

# CCA School Uniform Options

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*General Information: Our official uniform provider is Lands' End. They have an unconditional guarantee on all their products. If you are unhappy for any reason, send the product back for a refund or exchange. This guarantee is good even after the garment has been washed and worn and even if it displays the CCA logo. The company runs many sales and specials on a daily basis. Lands' End gives a certain percentage of sales back to CCA, so when you buy from our store on the website, you are also helping our school. The only required uniform items that must be purchased from Lands' End are jumpers and skirts for girls. The administration feels CCA families will appreciate the style, fabric, cost, discounts, and guarantee that Lands' End provides. Being dressed for school has never been so easy. Please see the CCA Parent/Student Handbook for a full list of uniform guidelines. A list of FAQs follows the uniform listings.*

## **School Uniforms and General Guidelines**

- School uniforms are required for regular academic days. Students will be expected to dress daily in the school uniform with the exception of specified non-uniform days.
- The purpose of the school uniform is to promote dress that is clean, neat, modest and non-distracting.
- Modesty is always required at any CCA event for our young men and young ladies.
- Dress code for different events – academic, athletic or social will be communicated to fit the purpose of the event.

**Gear for You, a local Wichita business, is the official provider of CCA Spirit wear. Spirit wear that is not from the Gear for You store will not be permitted.**

## **Grooming and Dress guidelines for ALL students:**

- Students must have their shirts tucked in.
- Boys must wear belts at all times.
- Skirts, jumpers, and shorts must be no more than 2 inches above the top of the knee, preferably to the knee.
- White, navy, black, or gray socks must be worn with shoes.
- All shoes must be closed-toe with an enclosed heel (no Crocs, slides, high heels, flip-flops or sandals).
- No athletic shorts, skirts, sweatpants, exercise tights, or yoga pants are allowed.
- All pants must be in good condition with no holes, including jeans worn on non-uniform days.
- K-8 students may wear uniform shorts to school until November 1, and after Spring Break. High School students may wear uniform shorts year round.
- Girls must wear shorts or solid leggings (black, gray, navy) under their skirts and jumpers.
- All undershirts must be plain white or equal in color to the uniform shirt.
- No hats, headscarves, jackets, non-uniform sweatshirts, sweaters, or coats may be worn in the classroom.

- Students may wear CCA (left-chest lionhead only) sweatshirts, ¼ zips, fleece or navy cardigan sweaters in the building.
- Girls may not use excessive or distracting make-up.
- Jewelry must not be offensive or distracting.
- Students should not make marks with pens, pencils, markers on hands, legs, arms, or clothing.
- No tattoos or body piercings (except for pierced earrings for girls).
- Hairstyles should be conservative and neat. No hair down in the eyes. Boys' hair needs to be cut above the collar. Hairstyles or unusual coloring (as defined by the administration) that would draw undue attention or distract learning are not permitted for either boys or girls.
- Facial hair for young men should be neatly groomed. Facial hair that would draw undue attention or distract learning (as defined by administration) is not permitted.
- **CCA administration reserves the right to decide if certain clothing and/or footwear is appropriate.**

#### **K-4 Girls**

- CCA plaid jumper
- Flat front mid-rise twill navy slacks or shorts
- Peter Pan collar white shirt-short or long sleeve
- Plain or left-chest lionhead logo white polo shirt-short or long sleeve
- Plain or left-chest lionhead logo gray polo shirt-short or long sleeve
- CCA uniform (left-chest lionhead only) sweatshirt, ¼ zip, fleece, or navy cardigan
- Solid leggings: navy, black, gray, white (no lace)
- Navy, black, gray or white socks

#### **K-4 Boys**

- Flat front or pleated twill navy slacks
- Flat front or pleated twill navy shorts
- Plain or left-chest lionhead logo white polo shirt-short or long sleeve
- Plain or left-chest lionhead logo gray polo shirt-short or long sleeve
- CCA uniform (left-chest lionhead only) sweatshirt, ¼ zip, fleece, or navy cardigan
- Belt
- Navy, black, gray or white socks

#### **5-6 Girls**

- CCA plaid skirt
- Flat front mid-rise twill khaki slacks or shorts
- Plain or left-chest lionhead logo white polo shirt-short or long sleeve
- Plain or left-chest lionhead logo navy polo shirt-short or long sleeve
- CCA uniform (left-chest lionhead only) sweatshirt, ¼ zip, fleece, or navy cardigan
- Solid leggings: navy, black, gray, white (no lace)
- Navy, black, gray or white socks

