



Secondary School (Grades 7-12)

UNIFORM POLICIES FOR 2023-2024

Cherokee Christian Schools has chosen to adopt a uniform-based dress code for all grade levels. While we strive to align our overall policies with CCS values, we understand that there is often room for interpretation, particularly with items not issued by one of our approved uniform suppliers (socks, shoes, belts, etc.), we allow as much individual expression as possible. However, we reserve the right to deem certain colors/styles as inappropriate for school uniform compliance. In order to serve as broad a community as possible, the school determines the dress code. Disagreement with the particulars of the dress code is not a valid reason for disobeying it. **Three or more uniform violations in a quarter for failure to comply with the policy will result in disciplinary action as outlined in the Student-Parent Handbook. A fourth infraction will result in escalated disciplinary action that will remain in effect for the rest of the semester.** Uniform violations will reset at the semester break. It is the responsibility of the parent to see that their student is dressed appropriately and in full accordance with the school's policies.

Suppliers

Items can be found at [Lands' End](#), [French Toast](#) or [Trinity Shirts & Signs](#).

General Standards

- Students are to be in uniform at all times while on campus during the normal school day.
- **All uniform pieces from our approved vendors must have the CCS logo, with the exception of the plaid skirt for girls.**
- All uniform clothing shall be neat, clean and in good repair. All clothing is to fit properly. Tight clothing or overly loose/baggy clothing is not allowed. Undergarments shall not be visible.
- **PE uniforms are required in Secondary School and are only available through Trinity Shirts & Signs.**
The interpretation of the code is left to the discretion of the administration. If a student is out of dress code, parents will need to bring a change of clothing.

SECONDARY SCHOOL GIRLS	
HATS	No hats are to be worn inside the school during school hours.
HAIR	Hair must be clean and neat. Hairstyles are not to be extreme, overly flashy, or in unnatural colors. Girls who color their hair must avoid sharp contrasts in coloring, highlights, etc.
JEWELRY	Limited to small rings, small earrings, small bracelets, watches, and moderately sized necklaces. Earrings will not exceed two per ear. Jewelry shall not be overtly flashy or excessive.
COSMETICS	Modest cosmetics allowed.
TATTOOS	None allowed.
SECONDARY SCHOOL BOYS	
HATS	No hats are to be worn inside the school during school hours.
HAIR	Neat and clean. Hair length is allowed to the shoulder. No hair coloring or bleaching. Sideburns shall not extend past the middle of the ear. No other facial hair is allowed.
JEWELRY	Limited to small rings, watches, wristbands, and one small necklace.
COSMETICS	None allowed.
TATTOOS	None allowed.

Specific Uniform Standards

Boys		Girls	
BOTTOMS	<p><u>Pants:</u> Black joggers (available at Trinity Shirts & Sign only), Active Chino Pants in Khaki or Black or Blue denim jeans.</p> <p><u>Shorts:</u> Blue denim or standard uniform shorts (pleated or flat front) or active chino in Khaki or Black.</p> <p><i><u>All shorts must be modest in fit and length.</u></i></p> <p><i><u>All bottoms must be worn at the hip or waist and have a hem. They must be solid in color and contain no holes or embroidery/appliqué designs.</u></i></p>	BOTTOMS	<p><u>Pants:</u> Black joggers (available at Trinity Shirts & Sign <u>only</u>) or Blue denim jeans.</p> <p><u>Skirts:</u> (pleated or A-line) in Burgundy/Maroon Plaid only. (Logo not required.) <i><u>May <u>not</u> be worn with the performance polo.</u></i></p> <p><u>Shorts:</u> Blue denim or standard uniform shorts (pleated or flat front) or active chino in Khaki or Black.</p> <p><i><u>All shorts & skirts must be modest in fit and Length.</u></i></p> <p><i><u>All bottoms must be worn at the hip or waist and have a hem. They must be solid in color and contain no holes or embroidery/appliqué designs.</u></i></p>
SHIRTS	<p>Mesh Collared or Rapid Dry polo shirt (short or long sleeve) in Black, Maroon/Burgundy, or Gray.</p> <p>Note: Only white undershirts may be worn underneath uniform polos. NO long sleeve shirts may be worn underneath short sleeve uniform polos.</p>	SHIRTS	<p>Mesh Collared or Rapid Dry polo shirt (short or long sleeve) in Black, Maroon/Burgundy, or Gray.</p> <p>Note: Only white undershirts may be worn underneath uniform polos. NO long sleeve shirts may be worn underneath short sleeve uniform polos.</p>
SHOES	Standard athletic or dress shoes suitable for P.E. No open-toed or backless shoes. Dress/cowboy boots are allowed.	SHOES	Standard athletic or dress shoes suitable for P.E. No open-toed or backless shoes. Flat boots/ankle boots are allowed. NO heels.
SOCKS	Conservative solid or printed socks with no objectionable content or images.	SOCKS	Conservative solid or printed socks with no objectionable content or image. Only solid black ankle length leggings allowed with skirts.
OPTIONAL OUTERWEAR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gray quarter zip pullover with CCS logo (Available at Trinity Shirts & Signs <u>only</u>) Maroon or Black fleece jacket Varsity letter jacket Black insulated jacket (Lands' End only) Girls Cardigan Sweater in Black 		
Sweatshirt	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Crewneck sweatshirt in BLACK (collared uniform polo must be worn underneath) 		
P.E. UNIFORMS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gray P.E. shirt with new "W" Warriors logo (Available at Trinity Shirts & Signs <u>only</u>) Black P.E. shorts with new "W" Warriors logo (Available at Trinity Shirts & Signs <u>only</u>) 		

Spirit Day Standards

Most Fridays are designated as Spirit Day unless otherwise stipulated on the school calendar. Specific guidelines are listed below.

BOTTOMS	Standard uniform shorts, joggers or blue denim jeans. Bottoms must be worn at the hip or waist and have a hem. They must be solid in color and contain no holes.
SHIRTS	Any uniform shirt or sweatshirt with the school logo. Any school t-shirt sold at school functions, issued to students, or sold at the official CCS Online Spirit Store.
SHOES & OUTERWEAR	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Standard uniform code applies.• Gray CCS Warrior Hoodie (Available at Trinity Shirts & Signs and worn on Spirit Day ONLY)