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Cypress Christian School Secondary Boys (Grades 6-12) Dress Code Guidelines

The school's dress code is designed to help the school a) promote the decorum and dignity of our academic mission, b) promote unity of purpose within the student body and c) support biblical principles of modesty and distinction of genders. Supporting the school and coming to school each day with clothing in compliance with the dress code is a responsibility of both the student and the parent. Dress code violations will be recorded, and repeated violations will result in appropriate disciplinary action.

Secondary Boys (Grades 6-12) Visit CypressChristian.org/Parents/Dress-Code for approved items lists.	
Monday through Thursday	Friday
 FlynnO'Hara or Lands' End approved uniforms* 	Denim blue jeans, shorts
Navy, light blue or white polos with interlocking CC logo	CCS-approved spirit wear t-shirt or polo
worn with approved uniform pants or shorts	FlynnO'Hara or Lands' End approved uniforms
Outerwear worn in classrooms: any approved CCS	Outerwear worn in classrooms: any approved CCS
outerwear that is navy, Columbia blue, white or gray.	outerwear

^{*}Parker Uniforms: CCS Parker uniforms that comply with current dress code standards and are in good condition may continue to be worn.

Logos/Monograms: Only CCS logos/wording are allowed on garments (available from FlynnO'Hara, Lands' End, Warrior Warehouse and other school organizations).

Polos/T-shirts: All polos and t-shirts may be worn tucked or untucked. Shirts must be of appropriate size, properly buttoned and must be long enough to avoid midriff or undergarments from showing.

- Monday through Thursday: Solid navy, light blue or white polos purchased with interlocking CC logo from FlynnO'Hara or Lands' End must be worn.
- **Friday:** In addition to approved uniforms, CCS-approved spirit wear and CCS class/organization shirts issued by the school may be worn.

Pants/Shorts/Jeans:

- Monday through Thursday: Solid navy or khaki pants and shorts purchased from FlynnO'Hara or Lands' End are to be worn. (Note: If a student has special sizing issues, approval may be requested for long pants and shorts that replicate the standard color and style of FlynnO'Hara or Lands' End uniforms to gain compliance.)
- **Friday:** In addition to approved uniforms, denim jeans may be worn on Fridays only. Jeans are to be blue no other colors are allowed. Tight or overly baggy jeans are not allowed. Jeans may not have holes, frays or rips.

All pants/shorts/jeans should not be too tight nor too loose. Clothing should not allow undergarments to be visible. Low-rise garments are not permitted nor is "sagging" allowed. Pants and jeans may not be cut to fit over shoes, and may not have holes, rips or frays. Shorts must not be shorter than five inches above the crease at the back of the knee and not be longer than the bottom of the knee. No cargo/crop/carpenter or cargo style pants/jeans.

Belts: A belt must be worn with garments that have belt loops when a shirt is worn tucked in, when the belt loops are easily seen or when needed to ensure proper fit of shorts or pants even when worn with an untucked shirt. Belts must be solid black, brown, navy blue or tan in color with a regular "D-ring" or other standard buckle (no "logo" buckles). Belts with studs or spikes are not allowed.

Shoes: Athletic or casual shoes in good condition and correctly fitted should be worn each day. Shoes with laces or lace eyelets must be tied at all times. Western boots (cowboy or ropers) may be worn with long pants. No other styles of boots are allowed. Pants and jeans may not be tucked into boots. Flip-flops, sandals and slippers are not allowed.

Socks: If socks are worn, socks must be matching and visible at the top of the shoe. Acceptable sock colors are white, navy blue, gray, black or Columbia blue. No images or wording allowed other than manufacturer's marks or logos.

Undershirts: Solid white or navy undershirts may be worn under polos and t-shirts and should not extend below the bottom of a shirt.

Outerwear: Students may wear CCS-approved outerwear. This includes outerwear purchased via a uniform provider or in the Warrior Warehouse that is navy, Columbia blue, white or gray. Outerwear provided by CCS athletics is also allowed any day during the school week and may include sweatshirts, hoodies, cage jackets or jackets in navy, Columbia blue, white or gray. Hoods may not be worn in buildings. All outerwear garments must be neat in appearance, appropriately sized and worn over approved CCS uniform shirts or clothing. Heavy coats may be worn to and from school but should be kept in locker during school hours.

Co-Curricular: Students attending school-sponsored functions, including home and away activities, are to use the following guidelines for non-uniform attire: 1) Unless a coach or faculty member gives permission for particular games or activities, boys are not permitted to wear sleeveless shirts, tank tops or see-through/mesh clothing and are expected to wear a shirt; 2) No clothing is allowed that promotes activities/things contrary to school policies and Christian values; 3) The administration may allow or require special clothing to be worn as may be needed or appropriate for a particular field trip or special event.

Grooming: No beards or mustaches are permitted. Sideburns may be to the tip of the ear lobe. Boys should come to school clean-shaven each day. Boys are not permitted to body pierce, tattoo, wear make-up or nail polish, body-write or wear pierced or clip-on jewelry (earrings, nose rings, etc.).

Hair: Hair must be neatly groomed at all times. It should be worn in a manner that is not a distraction to the student or others around him (this includes mohawks or any other extreme haircuts and/or haircuts with unnatural or extreme color contrasts). Hair should be worn above the eyebrows and ears, and off the shirt collar in the back. Hairstyles that have hair lengths which cause the student to wet, clip, tie or gel back the hair in order to gain compliance are not acceptable.

Head Gear: No head coverings of any kind (hats, bandanas, hoodies, towels, etc.) are permitted to be worn inside buildings. No combs, sunglasses or picks are to be worn in hair or on the head.