

Dress Code

Elementary School (Pre-K2-6th grade)

Students are given freedom of expression in their choice of backpack, socks, belts, shoes, and jackets.

Class B Uniform:

Shirts

Students must wear polo-style collared shirts in navy, gray, or white. Shirts may be long-sleeved or short-sleeved.

Shirts must be appropriately sized for the student, not tight fitting. Shirts must be tucked in and buttoned within one button from the top.

Turtlenecks can be worn as undershirts only.

Long-sleeved spirit shirts and sweatshirts (properly fitting, not oversized) may be worn over the uniform with shirt collars visible.

Bottoms

Students may wear pants, shorts, skorts (flat front), skirts, or jumpers in navy, khaki, or CAL plaid (available at Inka's or School Time Uniforms, Plaid #18).

Bottoms must fit properly at the waist. They must also be properly hemmed or cuffed at or below the ankle and no wider than shoe length, but not dragging the ground.

Shorts, skorts, skirts, or jumpers must be no more than 2 inches above the knee when measured from a kneeling position.

Jeggings/tights/yoga pants are not considered pants and may only be worn UNDER skirts or shorts. This requirement also applies to sports practices and events.

Shoes

Shoes have no brand restrictions. No high heels or wedges are allowed. Shoes must fit appropriately. For safety purposes, all shoes must be closed toed AND WORN AT ALL TIMES. Students have freedom of expression as to style and color of shoes within the above guidelines.

Belts

Students in kindergarten and higher grades must wear a belt if the item of clothing has belt loops. This applies to all uniform classes.

Jackets

Jackets may not have any other school logo; otherwise, there are no brand or appearance restrictions. Jackets must be sized appropriately for the student. Hoods are allowed but must be down when inside.

Class C Uniform:

Same as Class B Uniform, except spirit shirts and blue jeans and/or blue jean shorts may also be worn. Blue jean shorts must be no more than 2 inches above the knee when measured from a kneeling position. Shirts must be tucked in, and a belt must be worn if the bottoms have belt loops.

Elementary Uniform Schedule

The following is a typical uniform schedule. The administration may make changes to the schedule if special circumstances apply.

Mondays – Thursdays: Class B
Fridays: Class C

Junior High (7th-8th Grade)

Class A Uniform:

Shirts

Students must wear a white button-up shirt, short- or long-sleeved. Students may have “Christian Academy of Louisiana” embroidered on the shirt, but it is not required. Addis Athletics can provide this service. Both boys and girls must wear a solid navy tie, and ties may be purchased from the CAL office. Shirts must be tucked in.

Bottoms

Boys or girls may wear khaki slacks. Girls also have the option of wearing a CAL plaid skirt (available at Inka’s Uniforms and School Time, Plaid #18). Skirt length is no more than 2 inches above the knee when measured from a kneeling position.

Shoes

Students must wear beige topsider-style shoes with brown or navy dress socks. Hey Dudes or similar shoes are not allowed.

Belts

Students must wear a brown or beige belt if the item of clothing has belt loops. This applies to all uniform classes.

Class B Uniform:

Shirts

Students must wear polo-style collared shirts in navy, gray, or white. Shirts may be long-sleeved or short-sleeved.

Shirts must be appropriately sized for the student, not tight fitting. Shirts must be tucked in and buttoned within one button from the top.

Turtlenecks can be worn as undershirts only.

Long-sleeved spirit shirts and sweatshirts (properly fitting, not oversized) may be worn over the uniform with shirt collars visible.

Bottoms

Students may wear pants, shorts, skorts (flat front), skirts, or jumpers in navy, khaki, or CAL plaid (available at Inka's Uniforms and School Time, Plaid #18).

Bottoms must fit properly at the waist. They must also be properly hemmed or cuffed at or below the ankle and no wider than shoe length, but not dragging the ground.

Shorts, skorts, skirts, or jumpers must be no more than 2 inches above the knee when measured from a kneeling position.

Jeggings/tights/yoga pants are not considered pants and may only be worn UNDER skirts or shorts. This requirement also applies to sports practices and events.

Shoes

Students must wear beige topsider-style shoes with brown or navy dress socks. Hey Dudes or similar shoes are not allowed.

Belts

Students must wear a brown or beige belt if the item of clothing has belt loops. This applies to all uniform classes.

