

Dress Code

LCS dress code is as follows:

All students are expected to be in "dress code" at all times during the school day in order to be admitted to class. The LCS uniform consists of the following:

1. LCS-issued polo shirt. Uniform polos are to be purchased exclusively from the school. See the uniform order form for a complete list of Lakeside Christian School approved polo shirt colors.
2. Khaki pants/ shorts or school purchased skirts.
3. Pants and shorts must be either tan, black, or navy blue
4. No cargo pockets are permitted on either pants or shorts
 - a. Shorts must come to at least the top of the knee. There should be no tears or holes in pants or shorts. No skin above the knee should be exposed
 - b. "Low cut" waist styles are not permitted and are considered to be a violation of the dress code
 - c. Pants or shorts must not fit too tightly. Acceptable fabrics would include twill, cotton, and polyester as long as the pants are loose-fitting. Acceptable colors are black, navy blue, and khaki. Pants may not be form-fitting or contain a stretchy fabric such as spandex. They should not be "stretch," "skinny," cargo, or denim pants, even if the color is appropriate. The final definition of what constitutes "too tight" lies with LCS administration and staff. Clothing should also not be so loose that it exposes more than is appropriate for school (i.e. shoulders, undergarments, etc.)
 - d. Young ladies are permitted to wear skirts that have been purchased through the school office. Any skirt that has not been purchased through the school office will be considered out of dress code. This includes all dress-down days.
5. The dress code is in effect during regular school days and at all events on school campus.
6. All clothing must be clean, fit properly, and be in good condition.
7. Students may wear the socks, stockings and shoes of their choice as long as they are tasteful and safe.
8. Elementary may not wear flip flops.
9. No hats may be worn during school hours.
10. Sweatshirts/Hoodies/Coats/Sweaters - student choice, **but must be "zip up"** where we can see required clothing. (see garment definitions for warnings)
11. At no time should the midriff be visible.
12. No undergarments should be visible at any time
13. Students may dress down on Fridays, providing they have purchased and are wearing the current year's senior Friday dress-down t-shirt. The shirt must be visible.
 - a. Proper dress-down attire must include the current school year's dress down t-shirt that has been purchased through the school. Students who dress down without this shirt will be considered as being out of dress code.
 - b. All pants, jeans, shorts, skirts, etc. must reach to at least the top of the knee and not fit too tightly nor too loosely. See the above definitions on "normal" dress code days -Students are permitted to wear pants with holes and/or tears on dress-down days. However, no skin above the knee should be exposed. Pants, jeans, shorts, skirts, etc. that do not meet this standard will be considered out of dress code, even on dress-down days
14. Students' hair must be tastefully styled, clean, and well-kept. No bizarre styles or coloring are allowed. The final determination of "bizarre" lies with LCS administration.
15. Any jewelry should not exceed modest and tasteful limits as determined by LCS administration.
16. Young men are permitted to wear only one stud per ear. No male student may wear a nose ring of any type.
17. Female students are permitted only one nose stud.
18. Young men's facial hair must be kept neat and well-trimmed as determined by LCS administration.
19. Garments, tattoos, and/or jewelry which display or suggest sexually suggestive, vulgar, drug or alcohol-related wording or graphics, or wording or graphics which provoke or may tend to provoke violence or disruption in school, or, in the estimation of the administration, contradict the values of LCS may not be worn.

LCS administration reserves the right to make final decisions regarding dress code violations and/or changes.

Students who do not meet LCS dress code will not be permitted to remain in the classroom. They will be assigned to the appropriate ISS area until a parent can provide them with the proper school uniform. The student will remain in the ISS area until they are within the LCS dress code requirements.