

CENTRAL CATHOLIC JR.-SR. HS UNIFORM CODE

The philosophy of the required uniform is to instill a sense of pride and belonging at Central Catholic Junior-Senior High School. Because our uniform has played such an important role in Catholic education, all students should wear their uniform with a sense of pride. In addition to a sense of unity, uniforms will reduce the materialistic distractions and help to focus our students on their education. In conformity to the dress code and Christian modesty, students are required to properly wear the uniform from the moment they enter school until they leave school. This includes wearing pants and skirts at their proper height, keeping all appropriate buttons fastened, ties appropriately tied, and all other uniform requirements.

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JUNIOR AND SENIOR HIGH BOYS

Dress Uniform (All School Mass Day and as required)

1. Elderwear poly-cotton navy pleated front dress pants (no "Cargo" type)
2. Elderwear White button-down collar oxford long or short sleeved shirt with crest, tucked in at all times
3. Corsair navy and white striped tie

Daily Uniform

1. Elderwear navy or khaki shorts may be worn only during August/September and May/June (no "Cargo" type)
2. Elderwear poly-cotton navy or khaki pleated front dress pants (no "Cargo" type)
3. White or navy turtleneck, tucked in at all times
4. Elderwear white or navy knit placket polo shirt with either long or short sleeves, tucked in at all times

Everyday Appearance Expectations

1. Jackets, coats, hoodies, etc. are not permitted. Sweaters, or navy or gray sweatshirts with the four color LCSS crest, may be worn with the dress or daily uniform and must be worn with the appropriate shirt and tie, if required. Sweaters must be School Apparel navy crew or v-neck pullover or crew neck cardigan with four color LCSS crest. A blue/white CC fleece pullover may be purchased from the Central Catholic Main Office and may be worn over the Daily and the Dress uniform.
2. Shoes
 - a. Solid black leather or leather-look, low-cut, sport shoes. Shoelaces must be the same color as the color of the shoe. No multiple color shoes.
 - b. Dress shoes are acceptable in solid black, brown, navy, burgundy or neutral.
 - c. "Mules" or backless shoes, house slippers, moccasins, sandal, flip-flops, "Ugg" type boots or shoes are not permitted. Shoes must have a covered toe and heel.
3. Socks must be worn at all times – navy, plain white, or black.
4. Plain black, navy, or brown belt with all clothing having belt loops. Belt buckles must be original to the belt. No add-ons.
5. Undershirts must be all white and without printing. Long sleeve undershirts may not be worn under short sleeve uniform shirts.
6. Outlandish, extreme hairstyles are not permitted.
 - a. Hair should be kept clean and well groomed.
 - b. Hair bangs will be no longer than touching the eye brows. Hair length is not to exceed the top of the back collar and mid-ear. If hair length is questioned by 3 or more staff members and/or the administration, and is agreed upon, a change must be made.
7. Face must be clean-shaven. Side-burns may be no longer than even with the bottom of the ear-lobe and neatly trimmed. No beards or goatees. A medical excuse from a board certified physician may exempt a student from shaving for a period of time.
8. No earrings or large jewelry items may be worn at school.
9. Billfold and watch chains are not permitted.
10. No exposed tattoos or body piercing.
11. All uniforms must fit the student appropriately as determined by the administration.
12. Field Trips: Students are expected to wear the daily school uniform on field trips. Any exceptions need to be requested to the administration prior to taking the trip by the teacher or sponsor.

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JUNIOR AND SENIOR HIGH GIRLS

Dress Uniform (All School Mass Day and as required)

1. Elderwear poly-cotton kick pleated skort (blue, green, yellow, white plaid). Skort length must not exceed 2 ½ inches (or the width of a one dollar bill) from the top of the kneecap to the bottom of the skort when sitting.
2. Elderwear white oxford blouse with button-down collar with long or short sleeves with LCSS crest, tucked in the skirt, not rolled outside.