Jackets

Jackets may not have any other school logo; otherwise, there are no brand or appearance restrictions. Hoods are allowed but must be down when inside.

Class C Uniform:

Same as Class B Uniform, except spirit shirts and blue jeans and/or blue jean shorts may also be worn. Length is no more than 2 inches above the knee when measured from a kneeling position. Shirts must be tucked in, and a belt must be worn if the bottoms have belt loops.

Junior High Uniform Schedule

The following is a typical uniform schedule. The administration may make changes to the schedule if special circumstances apply.

Mondays – Wednesdays Class B
Thursdays – Class A
Fridays – Class C

High School Uniform (9th – 12th grade)

Class A Uniform:

Blazers

Students must wear a navy blazer with the Christian Academy of Louisiana crest. Blazers may be ordered from Addis Athletics or purchased at the clothing store of your choosing. If you need the crest to sew onto a blazer, patches are available in the CAL office.

Shirts

Students must wear a white button-up shirt, short- or long-sleeved. Boys must wear a navy and white striped tie, and girls must wear a solid navy tie. Shirts must be tucked in.

Bottoms

Boys or girls may wear khaki slacks. Girls also have the option of wearing a CAL plaid skirt (available at Inka's Uniforms and School Time, Plaid #18). Skirt length is no more than 2 inches above the knee when measured from a kneeling position.

Belts

Students must wear a brown or beige belt if the item of clothing has belt loops. This applies to all uniform classes.

Shoes

Students must wear beige topsider-style shoes with brown or navy dress socks. Hey Dudes or similar shoes are not allowed.

Class B Uniform:

Shirts

Students must wear polo-style collared shirts in navy, gray, or white. Shirts may be long-sleeved or short-sleeved.

Shirts must be appropriately sized for the student, not tight fitting. Shirts must be

tucked in and buttoned within one button from the top.

Turtlenecks can be worn as undershirts only.

Long-sleeved spirit shirts and sweatshirts (properly fitting, not oversized) may be worn over the uniform with shirt collars visible.

Bottoms

Students may wear pants, shorts, skorts (flat front), skirts, or jumpers in navy, khaki, or CAL plaid (available at Inka's Uniforms and School Time, Plaid #18).

Bottoms must fit properly at the waist. They must also be properly hemmed or cuffed at or below the ankle and no wider than shoe length, but not dragging the ground.

Shorts, skorts, skirts, or jumpers must be no more than 2 inches above the knee when measured from a kneeling position.

Jeggings/tights/yoga pants are not considered pants and may only be worn UNDER skirts or shorts. This requirement also applies to sports practices and events.

Shoes

Students must wear beige topsider-style shoes with brown or navy dress socks. Hey Dudes or similar shoes are not allowed.

Belts

Students must wear a brown or beige belt if the item of clothing has belt loops. This applies to all uniform classes.

Jackets

Jackets may not have any other school logo; otherwise, there are no brand or appearance restrictions. Jackets must fit properly. Oversized jackets are not allowed. Hoods are allowed but must be down when inside.

Class C Uniform:

Same as Class B Uniform, except spirit shirts and blue jeans and/or blue jean shorts may also be worn. Blue jean shorts must be no more than 2 inches above the knee when measured from a kneeling position. Shirts must be tucked in, and a belt must be worn if the bottoms have belt loops.

High School Uniform Schedule

The following is a typical uniform schedule. The administration may make changes to the schedule if special circumstances apply.

Mondays – Wednesdays Class B
Thursdays – Class A
Fridays – Class C

Dress Code Provisions Applicable to All Grades

Free Dress Days:

When a free dress day is called by the headmaster, students may wear their choice of clothing, as long as it is appropriately sized for the student and meets the length and fit requirements listed above. Jeggings/tights/yoga pants may be worn UNDER skirts or shorts, as they are not considered pants. Athletic shorts may be worn but must have bike shorts under them.

Book Bags and Backpacks:

All pre-K students will receive a CAL tote bag. Please do not purchase a book bag. There are no style restrictions on backpacks for 1st through 12th grades. Please make sure backpacks are large enough to accommodate all of the student's supplies.

Hair:

Hair should be kept well-groomed. Unnatural hair coloring is not permitted.