

MIDDLE SCHOOL DRESS CODE: 2019-2020

Students are expected to follow the uniform dress code policy at all times during regular school hours and as designated for special events. From time to time, the administration at their discretion may elect to observe “special” days where uniforms are not required. Unless notified of a “special” non-uniform day, students shall be dressed appropriately.

In our attempt to establish a unified community, we are asking ALL students to adhere to these policies. If infractions/ violations occur, please see the **Uniform Infraction/ Violation** section of the dress code.

All uniforms are to be ordered through Lands’ End via the school catalog or online at www.landsend.com/uniforms. No substitutions will be permitted. When ordering from Lands’ End, PLEASE provide our preferred school number and logo number. (These can be located on the mailing label of your current catalog and in the next paragraph.) As a “preferred school”, Lands’ End will rebate 3% of total sales to Cross Schools. Scrip cards may also be used to place Lands’ End orders.

Lands’ End will accept orders throughout the school year; therefore, it is not necessary to order all clothing items at once. However, items are often placed on back-order which will delay your order. Do not wait until the first cool weather to order sweaters, jackets and long sleeve shirts. Accessories need not be ordered through Lands’ End.

Lands’ End Logo Information:

Preferred School Number	9000-4663-2
Toll Free Number	800-469-2222
Website	www.landsend.com/uniforms

Used Uniforms

Gently worn uniform clothing may be purchased at reduced prices through the school store. Only clothing items that are clean and in excellent condition are accepted for resale in this program.

General Appearance

General appearance should be neat, modest, and orderly at all times. Shirrtails must be tucked in, socks must be worn with shoes, shoe laces tied, and hair should be kept neat and clean. Boys’ hair must be above the earlobes on the sides, above the collar in the back, and above the eyebrows in the front. Hair accessories for girls must be minimal and should keep hair out of the eyes. No ornate jewelry should be worn. Hair dye, colored hair extensions or face paint will not be permitted. Boys may not wear earrings. All necklaces must be complimentary to the dress code (for example, pearls or simple and understated with small charms). No visible body piercing (excluding earrings for girls). Tattoos must not be visible while wearing any of the school uniforms. Hats are not permitted inside the building, unless designated for a special occasion.

Outerwear

While outside, girls and boys are permitted to wear jackets and coats of their choice, as long as the jacket and/or coat is neat and simple (free from excessive logos, pictures, etc.). Lands’ End sells fleece jackets that are available in red with our school logo. These jackets look nice, **but are not required**. Sweaters are not considered outerwear. When wearing a sweater or Cross-authorized jacket indoors, the uniform items with logo should be worn. All outerwear, except the Lands’ End red fleece jacket or Cross-authorized jacket, is to be worn only while outside.

Revisions and/or changes may be made, as necessary, throughout the year for the well-being of the entire school community. School parents’ support of this policy is of the utmost importance, and all families are asked to monitor their students’ uniform attire on a daily basis.

School administrators have the final responsibility for interpretation and enforcement of dress code should any anomaly exist.

Girl's Typical Academic Day Uniform:

- Shirt:** white, red or blue mesh, interlock or active polo **with logo**, short or long-sleeve
white or light sea blue oxford button-down **with logo**, short or long-sleeve
- Skirt:** hunter/classic navy plaid skirt
khaki pleated "top of the knee" skirt
navy pleated skirt
- Dress:** classic navy Ponte dress **with logo**
- Shorts:** **NEW ADDITION** – khaki plain chino front blend short
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- Pants:** khaki chino pants
navy chino pants
- Sweater:** red cotton modal fine gauge vest **with logo**
red cotton modal cardigan **with logo**
red cotton modal fine gauge V-neck **with logo**
rich red fine gauge sweater shell and button front sweater **with logo (SPECIAL ORDER)**
- Socks & Shoes:** **PLAIN** white or navy socks (knee or ankle) or tights are to be worn with leather navy blue or black slip on shoes. Heels should not exceed one inch. **Preapproved Sperry Shoes may be worn with the khaki skirt ONLY.**

The length of the jumper or skirt should not be shorter than the length of a student I.D. card or standard credit card placed at the top of the knee cap when standing. Please ensure hems are not loose or hanging down. **Navy blue bike shorts** must be worn under the jumper or skirt. **Belts are required**, even under vests and sweaters **when wearing skorts, shorts, or pants**. Belt should be plain leather, either black or brown or Land's End hunter navy plaid. Please note: bike shorts, socks, tights and shoes need not be ordered through Lands' End.

(Optional): WHITE, GRAY, or NAVY running athletic shoes with a black or white sole may be worn **with a Typical Academic Day uniform; they may also be worn with a PE uniform, or Spirit Wear Friday attire.** Any accent colors on the shoe must also be white, gray, or navy (excluding the black sole). Athletic running shoes should have no wheels, lights, skulls, cartoon characters or inappropriate logos, and worn with **PLAIN white, navy, or black athletic socks (NO LOGOS)**. Velcro is fine, and shoes with laces must remain tied at all times. *Athletic shoes are NOT permitted to be worn with Chapel uniform.*

Girl's PE Uniform:

- red athletic shorts** (Item #486479-BPX)
white or gray tee **with logo**, short or long-sleeve
Stingray PRIDE t-shirt
pewter heather gray sweatpants
navy PE shorts (Stingray Spirit Store)
blue PE pants (Stingray Spirit Store)

PE shoes should be an athletic shoe with no wheels, lights, skulls, cartoon characters or inappropriate logos, worn with **PLAIN white, navy, or black athletic socks (NO LOGOS)**. Velcro is fine, and shoes with laces must remain tied at all times.

