

Calvary Christian School Dress Code Information

The school dress code can be found in its entirety in the 2015-2016 Student – Parent Handbook.

Kindergarten (K3 - K5)

Boys – Boys must wear neat pants and a collared shirt. Dress shorts to the knee are also acceptable. T-shirts are not allowed unless worn under a collared shirt.

Girls – Girls must wear dresses or skirts that are no shorter than one inch above the knee. Girls are encouraged to wear shorts underneath their skirts for playground modesty. (Our school uniform provider has examples of what is acceptable.) Tops should come below the waistline when arms are raised. Tank tops and spaghetti straps are not allowed. Girls may wear loose fitting pants (not leggings or sweat pants).

Clothing advertising television shows, movies, video games, or musical groups and entertainers will not be permitted. “Flip-flops” or shoes without backs are not allowed. Students in the kindergarten division are also permitted, but not required, to wear school uniforms (see below).

Elementary and High School (Grades 1-12)

School uniforms are required for students in grades 1-12. We recognize that expense may be a concern. Therefore, CCS maintains a uniform SWAP (**S**hare **W**ith **A**nother **P**erson) program through which families donate clean, gently worn uniforms their children have outgrown, and families may take items they need for the coming school year. Families are encouraged to drop off their donations early in the summer. Our SWAP Room will be open Monday – Friday from 7:30 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. beginning July 1, 2015.

School uniforms, including PE uniforms, may also be purchased from Lands’ End via their catalog or website. You may order online at www.landsend.com/school or by telephone at 1-800-469-2222. Our Preferred School Number is 900126426. The current Lands’ End catalog is available in the office. Remember that Lands’ End gift certificates may be purchased through our SCRIP program and you will earn credit toward next year’s tuition based on your uniform purchases for this year. For example, if you spend \$200, you will receive a credit of approximately \$25.20 on next year’s tuition bill. In addition, Lands’ End offers a 100% satisfaction guarantee. If you’re not satisfied with any item (improper fit, holes in knees, loose stitching, broken zippers, etc.), you may return it to Lands’ End or Sears for an exchange or refund of its purchase price.

Some school uniform items may be purchased from French Toast via their catalog or website. You may order online at www.FrenchToast.com or by telephone at 1-800-FRENCHTOAST (1-800-373-6248). Be sure to enter our source code: QS446EC when placing your order online or on the phone. Our school’s French Toast catalog is available in the office. French Toast offers a limited guarantee. If for any reason you are not satisfied with your purchase, just return any item within 30 days of receipt for a full refund of the purchase price. French Toast will not accept returns of custom embroidered products unless the product or the embroidery is defective.

New this year: Girls may wear khaki or navy Docker-style uniform pants. These may be purchased anywhere but must be within the following guidelines. Pants must be a relaxed, loose fit. Styles that are not permitted include bell-bottoms, low-riders, skinny fit, pencil fit, and cargo pants. Fabrics with more than 5% spandex are not permitted. There are several styles which may be purchased through Lands’ End, however, please be aware that these styles may not fit everyone according to CCS guidelines.

When purchasing uniforms for your child, please remember the following:

- Boys’ and girls’ pants must be navy or khaki. No low-rise or cargo pants or pants with frayed cuffs, holes, etc. will be permitted.
- All shirts must have the school logo. Long-sleeved shirts are not to be worn under short-sleeved shirts.
- Coats and non-uniform outerwear are not to be worn in classrooms.
- PE uniforms are required for students in grades 5-9. PE uniforms are permitted, but not required, for students in grades 1-4. The PE Uniform is available to order from Lands’ End. *NOTE: Both girls and boys are to order the boys’ uniform t-shirt and shorts for modesty in fit and length.* Sweatpants and hooded sweatshirts are optional for cold weather wear. All PE items are logo items.
- All uniform clothing should be neat, clean, and in good repair.
- “Flip-flops” or shoes without backs are not allowed. Boys must wear socks with their shoes.
- Wednesdays are “Denim Days” unless otherwise announced. Students may wear jeans with their CCS uniform shirt or their CCS Spirit Shirt. (Dress standards apply.) Cost \$1.00 – Must be paid in homeroom to the teacher.

In addition to khaki or navy pants, junior and senior high girls may wear khaki or navy uniform-style skirts to the bottom of the knee. These may be purchased from any provider. Please note that Lands’ End has discontinued their styles approved for our junior and senior high girls. French Toast item # 1268 is still an approved skirt for junior and senior high girls. Suggested skirts may be found at the following websites: www.modestapparelusa.com or www.sharperuniforms.com.

Calvary Christian School's dress code standards are based on biblical principles and on appropriateness and neatness. Clothing must be modest (I Timothy 2:9), reflect separation from worldliness (II Corinthians 6:17), and must be appropriate for school. A disheveled and unkempt appearance is unacceptable, even in regards to standards for both girls' and boys' hairstyles.

Performance Attire (Grades 1-6)

Calvary Christian School has a standard "performance attire" students wear for all concerts and fine arts competitions.

Girls' performance attire is available from French Toast Official School Wear. You may order online at www.frenchtoast.com or by telephone at 1-800-frenchtoast.

Girls – Grades 1-3

Black Pleated Skirt – Item #1066

White Long Sleeve Peter Pan Blouse (Feminine Fit) – Item #1460

White Heavyweight Knee Socks – Item #2224V

Girls must also wear black dress shoes.

Girls – Grades 4-6

Black Long Skirt with Back Panel – Item #1373

White Long Sleeve Peter Pan Blouse (Feminine Fit) – Item #1460

Black Nylon Tights – Item #2228V

Girls must also wear black dress shoes.

Boys – Grades 1-6

Boys' dress shirts are available from French Toast Official School Wear. You may order online at www.frenchtoast.com or by telephone at 1-800-frenchtoast.

Long Sleeve Dress Shirt with Expandable Collar – Item #1014

Boys' dress pants and belts are available at Tuxgear Inc. You may order online at www.tuxgear.com or by telephone at 1-800-601-5171. Be certain to use discount code: CC2013 to receive 10% off your order with Tuxgear Inc.

Dress Pants – Item VanGogh 2500BLK (regular sizes)
 VanGogh 2500HBLK (husky sizes)

Dress Belt – Item TGCA101BLK

Boys must also wear black socks and black dress shoes.

Performance Attire (Grades 7-12)

Calvary Christian School has a standard "performance attire" students wear for all concerts and fine arts competitions.

Performance attire for boys and girls will be ordered by the fine arts department, and each choir member's account will be charged. The cost is approximately \$50.

Girls

Girls must also wear sheer black hosiery and solid black, closed-toed dress shoes with a heel no higher than 2 inches.

Boys

Boys must also wear black socks and dress shoes.

If you have any questions or need assistance with the ordering process, please do not hesitate to contact the school office at 843-650-2829. Summer office hours are Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.