

Calvary Lutheran School

DRESS CODE - Kindergarten – 8th Grade

Calvary Lutheran School has implemented a uniform policy to enable us to operate in a more controlled environment. It also promotes a sense of pride and identity among the students both within school and while on field trips. Uniforms also allow for increased safety on field trips. The Calvary School Committee also feels that the equality of appearance will provide for focus on learning while encouraging the economical use of clothing.

PLEASE be sure to have your child follow the dress code:

BOYS:

Pants*

Navy & Khaki (“Docker” Style pant means straight legged pants. There are **NO** cargo pants or pants with low waist band, side pockets or bell bottoms allowed.)

Walking Shorts*

Navy & Khaki (Knee Length)

Shirts

White Oxford Shirt, (long or short sleeve)

Polo: White, Navy, Burgundy, or Light Blue (long or short sleeve) White, Navy, Burgundy, or Light Blue (long sleeve turtleneck)

Undershirts

White, Navy, Burgundy, or Light Blue

Sweaters

Pullover Sweater, Navy or Burgundy Sleeveless Sweater Vest, Navy or Burgundy

GIRLS:

Pants*

Navy & Khaki (“Docker” Style pant means straight legged pants. There are **NO** cargo pants or pants with low waist band, side pockets or bell bottoms allowed. (**Capri length pants are not acceptable.**)

Walking Shorts*

Navy & Khaki (Knee Length)

Culottes / Skorts

Navy & Khaki (Knee Length)

Skirt

Navy, Khaki, Grey Box**, & Plaid**

Biker Shorts, Navy, (are **required to be worn under jumper/ skirt**) Knee Length

Jumper

Plaid Jumper** Navy & Khaki

Biker Shorts, Navy, (are **required to be worn under jumper/ skirt**) Knee Length

Shirts

White Peter Pan Blouse (long or short sleeve)

Polo: White, Navy, Burgundy, or Light Blue (long or short sleeve) White, Navy, Burgundy, or Light Blue (long sleeve turtleneck)

Sweaters

Pullover Sweater, Navy or Burgundy Sleeveless Sweater Vest, Navy or Burgundy

* = **Belt required**

** = **available only at Bancroft**

BOYS and GIRLS

Shoes are to be worn with socks, anklets, or hosiery.

Sandals with heel straps are permitted and **require** socks, anklets or hosiery.

Shoes may not have a heel higher than 2 inches from floor to top of sole.

Shirts and blouses are to be tucked in at all times.

Shirts (T-shirts, Thermals, etc.) worn under uniform shirts must be **plain White, Navy, Burgundy, or Light Blue**

Cardigan sweaters, sweatshirts, and jackets are to be **appropriate** for our Christian environment.

Make-up is to be used moderately and appropriately.

Earrings are to be studs only, **NO hoops or earrings with items that dangle.**

Personal hygiene: All students should strive to maintain good personal hygiene. Staff will speak with parents/guardians about this issue if it is deemed necessary.

Hair must be clean and groomed at all times.

Extreme hairstyles, coloring (other than natural appearing), and radical hair decorations are unacceptable.

Hairstyles must be kept out of the face and not hinder the ability to complete a school task.

Boy's hair length may not be longer than their shoulders.

THE FOLLOWING ARE NOT PERMITTED

Clothing that is torn or contains holes.

Earrings on boys.

Make-up kits, perfume, hair dryers, nail polish items, etc.

Hats, hoods, watch caps or bandannas (except for protection from the weather).

Chains on shirts, pants, shoes, jackets, etc.

Gang apparel.

Pierced jewelry, other than girls' earrings.

Tattoos must remain covered.

MISCELLANEOUS

Friday - Calvary Lutheran School T-shirts may be worn. T-shirts must also be tucked in and a belt is still required.

Accreditation half days each month will be Free Dress Days.

Boy and Girl Scout Uniforms may be worn on meeting day minus hats, sashes, and neckerchiefs for safety reasons.

Because all clothing will look alike, we recommend that you put your name on the label for identification purpose.

PICTURE DAYS & FREE DRESS DAYS

Attire must be in good taste. A good “rule of thumb” is that if an item is questionable, you should make another choice.

PLEASE NOTE: Students who are not in compliance with the school dress code are in violation of the discipline philosophy and plan, School Rule #1.

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Your cooperation in the area of dress code is a shared responsibility with the staff. Please make every effort to see that your child is following the dress code rules.

Everything cannot possibly be covered in this policy. *Therefore*, the faculty and administration will make the final decision or interpretation regarding the dress code and standards. Their decision stands as the final decision!

Uniforms may be purchased from Bancroft Uniform in San Leandro. However, uniforms may be purchased at other sources as long as they fit the descriptions listed in the Calvary Lutheran School Dress Code. (Other possible sources for uniforms are: JC Penney’s, Lands End, Kohl’s, Target, Sears, Walmart, etc.)

Uniform jackets, sweaters, jumpers, and polo shirts purchased from Bancroft Uniform may have the Calvary School Logo added for an additional cost. School logos are not mandatory, but if you desire them on your child’s uniform, you must purchase these uniform items directly from Bancroft Uniforms.

CLS also offers a “gently used” uniform program. We offer used uniforms at no cost to you. Please inquire in the school office for more details.

The approved list of selections applies to all students in Kindergarten – 8th Grade.