Daily Uniform

1. Elderwear navy or khaki shorts may be worn only during August/September and May/June.
2. Elderwear poly-cotton navy or khaki flat front dress pants or Elderwear poly-cotton kick pleated skort (blue, green, yellow, white plaid). Skort length must not exceed 2 ½ inches (or the width of a one dollar bill) from the top of the kneecap to the bottom of the skort when sitting.
3. Elderwear white or navy knit placket polo shirt with either long or short sleeves or white or navy turtleneck tucked in at all times.

Everyday Appearance Expectations

1. Jackets, coats, hoodies, etc. are not permitted. Sweaters or navy or gray sweatshirts with the four color LCSS crest may be worn with the dress or daily uniform and must be worn with the appropriate shirt and tie if required. Sweaters must be School Apparel navy crew or v-neck pullover, or crew neck cardigan with four color LCSS crest. A blue/white CC fleece pullover may be purchased from the Central Catholic Main Office and may be worn over may be worn over the Daily and the Dress uniform.
2. Shoes:
 - a. Solid white leather or leather-look, low-cut, sport shoe. Shoelaces must be the same color as the majority of the color of the shoe. No multiple color shoes.
 - b. Dress shoes are acceptable in solid black, brown, navy, burgundy or neutral.
 - c. Slip-on, flat shoe, in solid black, brown, navy, burgundy or neutral with or without socks.
 - d. "Mules" or backless shoes, house slippers, moccasins, sandals, flip-flops, "Ugg" type boots or shoes are not permitted.
3. Socks must be worn at all times (except with slip-on flat shoes) – plain navy or plain white socks, plain navy or opaque nylons or navy tights. No leggings, footless stocking, or footless tights.
4. Plain black, navy, or brown belt with all clothing having belt loops. Belt buckles must be original to the belt. No add-ons.
5. Jewelry must be kept simple and in good taste.
6. No exposed tattoos or body piercing.
7. Outlandish, extreme hairstyles are not permitted.
 - a. Hair must be kept clean and well groomed.
 - b. Hair accessories should be kept simple and coordinate with the uniform.
8. Make-up:
 - a. Junior High: only lip gloss permitted.
 - b. Senior High: lip gloss, blush and eye make-up permitted in moderation.
9. All uniforms must fit the student appropriately as determined by the administration.
10. Field Trips: Students are expected to wear the daily school uniform on field trips. Any exceptions need to be requested to the administration prior to taking the trip by the teacher or sponsor.

Consequences for Dress Code Violations

A dress code violation is a Level 1 offense and is subject to the sanctions pertaining to such an offense. However, a dress code violation will not count in the cumulative discipline progression but instead will result in the student losing his or her future Spirit Day privileges. On the third violation and beyond, the student will lose his or her Spirit Day privileges for the remainder of the semester and be assigned a detention for each offense. Should a student be in violation of the dress code, the student's parent or guardian may be called and required to bring in proper dress. In some circumstances, students may be sent home for inappropriate dress. Such absences will be reported as unexcused. In rare instances and with prior approval, a student may be issued an "Out of Dress Code" pass by the Principal.

Clothing for P.E.

1. Only non-uniform navy shorts are permitted
2. Uniform T-shirt purchased at "The Athlete"
3. Street shoes are NOT acceptable for P.E. classes

Spirit Day Dress Code

1. The Principal and members of the Principal's Administrative Team will choose a SPIRIT DAY, at their discretion, and the uniform dress code will be waived in accordance with the following guidelines. Additional SPIRIT DAYS may include Spirit Week, Birthdays, Battle of the Classes Champion, Senior Days and Special Team Recognition.
2. Jeans, jean shorts, casual slacks or walking shorts will be allowed and must be clean, neat, without holes or tears, and must be hemmed. The shorts' length must be determined by the administration. No bib overalls are permitted. Gym shorts, boxer shorts, PJ pants, sweats, warm-ups, short-shorts, and/or spandex shorts are not allowed. Exceptions may be designated by the administration. (Monthly birthday recognition is a jeans day)
3. Any shirt worn on a Spirit Day must bear the school name or logo. If a student does not own a school shirt, any CC school uniform shirt is acceptable. Tank tops, halter-tops, spandex tops, and shirts with cut-off sleeves are not acceptable. (These are for sports and extra-curricular group recognition)