## **5-6 Boys**

- Flat front or pleated twill khaki slacks
- Flat front or pleated twill khaki shorts
- Plain or left-chest lionhead logo white polo shirt-short or long sleeve
- Plain or left-chest lionhead logo navy polo shirt-short or long sleeve
- CCA uniform (left-chest lionhead only) sweatshirt, ¼ zip, fleece, or navy cardigan
- Belt
- Navy, black, gray or white socks

## **Junior High Girls**

- CCA plaid skirt
- Flat front mid-rise twill khaki slacks or shorts
- Plain or left-chest lionhead logo white polo shirt-short or long sleeve
- Plain or left-chest lionhead logo navy polo shirt-short or long sleeve
- CCA uniform (left-chest lionhead only) sweatshirt, ¼ zip, fleece, or navy cardigan
- Solid leggings: navy, black, gray, white (no lace)
- Navy, black, gray or white socks

## **Junior High Boys**

- Flat front or pleated twill khaki slacks
- Flat front or pleated twill khaki shorts
- Plain or left-chest lionhead logo white polo shirt-short or long sleeve
- Plain or left-chest lionhead logo navy polo shirt-short or long sleeve
- CCA uniform (left-chest lionhead only) sweatshirt, ¼ zip, fleece, or navy cardigan
- Belt
- Navy, black, gray or white socks

## **High School Girls**

- CCA plaid skirt from Land's End-Navy Blue plaid
- CCA solid skirt from Land's End-Gray
- Flat front mid-rise twill gray slacks or shorts
- Plain or left-chest lionhead logo white or navy polo shirt-short or long sleeve
- Plain or left-chest lionhead oxford shirt-white, blue, or light-sea blue, short, long, or ¾ length sleeve
- Any second layer item (i.e. sweatshirt, ¼ zip, fleece, Sherpa, etc.) must be a left-chest lionhead logo.
- Hooded sweatshirts may only be worn on spirit days (Fridays).
- Land's End Hopsack Blazer in deep navy (optional piece)
- Solid leggings: navy, black, gray, white (no lace)
- Navy, black, gray or white socks

## High School Boys

- Flat front or pleated twill gray slacks or shorts
- Plain or left-chest lionhead logo white or navy polo shirt,-short or long sleeve
- Plain or left-chest lionhead logo oxford short or long sleeve shirt in white, blue, French blue, or blue stripe (Land's End colors)
- Any second layer item (i.e. sweatshirt, ¼ zip, fleece, Sherpa, etc.) must be a left-chest lionhead logo.
- Hooded sweatshirts may only be worn on spirit days (Fridays).
- Land's End Hopsack Blazer in deep navy (optional piece)
- Belt
- Navy, black, gray or white socks

## P.E. Uniforms

P.E. uniforms are required for all students taking physical education courses beginning in 5<sup>th</sup> grade. (All 5<sup>th</sup>-8th grade students take PE; PE/Health is a high school graduation requirement but may not be required each semester for high school.) These uniforms are to be purchased through Gear for You.

Time will be given to change into the uniform. When students, for one reason or another, do not dress in their official P.E. uniforms, points toward their P.E. grade will be taken off for each offense. P.E. uniforms should fit modestly (finger-tip length for shorts; tops that do not expose skin when arms are raised). Students are required to have appropriate P.E. shoes that will be kept at CCA.

## Dress Code for School Spirit Days

A school spirit day will be held every Friday. On these days, students may wear a CCA spirit shirt or CCA sweatshirt and blue jeans or uniform pants. Pants, including jeans, must be free of holes or tears. Spirit wear that is not from the Gear for You store will not be permitted. Before November 1, and after Spring Break, capris and uniform shorts may be worn.

## Dress Code for Non-Uniform Days

Students will be expected to dress daily in the school uniform with the exception of specified non-uniform days. **CCA administration reserves the right to decide if certain clothing and/or footwear is appropriate.**

### *Shirts and tops*

- Shirts must be modest and conservative. No low cut tops, tank tops, mesh shirts, sleeveless, or tight shirts that reveal the outline of undergarments.
- Shirts and tops should not be skin-tight.
- Shirt must keep all skin at waistline covered when a student's arms are raised above his/her head.
- All writing or pictures must reflect a Christian lifestyle.

