

## 12.0 SECONDARY DRESS CODE

### All Land's End styles and sizes are available at CCS for sizing only, no purchases.

Self-discipline results in self-respect, which is characterized by modesty and good taste in personal grooming. Students' dress will affect the atmosphere of the school: academic achievement, student attitude, and student and staff behavior. We do not suggest that our specific code of dress is mandated by the Bible. But the Bible does say to students of every generation that their appearance must be modest. Boys should dress in masculine fashion. Girls should dress in feminine fashion. The following standards are intended to promote maximum academic achievement within an optimum learning environment. These standards will apply to school and all school related activities for students 7th through 12th grade.

#### 12.1 DRESS CODE - GIRLS:

*All uniform styles of skirts, skorts, slacks, sweaters, shorts, and capris are registered with Parker Uniform and Lands' End (online CCS uniform page) and must be purchased from these stores only. Proper length and fit are the responsibility of the customer. All T-shirts and polo shirts are purchased through CCS.*

The key words in our dress code are feminine, neat and modest. All individual items of clothing, shoes, jewelry, etc. are subject to the approval of the administration.

1. **Hair:** Neat, clean, and becoming. No rock/punk styles. No shaving on head. Highlights and coloring of hair should be natural colors and evenly blended throughout the hair.
2. **Undergarments:** All girls who have begun to develop physically must wear a bra. Undergarments should not be visible through the garment or on the shoulders.
3. **Jewelry:** No more than 2 earrings in each ear. Earrings must be a matching set. No earplugs. No excessive jewelry.
4. **Shoes:** No backless shoes. All shoes must have hard soles and cannot have the appearance of house shoes—no fur lining. Shoes with laces must be tied. No decorative plastic boots, sock boots, or lace-up boots (combat, tennis shoe style, etc.) Pants may not be tucked inside the boot. No hi-top tennis shoes with skirts. No boots worn with shorts. Flip-flops may be worn on Fridays only.
5. **Socks:** Socks are not required, but if worn, must be a matching color set. No knee-high hose or athletic socks with skirts.
6. No hats, bandanas or large decorations in hair.
7. No visible tattoos (temporary or permanent). No visible body piercing.

#### Shirts:

- **Polo Shirts:** Monogrammed polo shirts with CCS will be purchased through the CCS office. May be worn daily and on chapel days.
- **T-Shirts:** CCS T-Shirts designed by the Junior Class may be worn any day except chapel day.
- **CCS Sweatshirts:** CCS sweatshirts designed by the Junior Class only.
- **Friday Shirts:** On Fridays only: any CCS shirt, tournament shirts, or Scripture shirts.

#### Slacks, Capri Pants and Walking Shorts:

- Purchased from approved uniform outlets (See 12.1, first paragraph) - must be khaki, navy or black.
- Walking shorts should be no more than 5 inches above the crease in the back of the knee. No Lycra or stretch fabrics.

#### Skorts and Skirts:

- Purchased from approved uniform outlets. (See 12.1, first paragraph)
- Skorts and skirts must hang no shorter than 2 ½ inches above the crease on the back of the knee.
- Proper length and fit are the responsibility of the parent, not the uniform company.

#### Regular Chapel Day Dress:

- Approved uniform skirt and CCS polo shirt.
- No hooded sweatshirts are to be worn **TO** chapel.
- Dress shoes (no tennis shoes) are to be worn with chapel attire.

#### Girls Chapel Dress-Up (Alternate Choice):

All clothing should be neat, clean, and wrinkle-free, with NO holes or frayed edges, and should fit properly - not too tight and not too large. NO logos, emblems, or writing on clothing. Immodest dress will result in the student being sent home to change or wait in the office until parents bring a change of clothes.

1. **Dresses:**  
**Maxi dresses** only. Must have straps and be worn with jacket or sweater or have a full top. Length should not drag the floor and should have NO back/side slits higher than the crease in the back of the knee.
2. **Skirts:**  
Straight or full - should hang even all the way around.
  - Skirts no shorter than 2 ½ inches above the crease of the back of the knee when skirt is pulled to top of hip.
  - Skirt should fit loosely enough that it stays at a modest length when sitting.
  - Back Slits only: Should be modest length. No side or front slits on knee length skirts.
  - Long skirts should not drag the floor and should have NO back/side slits higher than the crease in the back of knee.
  - Modesty shorts should be worn under skirts.
3. **Tops/Sweaters/Blouses/Cardigans:**  
Should not fit tightly, be clingy, or low cut, and should fit loosely enough that the top does not gap open between buttons. (Camisole should be worn under button-up tops.)
  - Camisoles and undergarments worn under tops should be solid white, flesh tone, or same color as top.

