#### **Dress Code**

All students at CKCS are required to adhere to the dress code. Students must always meet the dress code during the school day. Please assist the school by assuring that children arrive in the appropriate uniform attire everyday.

### **Uniform Closet**

The uniform closet is available to all CK families. Parents can take what they need for their children. You can donate outgrown clothing to the closet. Please make sure items are stain free and in good condition. Volunteers keep the closet up to date, so please be respectful when using this resource.

# **Clothing Rules**

Neatness, modesty, and good taste must be observed. All clothing must be the correct size for the student, in good repair, and clean. Underclothing must not be visible. Approved CKCS colors are white, navy blue, khaki, maize (permitted for sweaters and cardigans only), and Hunter/Classic Navy Plaid. Refer to the Lands' End brand for examples of the correct shades of navy blue, khaki, and maize. The approved plaid pattern is available from: Lands' End: Hunter/Classic Navy Plaid (<a href="https://www.landsend.com">https://www.landsend.com</a>).

Spiritwear, uniform shirts, and school swag are available through the school website: <a href="mailto:ckschool.net">ckschool.net</a>.

The CKCS logo is optional, but encouraged, on all shirts, sweaters, and jumpers. Lands' End will apply the official school logo for an additional fee.

On Mass days, Liturgy Services, or special events in the church, students should wear their best dress code policy items in a respectful manner and all shirts must be tucked in.

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Category	Grade	Girls	Boys
Accessories	All	Accessory pins are not allowed.	Accessory pins are not allowed.
		Scarves are considered outerwear, and must be removed while in the classroom.	Scarves are considered outerwear, and must be removed while in the classroom.
		Ties are optional.	Ties are optional.
Belts	All	Black, brown, tan (khaki), and navy blue, leather or canvas belts are allowed.	Black, brown, tan (khaki), and navy blue, leather or canvas belts are allowed.
Blazers	All	Blazers are optional. They must be navy blue.	Blazers are optional. They must be navy blue.
		Blazers may be worn in the classroom.	Blazers may be worn in the classroom.
Bows and Headbands	All	Bows must not exceed three inches in length or width, and project no more than one inch above the hairline.	NA
		Headbands must be plain with no adornments (large bow, cat ears), and project no more than one inch above the hairline.	
Dresses	All	Navy blue polo dresses are allowed. They must be no shorter than 3 inches above the knee.	NA
		Solid navy blue, black, or white bike shorts, tights, or leggings must be worn under dresses unless shorts are built in.	
		Collared shirts must be worn under jumpers and dresses.	
Hair	All	Hair should not be distracting.	Hair should not be distracting.
Jewelry	All	Simple jewelry is acceptable. It should not be distracting.	Simple jewelry is acceptable. It should not be distracting.
Jumpers	All	Pleated and scoop neck jumpers in khaki, navy blue or the CKCS plaid are allowed. They	

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Jumpers, continued	All	must be no shorter than 3 inches above the knee.	NA
		Solid navy blue, black, or white bike shorts, tights, or leggings must be worn under jumpers unless shorts are built in.	
		CKCS logo is optional, and no other logos are allowed.	
Makeup	Kindergarten –5th Grade	Makeup is not allowed.	NA
Makeup	6th-8th	Makeup is allowed, but not encouraged. It must be lightly applied and natural looking.	NA
Mass Day	All	Shirts must be tucked in.	Shirts must be tucked in.
		Ties are optional.	Ties are optional.
		Spiritwear is not allowed.	Spiritwear is not allowed.
Outerwear	All	Outerwear should be appropriate for temperatures and conditions.	Outerwear should be appropriate for temperatures and conditions.
		Outerwear, except approved sweaters and sweatshirts, must be removed in the classroom.	Outerwear, except approved sweaters and sweatshirts, must be removed in the classroom.
		Hats are not allowed in class, except on theme days.	Hats are not allowed in class, except on theme days.
Pants	All	Pleated or plain front straight legged twill pants in navy blue or khaki.	Pleated or plain front straight legged twill pants in navy blue or khaki.
		Pleated or plain front straight legged pants (not jersey, nylon, or knit) that are elasticized at the ankle. These pants must not taper or be form fitting.	Pleated or plain front straight legged pants (not jersey, nylon, or knit) that are elasticized at the ankle. These pants must not taper or be form fitting.

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Pants, continued	All	Pants must be modest and neat.	Pants must be modest and neat.
		Skinny jeans, leggings and cargo pants cannot be worn as dress code pants.	Skinny jeans, leggings and cargo pants cannot be worn as dress code pants.
		Pants must have no embellishments or designs.	Pants must have no embellishments or designs.
		No cuffs or rolling.	No cuffs or rolling.
		Underclothes must not be visible.	Underclothes must not be visible.
Physical Education	Kindergarten- 5th Grade	A pair of non-marking shoes must be kept in the classroom for gym use.	A pair of non-marking shoes must be kept in the classroom for gym use.
Physical Education	6th-8th	Spiritwear may be worn for PE.	Spiritwear may be worn for PE.
		A pair of non-marking shoes must be kept in lockers for gym use.	A pair of non-marking shoes must be kept in lockers for gym use.
Shirts	All	Solid white or navy collared button-up, polo, or turtleneck.	Solid white or navy collared button-up, polo, or turtleneck.
		Collars can be standard or rounded (peter pan style).	Collars are standard style.
		Sleeves must have cap sleeves or standard short sleeves or longer.	Sleeves must have standard short sleeves or longer.
		Non-CKCS logos are allowed if smaller than a quarter.	Non-CKCS logos are allowed if smaller than a quarter.
		Undershirts must be white.	Undershirts must be white.
		Underclothes must not be visible	Underclothes must not be visible
Shoes	All	Closed toed and close healed shoes are required.	Closed toed and close healed shoes are required.
		Straps do not count as the back of a shoe.	Straps do not count as the back of a shoe.