### ***Pants/Shorts***

- Capris and denim shorts may be worn in August, September, October, April, and May.
- Shorts length must be no higher than 2 inches above the top of the knee.
- Pants, including jeans, must be free of holes or tears.

### ***Dresses or Skirts***

- Length must be no higher than 2 inches above the top of the knee.
- Dress tops or tops worn with skirts must follow shirt and top guidelines.

### ***Shoes and Socks***

- Closed or open-toed shoes with heel straps may be worn on non-uniform days.
- Socks must be worn with all athletic shoes and closed-toed shoes.

## **Uniform FAQs**

### **Q. Do students have to have both colors of the polo shirt?**

A. No. Pick one or both colors. It's your choice.

### **Q. Do high school girls have to have both colors of skirts?**

A. No. Pick one or both skirts. It's your choice.

### **Q. Do high school boys have to have all those shirts?**

A. No. Pick the shirts you like. It's your choice.

### **Q. Do I need to buy all the sweaters and fleece jackets?**

A. No. Pick the sweaters and jackets you like.

### **Q. Do students have to wear shorts?**

A. No. Shorts are optional.

### **Q. When can students wear shorts?**

A. Shorts are allowed until November 1, and after spring break.

### **Q. What about shoes?**

A. All shoes must be closed-toe with an enclosed heel (no Crocs, slides, high heels, flip-flops or sandals)

### **Q. When is CCA Spirit Day?**

A. Every Friday is a CCA Spirit Day. Students can wear a CCA t-shirt or sweatshirt from Gear for You, and blue or khaki jeans/shorts/pants. The regular uniform is always acceptable on Spirit Days if students prefer the uniform.

### **Q. Where can I buy spirit wear?**

A. CCA has partnered with ***Gear for You***. The Gear for You store features moderately priced tees, sweatshirts, and other items in a variety of styles and fits. Please know Gear for You does not accept returns or exchanges. In the past, the women's fit items from Gear for You have run

small. The store is usually open twice during the school year. Once the stores close, it takes two to three weeks for the store to order, print, and deliver the merchandise. Most merchandise will be sent to CCA for delivery. Please realize this is not like ordering online from a regular store or Amazon—you will not receive your merchandise in just a few days. The company processes the orders only after the store closes.

**Q. If Gear for You no longer offers the CCA logo polo shirt, where do I buy one?**

A. Lands' End offers polo shirts with or without the logo. You may also request polo shirts from the uniform closet although many uniform closet items do not have the CCA logo.

**Q. How do I request items from the uniform closet?**

A. Send an email to [ccauniforms@ccalions.org](mailto:ccauniforms@ccalions.org). Please state the specific items, colors, and sizes you need. If we don't have your item, you will be put on a waiting list. Our uniform closet is run by volunteers. Please allow enough time for your items to be filled.

**Q. Are the Lands' End items really guaranteed?**

A. Yes! All Lands' End items are unconditionally guaranteed (even with the logo applied). If you don't like something or if you don't feel it has worn well, send it back for an exchange or refund—even if it has been worn, washed, or does not have the tags.

**Q. How do I find the CCA store on the Lands' End website?**

A. On [Landsend.com](http://Landsend.com), click on School and then Find My School. Our school number is **900186909**, but if you don't have that, you can search for our name and state. The site asks you to create students in grade levels so you can see exactly what is available to order. There is an insulated vest in the spiritwear section. In order to see the vest, you have to create a spiritwear student. On dark items (navy and coal heather), our logo will be gold. On light items (light gray and white), our logo will be navy.

**Q. Does Lands' End have sales?**

A. Yes. They always seem to be running a sale. If you sign-up for their coupons, you will see all their offers.

**Q. What is the penny logo sale?**

A. Lands' End has certain times when the CCA logo costs only one penny to apply to any shirt or fleece. This is a great deal.

**Q. When I buy from Lands' End or Gear for You am I helping CCA?**

A. Yes. Each company gives a certain percentage back to CCA.

**Q. When does my student need a PE uniform, and how do I purchase one?**

A. Students in grades 5-12 wear PE uniforms. These are ordered online directly from Gear for You.