



**Christ Greenfield School
Standardized Dress Policy
Kindergarten-8th Grade**

“You shall be my witnesses.” Acts 1:8. We fulfill this task of bearing witness to Jesus in many ways, including the way we work, play, walk, talk, and the way we dress. Christ Greenfield students, staff, and faculty should dress in such a way that they are effective Christian witnesses to others. The purpose of the Christ Greenfield standardized dress policy is to establish a standard that maximizes learning potential and the educational environment, eliminates the distraction of competition and emphasis on dress, and promotes modesty, neatness, and cleanliness.

Students are expected to be in compliance with the standardized dress policy on all school days, except on designated non-uniform days. Parents are responsible for ensuring that their child follows the standardized dress policy for daily and special events, including after school athletic events or any school-sponsored activity on campus.

APPROVED VENDORS

Lands' End is an approved vendor. When shopping through the school code (**900161621**), you will see all options available for purchase for Christ Greenfield. NEW! A local vendor is approved and is also available to purchase uniforms from christgreenfield.shop.

GENERAL GUIDELINES

All clothing must be clean, neat, and in good repair. No holes or rips are permitted. No material that is transparent or distressed in any way to create discoloration, thin spots, or holes is permitted. All clothing must be appropriately sized and no more than one size larger than the student's measurements; nor may the garment be too tight. No undergarments are to be visible at any time. Students may not wear or have on them any kind of design, logo, or message that may be deemed inappropriate or offensive. Final discretion and decisions about whether a student's dress is deemed appropriate and in compliance with school standards is given to administration.

KINDERGARTEN - 5TH GRADE STANDARDIZED DRESS POLICY

KINDERGARTEN-5TH GRADE GIRLS

TOPS: White, black, navy, light gray, dark gray, light blue, orange, kelly green, dark green, or purple

Students may wear polos, a peter pan blouse, or oxford-style shirt. All shirts must be logoed and purchased through the appropriate vendor (Lands End or local approved vendor). Shirts must be loose fitting, but not oversized, and must extend below the waistband when arms are stretched overhead. No more than the top two buttons may be left unbuttoned. No altering of the shirt is allowed (i.e. knots, bows, sequins, or rubber bands). A non-logoed shirt from another vendor is allowed UNDER JUMPERS, but must be solid-colored (navy, white, or light blue) and collared.

BOTTOMS: Black, navy, khaki, gray, or white

Students may only wear cotton or cotton-blend pants, shorts, or capris. No nylon, knit fabrics, or overalls are allowed (i.e. leggings, jean leggings, yoga pants, athletic shorts/pants). Pants are to be worn at the waist and be modest in cut, style, and fit with no holes or rips. All shorts are to be "bermuda" length, and the hem may be no more than 4 inches above the knee as measured from the ground up when kneeling. Solid-colored skirts and skorts may be worn and purchased from any vendor in the appropriate colors. Plaid patterns must be purchased from Lands' End. Dresses and jumpers must be logoed and purchased from Lands' End. A pair of shorts, leggings, or tights should be worn under skirts, dresses, and jumpers for recess play. The hems of all shorts, skirts, skorts, dresses, and jumpers may be no more than 4 inches above the knee as measured from the ground up when kneeling. Overalls are not permitted.

LAYERED CLOTHING

Knee socks, leggings, or tights may be worn under dresses, jumpers, skirts, and must be SOLID in color, not embellished, and either neutral or the same color as the primary attire. Undershirts, camisoles, and long-sleeved shirts may be worn under approved collared shirts but must be solid in color, neutral or the same color as primary attire, and not embellished. Jean jackets may be worn but must be solid-colored black, white, or denim without holes or frayed edges.

ACCESSORIES, JEWELRY, and GROOMING

Jewelry and accessories should be modest and age-appropriate and may be worn as long as they do not distract from the learning environment or cause potential safety concerns. Headbands that are distracting (including animal ears, pom poms, unicorns, etc.) are not allowed. Makeup, temporary tattoos, and writing on the body are not permitted in grades K-5. Hair must be neat and clean with student's faces fully visible at all times. Unnatural hair colors and extreme hair styles deemed a distraction are not allowed.

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GROOMING

Temporary tattoos and writing on the body are not permitted in grades K-5. Hair must be neat and clean with student's faces fully visible at all times. Unnatural hair colors and extreme hair styles deemed a distraction are not allowed. The coloring of fingernails is not allowed for boys.

