

2010-2011 Secondary Campus Dress Code

Weatherford Christian School's uniform selections and dress code are based upon the following goals and principles:

- A Proper Sense of Pride – As individuals uniquely created in God's own image, students should take pride in their appearance, fostering a "dress for success" mentality pleasing to God and man.
- Uniformity – Uniformity removes the potential for a wide variety of clothing-related distractions, helping students maintain right relationships and a grasp of the true purposes of school. Uniformity also significantly decreases the opportunity for a "haves and have-nots" environment to develop within the school.
- Modesty – More than the length of a skirt or the cut of a blouse, modesty is ultimately an issue of the heart. All members of the WCS family, including parents, are asked to avoid immodesty both in terms of under dressing (too short, low-cut, tight, transparent, etc) as well as overdressing ("look at me" apparel, accessories, or jewelry).
- Affordability – WCS administration and school board members consider uniform requirements and uniform providers in light of financial practicality.

The dress code will be followed as listed in the Uniform Guidelines (outlined below). Students not abiding by the dress code will receive written notification of the infraction that will require a parent's signature. Upon the third repeated offense, a parent will be notified to bring the appropriate clothing to the student before admittance back into the classroom.

- Attire should be neat and modest in appearance at all times.
- Shorts, skirts and skorts may be no higher than 3 inches above the top of the kneecap.
- If a student's attire is found to be distracting, they may be told by a teacher or administrator to change.
- Jeans must have no holes.
- Jeans may be worn if a teacher has given the class permission for a field trip or special project that requires the student to dress in a more casual manner.
- All athletes and participants in sports will wear modest clothing.
- Hairstyles should be neat and clean at all times and of natural color. Hair length for male students should not extend past the shirt collar, should not cover more than half the ear or extend past the eyebrows.
- No facial hair and no sideburns below the ears.
- Body piercing and tattoos are not permitted.
- Hats are not to be worn in the building during school hours.
- Male students are not permitted to wear earrings at any time during school or school-sponsored activities.

Administration reserve the right to make judgments concerning the dress code as deemed necessary.

Secondary Uniform Guidelines 2010-2011

7th – 8th Grade - GIRLS

Required Uniform: (may be worn any day, but *must* be worn on chapel days)

- Plaid Skirt
- Long or Short Sleeve Blue Oxford **with the WCS monogram**
- Dress shoes or nice tennis shoes

Optional Clothing:

- Plaid skirt, skorts or shorts
- Navy blue or khaki skirt, shorts, skorts or pants
- Navy blue, dark green or red polo shirt
- Navy blue pullover or zip-up sweatshirt
- Navy blue fleece jacket
- Navy blue cardigan
- Navy blue, black, dark green or white socks
- Navy blue, black, white or gray leggings or tights under skirts
- Navy blue, dark green, white, black or gray shirts under polo or oxford shirts

7th – 8th Grade - BOYS

Required Uniform: (may be worn any day, but *must* be worn chapel days)

- Navy blue pants or shorts
- Long or Short Sleeve Blue Oxford **with the WCS monogram**
- Dress shoes or nice tennis shoes

Optional Clothing:

- Navy blue or khaki shorts or pants
- Navy blue, dark green or red polo shirt
- Navy blue pullover or zip-up sweatshirt
- Navy blue fleece jacket
- Navy blue, dark green, white, black or gray shirts under polo or oxford shirts

9th – 12th Grade - GIRLS

Required Uniform: (may be worn any day, but *must* be worn on chapel days)

- Pleated khaki skirt
- $\frac{3}{4}$ sleeve blue shirt
- Dress shoes or nice tennis shoes

Optional Clothing:

- Plaid skirt, skorts or shorts
- Navy blue or khaki skirt, shorts, skorts or pants
- Navy blue, dark green or red polo shirt
- Long sleeve blue striped rugby shirt
- Navy blue pullover or zip-up sweatshirt
- Navy blue fleece jacket
- Navy blue cardigan
- Navy blue, black or gray leggings or tights under skirts
- Navy blue, dark green, white, black or gray shirts under polo or oxford shirts

9th – 12th Grade - BOYS

Required Uniform: (may be worn any day, but *must* be worn chapel days)

- Khaki pants or shorts

- Long or short sleeve white oxford **with the WCS monogram**
- Dress shoes or nice tennis shoes

Optional Clothing:

- Navy blue or khaki shorts or pants
- Navy blue, dark green or red polo shirt
- Long sleeve blue striped rugby shirt
- Navy blue pullover or zip-up sweatshirt
- Navy blue fleece jacket
- Navy blue, dark green, white, black or gray shirts under polo or oxford shirts

Chapel shirts and plaid jumpers/skirts must come from the official uniform suppliers of WCS listed below:

<p>Texas School Uniforms 4744 Bryant Irvin Road #914 Fort Worth, TX 76132 817-292-1900 Fax # 817-292-5894</p> <p>www.texaschooluniforms.net</p>

<p>Parker School Uniforms 1125 Oakland Ft. Worth, TX 76103 817-446-0436</p> <p>www.parkersu.com Code: FW392913</p>
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Additional Guidelines for all Students:

- Navy pants and shorts must be dark in color, flat or pleated front, straight leg, dress/school uniform type pants or shorts (**NO** cargo pants, flair pants, etc.)
- Khaki pants and shorts must be true khaki (not too light or dark in color), flat or pleated front, straight leg, dress/school uniform type pants or shorts (**NO** cargo pants, flair pants, etc.)
- Shirts must be tucked in at all times
- Blue, brown, or black belt must be worn if loops are provided on clothing
- No distracting tennis shoes of any kind (light-up, bright color, character, etc.) are to be worn
- No sandals are to be worn
- No boots are to be worn with uniform skirts, skorts or shorts
- When attending a field trip, all students must be dressed as stated by their teacher
- Coats, sweaters and jackets not listed above are not permitted into the classroom – they may only be worn to and from school

Guidelines for special events including all school-sponsored banquets are:

- Dresses should not reveal the back below the waistline
- Dresses should be of a sufficient size and cut to cover cleavage
- Dresses should not be slit above mid-thigh
- Dresses should not display midriff
- Dresses should not have cut-outs on the front or sides between the upper chest area and mid-thigh
- Dresses should not be too tight or see-through

The final approval of the appropriateness of any attire for a school-sponsored event lies with the principal or his/her designee(s). Prior approval may be required for banquet dresses.