

CFCA DRESS CODE AND UNIFORM POLICY

6.1 Summary Statement

- The dress code is meant to uphold biblical modesty and dignity appropriate to an academy setting.
- Student appearance reflects the Christ-centered focus of CFCA.
- All uniforms must be purchased through LEAD DOGS, the CFCA used uniform sale, or CFCA spirit wear.
- Uniforms cannot be altered.
- Applies during the school day and at all CFCA events on/off campus, unless otherwise stipulated.
- Staff monitor dress code, and violations can result in a student being sent home, absence penalties, or disciplinary action up to dismissal. Parents are urged to supervise dress daily.

6.2 Extracurricular Guidelines

- Students must maintain a modest standard of dress for after-school and weekend activities.
- Home game days: athletes may wear approved jerseys/polos with coach/admin approval.
- Boys must wear shirts at all practices.
- Shorts must extend past the longest finger when arms are at the side.
- Biker shorts are not permitted at any practices or rehearsals.

6.3 K-12 Dress Code Guidelines

- ID Badge: Grades 6-12 must wear a visible school-issued badge (replacement fees apply).
- Tops: Required to wear school polo Monday–Friday. All polos/hoodies must be purchased from LEAD DOGS (CFCA-approved vendor).
- Bottoms: Khaki or black slacks, skirts, skorts, or shorts.
- * No olive, faded, suede, joggers, sweat, cargo, or workout pants.
- * Must follow gender-specific guidelines.

Personal Grooming

- Neatly trimmed beards and mustaches permitted.
- Excessive makeup/jewelry not allowed for girls.

Hair

- Must look natural (no mohawks, bright unnatural colors).
- Girls: hair cannot cover eyes; no bonnets/bandanas (school-color accessories allowed).
- Boys: hair must be neat and not cover face.

Footwear

- Dress shoes, casual shoes, boots, and tennis shoes are allowed.
- Open-toed shoes/sandals must have a back strap (except upper school closed-toed shoes).
- No Crocs, flip-flops, slides, bubble shoes, or slippers.
- PE requires lace-up athletic shoes.

Outerwear

- Only CFCA-approved outerwear permitted.
- Club/sports hoodies allowed with approval.
- Hoods may not be worn indoors.
- Non-approved outerwear will be taken to the office.
- Hats and sunglasses not allowed unless for a special event.

Body Markings

- Tattoos/body markings must be covered at all times.

Gender-Specific Guidelines

Girls

- Skirts/shorts: no shorter than 3" above the knee.
- No tights/leggings as bottoms.
- Polos must be CFCA monogrammed and appropriately sized.
- Undershirts must be in school colors.
- No jackets/sweatshirts tied around waist.
- PE: approved PE uniform or CFCA t-shirt with athletic shorts meeting length requirement.
- Jewelry: only ear piercings (max 2 per ear).
- Nose piercings must use clear spacers only (no new piercings allowed during enrollment).
- Swimwear for events: one-piece or full-coverage tankini only.
- Knee-high socks: solid white, black, or grey.

Bovs

- Pants/shorts must be worn at/above hips (no sagging or baggy).
- Shorts: no shorter than 3" above the knee.
- Slacks must not be torn, stained, or slit.
- Polos must be CFCA monogrammed.
- Undershirts/long sleeves: solid white, black, or gray only.
- Only one single-strand necklace under shirt allowed.
- No body piercings or earrings (spacers not allowed).
- Must always wear a shirt, even during/after athletics.

6.4 Field Trips

- Lower School: CFCA spirit shirt + uniform bottoms (unless otherwise specified).
- Upper School: jeans + polo (unless otherwise specified).

6.5 Spirit Day

- CFCA spirit shirt + jeans (must follow modesty standards).

6.6 Dress Down Days

- Guidelines set per event; modesty standards still apply.