dot.

1. Kindergarten through 4th grade may wear solid navy blue sweatpants everyday with solid navy blue sweatshirts.
2. Sweatpants must be at least ankle length.
3. Sweatpants must be in good condition and fit properly.

P.E. UNIFORM - *Approved t-shirt colors: Steel Gray with CLS logo. Approved shorts color: Forest Green jersey knit with CLS logo.*

These items are only available through Red Dot. See Physical Education Section of Student Handbook for a complete detail of all P.E. uniform policies.

Students are to wear tie up shoes (no slip-ons) with good arch support. When purchasing shoes, ask for good running shoes. Socks must be worn.

1. Kindergarten through 4th grade may wear P.E. clothes to school on P.E. days, which includes navy sweatpants and navy sweatshirts. P.E. clothes must be in good condition (sweats must be worn over P.E. clothes).
2. 5th through 8th grade will change into P.E. clothes during their P.E. class. **P.E. clothes may not be worn to school.** Navy sweatpants and sweatshirts may be worn over P.E. clothes at P.E. teachers' discretion.
3. Only the 5th through 8th grade may wear the "extra long" P.E. shorts.

MISCELLANEOUS

The following items are required, but need not be purchased from the approved vendor:

BELTS (optional) - Approved colors: Tan (khaki), navy blue, brown.

1. Belts are optional.
2. Belts must be of appropriate length. Belts must be in pant loops.
3. Belts may be webbed, braided, or leather of standard width.

SOCKS

BOYS - Approved colors: **White or black no logos**

Unacceptable socks: Peds, anklets below the ankle or above the knee socks.

GIRLS - Approved colors: **White or black no logos**

1. Cotton anklets, knee socks (below the knee) or slouch socks.
2. **Navy blue, white or black** tights and leggings are acceptable (no patterned, lace, or mesh tights)
3. Beige toned nylons are acceptable.
4. Socks must be worn with all shoes.

Unacceptable socks: Peds, anklets below the ankle or above the knee socks.

SHOES

1. Dress shoes (no higher than ankle, no open toes or backs).
2. Athletic or Tennis shoes.
3. Shoes must fit, be worn appropriately, and laces must be snugly tied.
4. Shoes must fit snugly so that they do not fall off while running.

Unacceptable shoes: Thongs, clogs, ballet slippers, backless shoes, and any platform shoes.

GROOMING

HEADGEAR

1. NO hats, bandanas or scarves allowed.

HAIR/COSMETICS/EARRINGS

GIRLS

Unacceptable: Exaggerated hairstyles, tails, unnatural colors, shaved areas, excessive use of gels or sprays, or unacceptable jewelry may **NOT** be worn during school hours or at school functions.

1. Hair shall be neat, clean, and moderate and of one natural color. Natural looking highlights are acceptable.
2. Hair may not hang in the face and impair vision.
3. Cosmetics - 7th & 8th only - light applications only.

4. Jewelry - no more than two earrings in any ear; earrings may be no longer than two inches from the point of insertion. No dog collars or spiked jewelry.

BOYS

Unacceptable: Exaggerated hair styles, tails, unnatural colors, excessive use of gels or sprays, earrings and dog collars or spiked jewelry may NOT be worn during school hours or at school functions.

1. Hair shall be neat, clean, and moderate, and of one natural color. Natural looking highlights are acceptable.
2. Hair may not hang in the face and impair vision.
3. No facial hair.

DRESS CODE VIOLATIONS

Failure to follow the dress code will result in the following consequences:

1st Offense – Verbal warning.

2nd Offense – Written notice sent home.

3rd Offense – A conduct Referral will be sent home and parents may be required to bring a change of clothing.

* 3 conduct referrals in one-quarter equals one demerit.

Continuous violations may result in suspension or expulsion.