- Tops/Cardigans should not hang longer than the skirt. NO sleeveless tops without cardigan or jacket.
4. **Tights:** Solid color tights that match your outfit may be worn. NO NEON or COLORED PRINT. (NO athletic socks.)
  5. **Accessories:** Neck scarves, waist length denim jackets, and belts may be worn. NO head scarves or hats.
  6. **Shoes/Boots:** Should be neat, clean, and well-repaired. NO tennis shoes or lace-up boots.

**Classroom Outerwear:** Approved uniform sweaters, CCS sweatshirts, CCS hooded sweatshirts, CCS zipped sweatshirts, CCS senior hoodies, CCS band jackets, CCS jackets, and regular cut blue-jean jackets. ALL other jackets must be placed in lockers or on hooks provided. A CCS approved shirt must be worn under hoodies if hoodie is removed. Team pullovers may only be worn on Friday or on game days when the entire team dresses alike. OSSAA hoodies, old Tri-State hoodies, and FCC hoodies are Friday wear only.

**FREE DRESS CODE DAYS:**

- **Athletic pants/shorts:** Long and loose fitting. Must have at least a 7" inseam.
- **Casual shorts:** Long and loose fitting with no frayed edges, including denim.
- **Jeans or Pants:** Non-stretch and loose fitting, with no holes. No Lycra or stretch fabrics.
- **CCS/Scripture Shirts**
- **Sports Jerseys:** Worn with a t-shirt underneath
- **Fun/Cute Shirts:** Nothing sleeveless or sheer
- **Tight-fitting, compression style shirts** may only be worn underneath another shirt.
- **Outerwear:** No Abercrombie and Fitch or inappropriate logos.

**SPORTS GAMES:**

- Regular Dress Code
- School shirts, tournament T-shirts, Scripture shirts, or sports shirts. All shirts must be modest, loose-fitting, and with a high neckline.
- Nice, solid colored wind suits, of the type worn by the CCS sports teams. (No tear-aways.)
- Long basketball length shorts of the type worn by the CCS basketball teams.

**SCHOOL PROGRAMS:** Regular Dress Code only.

**No Abercrombie-Fitch clothing at school or any school activity.**

Please read **DRESS CODE VIOLATION PENALTIES** in Section 7.9.4.

**12.2 DRESS CODE - BOYS:**

**All uniform styles of slacks, sweaters, and walking shorts are registered with Parker Uniform and Lands' End (online CCS uniform page) and must be purchased from these stores only. Proper length and fit are the responsibility of the customer. All T-shirts and polo shirts are purchased through CCS.**

The key words in our boys' dress code are masculine, neat and modest. All individual items of clothing, shoes, jewelry, etc. are subject to the approval of the administration.

1. **Hair: Neat, combed, clean:** regular traditional haircut. Hair must be trimmed above the ears, above the eyebrows, and off of the collar in the back. No permed, braided, bushy hair or hair long enough to flip up in the back or on the sides. Highlights and coloring of the hair should be natural colors and evenly blended throughout the hair. No cuts that appear to be punk or rock style. No shaved heads. Hair check will be done Thursday of each week. Boys will receive 5 demerits for hair that does not meet these guidelines. If hair is not cut in a timely fashion, additional demerits will be given and parents notified.
2. **Facial Hair:** Clean shaven daily.
3. **Jewelry:** One each allowed: watch, ring, and bracelet. Necklaces must be worn inside of shirt. No earrings.
4. No visible tattoos (temporary or permanent). No visible body piercing.
5. **Shoes:** Shoes with laces must be tied. No flip-flop type sandals. No ragged or extremely dirty tennis shoes or boots will be allowed. No moccasins allowed. Dress shoes must be worn with chapel dress.
6. No chains or key straps are to be worn outside of clothing. No hats, bandanas, or scarves.
7. No oversized or decorative belt buckles.