Girl's Chapel & Family Chapel Uniform:

navy pleated skirt
hunter/navy plaid skirt, **no skorts or pants**
classic navy Ponte dress **with logo**
oxford blouse **with logo** with hunter/navy plaid tie or cross tie
red fine gauge sweater shell **with logo (SPECIAL ORDER)**
(optional) navy blazer with **optional logo**

Socks & Shoes: **PLAIN** white or navy socks (knee or ankle) or tights are to be worn with leather navy blue or black slip on shoes. Heels should not exceed one inch.

Boy's Typical Academic Day Uniform

Shirt: white, red or blue mesh, interlock or active polo **with logo**, short or long-sleeve
white, light or French blue oxford button-down **with logo**, short or long-sleeve

Shorts: khaki chino shorts
navy chino shorts

Pants: khaki chino pants
navy chino pants

Sweater: red cotton modal fine gauge vest **with logo**
red cotton modal fine gauge V-neck **with logo**

Socks & Shoes: **PLAIN** white, tan, navy or black crew or ankle socks must be worn at all times with brown suede or leather classic bucks, tie shoes, slip-on mocks or penny loafers. Canvas shoes are not allowed. Please note: socks and shoes need not be ordered through Lands' End.

*Belts are required, even under vests and sweaters. Belts should be plain leather, either black or brown OR Land's End hunter navy plaid.

(Optional): WHITE, GRAY, or NAVY running athletic shoes with a black or white sole may be worn **with a Typical Academic Day uniform; they may also be worn with a PE uniform, or Spirit Wear Friday attire.** Any accent colors on the shoe must also be white, gray, or navy (excluding the black sole). Athletic running shoes should have no wheels, lights, skulls, cartoon characters or inappropriate logos, and worn with **PLAIN white, navy, or black athletic socks (NO LOGOS)**. Velcro is fine, and shoes with laces must remain tied at all times. *Athletic shoes are NOT permitted to be worn with Chapel uniform.*

Boy's PE Uniform:

red athletic shorts (Item #486433-BP8)
white or gray tee **with logo**, short or long-sleeve
Stingray PRIDE t-shirt
pewter heather gray sweatpants
navy PE shorts (Stingray Spirit Store)
blue PE pants (Stingray Spirit Store)

PE shoes should be an athletic shoe with no wheels, lights, skulls, cartoon characters, or inappropriate logos, worn with **PLAIN white, navy, or black athletic socks (NO LOGOS)**. Velcro is fine, and shoes with laces must remain tied at all times.

Boy's Chapel Uniform:

oxford **with logo** with hunter/navy plaid tie or navy bow tie
khaki or navy pants
khaki or navy shorts, **NO CARGO SHORTS**
(optional) navy blazer with **optional logo**

Boy's Family Chapel Uniform:

oxford **with logo** with hunter/navy plaid tie or navy bow tie
khaki or navy **PANTS ONLY**
(optional) navy blazer with **optional logo**

Socks & Shoes: **PLAIN** white, tan, navy or black crew or ankle socks must be worn at all times with brown suede or leather classic bucks, tie shoes, slip-on mocks or penny loafers. Canvas shoes are not allowed.

Grandfathered Items for 2019-2020 ONLY

The following shorts for Middle School Boys are being discontinued by Lands' End. They will be grandfathered in for 1 year:

- Boys khaki cargo shorts
- Boys navy cargo shorts

There are currently **NO grandfathered PE** items. Please verify that previous styles of Lands' End PE shorts are not worn to school for PE. (i.e. the previous red athletic mesh with gray liner Lands' End style is no longer permitted.)

Spirit Wear Fridays

On Fridays, students are permitted to wear Spirit Wear attire. However, students must adhere to the following rules:

- Spirit Wear shirt or Uniform shirt
- Spirit Wear Shirts are provided only through Cross Online Spirit Store or shirts provided by Cross (i.e. Mission shirt)
- Blue jeans or typical academic day uniform bottoms (exception—if student has PE on Friday, the red athletic shorts may be worn.)
- no “holeys” (jeans with holes)
- no skin-tight pants/ jeans; **no jeggings**

UNIFORM VIOLATION/ INFRACTION POLICY

1ST OFFENSE - WARNING

Uniform violation issued for student signature. A **follow-up parent email** will be sent including a copy of the student-signed violation to ensure parent is aware of warning. *Change of inappropriate/non-dress code clothing may occur.*

2nd OFFENSE - CONSEQUENCE

Uniform violation issued for student signature. A **follow-up parent email** will be sent including a copy of the student-signed violation. Additionally, a **follow-up parent phone call** will be made to discuss repeated dress code violations. *Change of inappropriate/non dress code clothing may occur.*

3rd OFFENSE - CONSEQUENCE

Uniform violation issued for student signature. A **follow-up parent email** will be sent including a copy of the student-signed violation. A **follow-up parent conference** will be scheduled to discuss problem-solving solutions for the repeated dress code violations. The student will be issued an after-school detention to be served within one week of the day the violation occurs. If the student fails to serve the required detention, the student will have loss of recess time after lunch until the detention is served. *Change of inappropriate/non-dress code clothing may occur.*

4th OFFENSE - CONSEQUENCE

Uniform violation issued for student signature. A **follow-up parent email** will be sent including a copy of the student-signed violation. **Parent will be required to bring appropriate uniform attire on the day of the 4th violation and student will not be allowed to continue instructional day until the appropriate uniform attire is provided.**

***ANY SUBSEQUENT OFFENSES WILL RESULT IN CONSEQUENCES DETERMINED BY ADMINISTRATION.**