KINDERGARTEN - 5TH GRADE BOYS AND GIRLS

FRIDAY SPIRIT WEAR

All students are permitted to wear the current school year's theme shirt, previous years' theme shirts, athletic shirts, or other Christ Greenfield shirts. Kindergarten - 5th grade students are also allowed to wear solid-colored denim jean pants, skirts (girls), and shorts. All denim must adhere to the standards for length and neatness. Slightly frayed edges are acceptable.

OUTERWEAR

Students will have the opportunity to purchase a CG hoodie, ¼ zip pullover, or crewneck sweatshirt that may be worn on any day of the week. These hoodies, pullovers, or crewnecks must have the CG symbol (i.e. the CG eagle) or Christ Greenfield written on it. Students are required to follow all other dress code guidelines and wear a CG logoed shirt under hoodie, pullover, or crewneck sweatshirt. Full zippered jackets are allowed in the classrooms and must be solid-colored (white, black, gray, or navy) with a logo or emblem smaller than 2x2 inches.

Any outerwear that falls outside these guidelines, including winter jackets, may only be worn outside at recess.

FOOTWEAR

For safety, all shoes must be secure to the foot and have a fully enclosed heel and toes completely covered. Any footwear that threatens physical safety is inappropriate. Shoestrings are to be appropriately tied. Socks or a type of stocking are to be worn with all shoes. Crew length or longer socks must be neutral or the same color as primary attire.

Hats/caps are not allowed to be worn in the classroom unless given special permission by a teacher or administration. No body piercings (other than ears for girls) are allowed.

6TH - 8TH GRADE STANDARDIZED DRESS POLICY

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the shirt is allowed (i.e. knots, bows, sequins, or rubber bands). A non-logoed shirt from another vendor is allowed UNDER JUMPERS, but must be solid-colored (navy, white, or light blue) and collared.

BOTTOMS: Black, navy, khaki, gray, or white

Students may only wear cotton or cotton-blend pants, shorts, or capris. Solid-colored denim jean pants, skirts, or shorts are allowed in grades 6th-8th. All denim must adhere to the above clothing standards for fit and length. Slightly frayed edges of jeans are permitted, but must be in good condition. No nylon, knit fabrics, or overalls are allowed (i.e. leggings, jean leggings, yoga pants, athletic shorts/pants). Pants are to be worn at the waist and be modest in cut, style, and fit with no holes or rips. All shorts are to be “bermuda” length, and the hem may be no more than 4 inches above the knee as measured from the ground up when kneeling. Solid-colored skirts and skorts may be worn and purchased from any vendor in the appropriate colors. Plaid patterns must be purchased from Lands’ End. Dresses and jumpers must be logoed and purchased from Lands’ End. A pair of shorts, leggings, or tights should be worn under skirts, dresses, and jumpers for recess play. The hems of all shorts, skirts, skorts, dresses, and jumpers may be no more than 4 inches above the knee as measured from the ground up when kneeling. Overalls are not permitted.

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SPECIAL EVENT ATTIRE

FORMAL EVENTS

Formal events include the Daddy Daughter Dance, any formal middle school dances, varsity sports dress up days, special performances, and graduation and reception. These policies apply to kindergarten through 8th grade.

Girls must wear dresses or outfits that meet the following criteria:

- Outfits with any plunging back lines and/or partial cut outs below the standard bra line will not be allowed.
- Outfits should not expose excessive cleavage or the midriff. Lace, netting, or other see-through materials are not acceptable to cover these areas.
- The length of an outfit or slit in an outfit may be no more than 4 inches above the knees.
- No spaghetti straps. Straps should be at least two fingers in width.

Boys must wear:

- A dress shirt
- Dress pants or slacks. No jeans.
- A tie is recommended

INFORMAL EVENTS

Informal events include being a spectator at CG athletic events, the Fun Run, field day, National Lutheran Schools Week's special dress days, Harvest Fest, or whenever athletic wear is allowed. These policies apply to kindergarten through 8th grade.

Yoga pants or knit/nylon leggings are only allowed under shorts. The shorts still must be "bermuda" length and the hem may be no more than 4 inches above the knee. Outfits should not expose the midriff. If a sleeveless shirt is worn, sleeveless shirts or blouses may be worn provided that the arm opening is not unnecessarily revealing of the student's body or undergarments. Students in 5th-8th may be asked to wear PE uniforms on special days such as field day and the Fun Run.