**Shirts:**

No layering of shirts at the waist.

- **Polo Shirts:** ALL CCS long or short sleeved polo shirts will be ordered through Premier Advertising and will have CCS monogrammed on the shirt.
- **T-Shirts:** CCS T-Shirts, long or short-sleeved, designed by the Junior Class may be worn any day except chapel day.
- **Friday Shirts:** On Fridays only: any CCS shirt, tournament shirts, or Scripture shirts.
- **Correct fit:** No oversized or undersized shirts. Shirts must be long enough when student bends over that no undergarments are seen.

**Sweaters:**

- Purchased from approved uniform outlets. (See 12.2, first paragraph)

**Jeans:**

- Regular cut jeans, regular blue, black or tan colored, not oversized or tight fitting—no low-waisted tight “skinny jeans”. Belts will be required for any jeans that are sagging.
- Solid color: No faded or “greasy-looking” jeans. No “near hole” or holey jeans.

- Jeans must be hemmed, not frayed, cut, or raveled. No decorative trimming, no patches, no insignia, etc. Pockets are to be plain without decorative stitching.
- Without excessive pockets; without excessive length.

#### **Slacks and Walking Shorts:**

- Purchased from approved uniform outlets. (See 12.2, first paragraph)
- Slacks and walking shorts must be navy, black, grey, or khaki in color.
- Slacks may not be colored jeans or have patch pockets.

#### **Regular Chapel Dress:**

Approved uniform slacks (Parker or Lands' End), belt, and CCS polo shirt. Shoes must be dark, solid, leather dress type shoes. No hooded sweatshirts may be worn **TO** chapel.

#### **Chapel Dress-Up (Alternate Choice):**

All clothing should be neat, clean, and wrinkle-free, with NO holes or frayed edges, and should fit properly – not too tight and not too large. NO logos, emblems, or writing on clothing.

1. **Slacks:** Dress pant or suit. No colored jeans or patch/outside pockets on slacks. Belt or suspenders must be worn with slacks.
2. **Jackets:** Optional sports coat (blazer/suit jacket style) or suit vest.
3. **Shirts:** Dress shirt. NO western style shirts.
4. **Ties:** May be worn with button-up shirts.
5. **Shoes:** Dress shoes worn with socks. Should be clean, neat, and well-repaired. No tennis shoes, open-back shoes, or slipper/house-shoes. (NO white athletic socks with dark colored slacks.)

#### **Classroom Outerwear:**

Approved uniform sweaters, CCS sweatshirts, CCS hooded sweatshirts, CCS zipped sweatshirts, CCS senior hoodies, CCS band jackets, or CCS jackets. ALL other jackets must be placed in lockers or on hooks provided. A CCS approved shirt must be worn under hoodies if hoodie is removed. Team pullovers may only be worn on Friday or on game days when the entire team dresses alike. OSSAA hoodies, old Tri-State hoodies, and FCC hoodies are Friday wear only.

#### **FREE DRESS CODE DAYS:**

- **Athletic Pants/Shorts:** Long and loose-fitting.
- **Casual Shorts:** Long and loose with no frayed edges, including denim.
- **Jeans or Pants:** Non-stretch and loose-fitting, with no holes.
- **CCS/Scripture Shirts**
- **Sports Jerseys:** Worn with a t-shirt underneath.
- **Fun shirts:** Nothing sleeveless.
- **Tight-fitting, compression style shirts** may only be worn underneath another shirt.
- **Outerwear:** No Abercrombie and Fitch or inappropriate logos.

#### **SPORTS GAMES AND ACTIVITIES:**

- Regular Standardized Dress Code
- School shirts, tournament T-shirts, Scripture shirts, or sports shirts.
- Nice, solid colored wind suits, of the type worn by the CCS sports teams. (No tear-aways.)
- Long basketball length shorts of the type worn by the CCS basketball teams.
- Caps worn to sporting activities must be worn straight, and to the front.

#### **SCHOOL PROGRAMS: Regular Dress Code only.**

#### **No Abercrombie-Fitch clothing at school or any school activity.**

Please read **DRESS CODE VIOLATION PENALTIES** in Section 7.9.4.