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Shoes, continued	All	Shoes must fit and allow for active participation at recess and PE.	Shoes must fit and allow for active participation at recess and PE.
		If rain or snow boots are worn to school, regular shoes must still be worn in the classroom.	If rain or snow boots are worn to school, regular shoes must still be worn in the classroom.
		No heels higher than 1 inch allowed.	No heels higher than 1 inch allowed.
		Sandals, slippers, moccasins, and crocs are not allowed.	Sandals, slippers, moccasins, and crocs are not allowed.
Shorts	All	Pleated or plain front-straight legged cotton twill shorts in navy blue or khaki.	Pleated or plain front-straight legged cotton twill shorts in navy blue or khaki.
		Cargo shorts are not allowed.	Cargo shorts are not allowed.
		Shorts must be no shorter than three inches above the knee.	Shorts must be no shorter than three inches above the knee.
		Capris in navy blue or khaki are allowed.	
Skirts, Skorts, and Scooters	All	Pleated skirt, skort, or scooter in navy blue, khaki or CKCS plaid. They must be no shorter than 3 inches above the knee.	NA
		Solid navy blue, black, or white bike shorts, tights, or leggings must be worn under jumpers unless shorts are built in.	
		Skorts must appear as skirts from the front and back.	
Socks, Tights, and Leggings	All	Socks, leggings, or tights must be worn.	Socks must be worn.
00 " 0"		Navy blue, black, or white socks, tights or leggings are	Navy blue, black or white socks are acceptable.
		acceptable. No boot-cut yoga pants.	Colored patterns are not acceptable.

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Socks, Tights, and Leggings, continued	All	Colored patterns and designs are not acceptable.  Navy blue, black, or white tights with the same color woven texture (winter tights) are acceptable.  Leggings may be worn as tights under dress or skirts.  Socks must be worn under pants and not with pants tucked into socks.  Note: Socks will only be monitored if visible when the student is standing.	Socks must be worn under pants and not with pants tucked into socks.  Note: Socks will only be monitored if visible when the student is standing.
Sweaters and Sweatshirts	All	Scoop or V-neck sweaters and cardigans (zip or button) in solid white, navy blue, or maize.  CKCS logo is optional and no other logos are allowed.  Navy blue crewneck sweatshirts may be worn if they have a collared shirt underneath. CK logo is optional.  Only Spiritwear hoodies may be worn in class, without the hood up. All other hoodies must be removed while in the classroom.	Scoop or V-neck sweaters and cardigans (zip or button) in solid white, navy blue, or maize.  CKCS logo is optional and no other logos are allowed.  Navy blue crewneck sweatshirts may be worn if they have a collared shirt underneath. CK logo is optional.  Only Spiritwear hoodies may be worn in class, without the hood up. All other hoodies must be removed while in the classroom.
Ties	All	Ties are optional. If a tie is worn, it must be with a collared shirt.  The only acceptable tie patterns are CKCS Plaid, navy blue or maize.	Ties are optional. If a tie is worn, it must be with a collard shirt.  The only acceptable tie patterns are CKCS Plaid, navy blue or maize.

In the event of conflicting opinions among parents, students, or faculty as to the correct interpretation of the dress code, the decision will be made by the CKCS principal and will be final and binding.

If a uniform accommodation needs to be considered, a note from your medical provider must be issued to the office.

#### Free Dress Policy

Free dress days are on the last Thursday of each month. On this day and other free dress days (Spirit Week, theme days) students may wear clothing other than the dress code.

On free dress or theme days, students may wear non-dress code clothes. The material, color, and pattern are their choice, if they are appropriate for school and offer the same modesty level and coverage as the dress code regarding shorts, skirt, and sleeve lengths.

These rules apply to all Free Dress, Spirit Week, and theme day clothing:

- -Closed toed and heeled shoes are required. No crocs, slides, slippers, etc.
- -Excessively tight, excessively loose, saggy, and gang-related clothing or accessories are not allowed.
- -Underclothes must not be visible.
- -T-shirts may be worn, but they must fit and have appropriate messages. No images of weapons, or anything that alludes to drugs, foul language, and inappropriate gestures or behavior, are not allowed.
- -There will be no cropped tops, tank tops, sleeveless t-shirts, or low-cut tops.
- -Jeans with holes/frays, cutoffs, spandex, bike shorts, and track shorts are not acceptable.
- -Leggings and yoga pants may only be worn with a dress or skirt.
- -No pajama pants unless it's a specified pajama day.
- -Shorts must be walking shorts and follow the dress code guidelines for length and size.
- -Skirts and dresses must be no higher than three inches above the knee.
- -Costumes cannot be worn on free dress or theme days.

## **Spiritwear Policy**

Each Thursday, students are permitted to wear a Spiritwear top (t-shirt or sweatshirt from any year) with school appropriate denim jeans (not frayed/no holes) or dress code bottoms. Hoods must be worn down while in class. Spiritwear includes Sausage Fest shirts, STEAM shirts, club or Crusader Theater shirts.

# **Dress Code Policy Enforcement**

Teachers, educational assistants, and administrators are responsible for enforcing the dress code.

## **Dress Code Policy Consequences**

Students out of compliance at drop-off are sent immediately to the office to call home, or to the uniform closet to find appropriate clothing.

If a student repeatedly violates the dress code policy they may lose their free dress day privileges. Continued violations of the dress code will be referred to the school administration for intervention.

Note: Parents will be asked to bring the proper clothes to school if the student cannot find appropriate attire in the uniform exchange closet.