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# **CHRIST EPISCOPAL SCHOOL**

## 2024-2025 UNIFORM GUIDELINES

## Pre-K 3 and Pre-K 4:

**Clothing:** Students wear comfortable play clothes (girls wear shorts under dresses or skirts) except for chapel and field trips. A navy polo shirt, embroidered with the CES logo, is required on chapel days and when on field trips. Shirt is worn with choice of bottoms.

**Shoes:** Students wear a rubber-soled type of tennis shoe or closed toed/backed shoe with **white ankle socks**. Velcro straps are recommended, but not necessary. For students' safety, toeless/backless shoes or boots are NOT permitted.

**CES T-Shirt Days:** Students may wear a CES themed t-shirt or CES sweatshirt on **Fridays** with choice of bottoms.

## Kindergarten to Grade 5:

#### **Standard Uniform:**

• Khaki bottoms - pants, shorts, skorts, jumpers, or capris (Cargo/carpenter pants are not acceptable.) Length of shorts, skorts, jumpers, and dresses must not be too short.\*

- Polo shirts solid navy, red, hunter green, or white, long or short sleeve (with or without CES embroidered logo) Shirts must be **tucked in** during chapel.
- Navy polo dresses are acceptable.
- Solid white turtlenecks may be worn under short sleeve shirts.
- Solid white **tights** or solid white **leggings** are acceptable to wear with shorts, skorts, jumpers, or dresses. If footless, then white socks must also be worn.
- Cardigans, sweatshirts, windbreakers, jackets, or hoodies **worn in the classroom** must be SOLID navy, red, hunter green, or white (with or without CES embroidered logo).

## **Dress Uniform for Chapel and Field Trips:**

- Khaki bottoms pants, shorts, skorts, jumpers, or capris
- Navy polo shirt embroidered with the CES logo, short or long sleeve

## Footwear (Girls and Boys):

Rubber-soled type of tennis shoe or closed toed/backed shoe with white socks

(Velcro straps are recommended for children in Kindergarten and Grade 1. Untied shoes are a safety hazard.)

For students' safety, toeless/backless shoes or boots are NOT permitted.

**Non-Uniform Dress Days:** Special non-uniform dress days will be announced throughout the year. Students are expected to wear comfortable clothing in which they can play, climb, and participate in craft projects. If not wearing tennis shoes, tennis shoes must be brought to school and worn during PE and recess on these days.

Length of shorts, skorts, jumpers, and dresses must not be too short.\* Age appropriate clothing is expected.\*

**CES T-Shirt Days:** The standard or dress uniforms must be worn Mondays – Thursdays. Students may wear CES themed t-shirts or CES sweatshirts instead of the uniform shirts on **Fridays** with choice of khaki bottoms.

**Cool Weather Guidelines:** Students may **only** wear SOLID navy, red, hunter green, or white cardigans, sweatshirts, windbreakers, jackets, or CES hoodies (with hoodies down) **in the classroom** when added warmth is desired. Students may borrow needed uniform items from the used uniform closet, if necessary and available. No other logos or screen printing except CES logos are permitted.

**Jewelry:** No jewelry, other than stud earrings and wrist watches may be worn. If smart watches are worn, they must be worn strictly to look at the time.

**Girls' Headbands, Bows, and Barrettes:** Only headbands, bows, and barrettes with the colors navy, red, hunter green, or white may be worn.

**NOT Permitted:** temporary tattoos, make-up, and/or perfume/cologne, anything, as deemed by the Head of School, as distracting to the educational process

**Organization Uniforms:** Members of uniformed organizations such as the Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts may wear their organization uniforms, with the exception of blue jeans, to school on their particular meeting days.

**Uniform Purchasing and Embroidering:** CES standard and dress uniform items may be purchased from any supplier as long as they meet these guidelines. For examples of approved colors and styles, please visit the school office. CES logo embroidering may be done through Downtown Arts on Main Street or Design Plus on University Drive in Nacogdoches.

**Used uniform** items are available at the school for \$5.00 per item.

#### FAILURE TO COMPLY TO UNIFORM GUIDELINES

Students are required to comply with *all* details of the Uniform Guidelines. If a student is wearing a noncompliant uniform item, it will be replaced by a compliant item from the uniform closet, if available. Parents are asked to clean and return borrowed uniform items to the school office. A note in the agenda or a reminder may be sent to parents regarding Uniform Guidelines.

\*Determined by Head of School