

# DRESS CODE POLICY

The dress code has been crafted to maintain a student body that looks respectable, conforms to Biblical principles of modesty, and yet is comfortable. The administration may make decisions regarding dress code not specified here. Students must be in dress code to attend school. If not in approved dress code, the student will be asked to wait in the office until a parent or guardian brings proper clothing.

**Although there is a link to approved school uniforms at Lands' End on our school website, the other approved uniform vendors are JC Penny's, Kohl's, Sears, Wal-Mart, Target, Old Navy, Gap, and the Children's Place.**

**Pants MUST be from the school uniform pants section. They may be any uniform color, i.e. khaki, navy, or black. Pants, shorts, or skirts cannot be skinny, stretch, pencil, or tight in any fashion. Clothing should not have tears or rips.**

Students are asked not to change out of school dress after school unless they are going directly to work from the school.

BCCS or Bobcat logos are obviously permitted and strongly encouraged on school or athletic apparel.

## Boys & Young Men

**BOTTOMS:** Uniform pants from an approved school uniform clothing line; elementary may wear uniform shorts if purchased through an approved vendor; middle & high school students must wear a belt.

**TOPS:** Collared shirt without words or images; sweaters may be worn over a collared shirt; BCCS light jackets; middle & high school students must have their shirt tucked in.

**SHOES:** Dress or athletic shoes.

**HAIR:** Boys' hair must be neat and cut above the ears, eyes, and collar; no extreme hairstyles; no facial hair, sideburns not below the bottom of the ear.

**JEWELRY:** Only watches are acceptable; no piercings or tattoos; high school boys may wear a ring on one finger.

## Girls & Young Ladies

**BOTTOMS:** Uniform pants from an approved school uniform clothing line; dress/skirt with a hemline or slit to the mid-knee; elementary may wear uniform shorts if purchased through an approved vendor

**TOPS:** Collared shirts without words or images; sweaters may be worn over a collared shirt; BCCS light jackets. A dress does not require a collar.

**SHOES:** Athletic shoes, dress boots, or dress shoes/sandals – no flip-flops/slides; no sandals for elementary students.

**HAIR:** Avoid unnatural colors and hairstyles.

**JEWELRY:** Watches; earrings, up to two per ear, are acceptable; no other body piercings; no tattoos; one simple finger ring per hand.

## Physical Education and Team Practices

TOPS: Bobcat t-shirts or shirts without words or images, no sleeveless shirts; for practice athletic shirts/jerseys are acceptable, if available a practice uniform must be worn.

BOTTOMS: Elementary – shorts to the top of the knee and/or loose-fitting sweatpants/wind pants; Middle & high school – athletic shorts to the top of the knee and/or BCCS athletic pants.

## Game Day Attire

Student athletes must wear a Bobcat polo and school uniform pants (khaki color) on the day of games, while traveling to/from games, or between games at tournaments; BCCS athletic pants may be worn in lieu of uniform pants for soccer matches and after games. Athletic shoes and cleats must be primarily black, red, white, gray, or any combination of those colors.

BCCS GAMES: Non-athletes must wear regular school dress to all sporting events on school days. For games on non-school days, casual attire may be worn.

## Special Events

BOBCAT FRIDAYS: Students may wear BCCS t-shirts/sweatshirts and BCCS athletic pants on regular Friday school days.

PACKER SPIRIT DAY: On a Packer game day or the Friday before a weekend game, students are encouraged to wear Packer jerseys and team shirts; uniform pants are required.

## Casual Day Attire

Casual dress can include any school or church t-shirt or top, such as from a mission's trip or team shirts/jerseys. BCCS athletic pants and loose-fitting jeans are permitted. **Jeans cannot be skinny, stretch, pencil, or tight in any fashion nor can they have tears or rips.**

## Program Attire

All students (whether participating in the program or not) will need the following for school programs throughout the year.

GIRLS: White collared blouse, black skirt with hemline/slit at least to the mid-knee, black socks/stockings/nylons, and dark dress shoes. Middle and high school students are not restricted to a white blouse. A white blouse may be required with band and choir uniforms.

BOYS: White collared shirt, neck-tie of any color, black pants, black socks, dark dress shoes. Middle and high school students are not restricted to a white shirt. A white shirt may be required with band and choir uniforms.

NOTE: The school may require/provide specific ties or neckwear for some programs.