

## K4 – 12<sup>th</sup> GIRLS' UNIFORM GUIDELINES – 2016-2017

ITEM	PROVIDER/STYLE/BRAND	COMMENTS
<b>Plaid Shorts (K4 &amp; K5)</b>	Linda's – School Apparel Young Fashions Fashion World- Royal Park or Tulane	4" above knee or longer <b>Must</b> have <b>elastic waistband all the way around shorts-no zipper or button</b>
<b>Plaid Shorts (1<sup>st</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Linda's – ST315 Young Fashion – 70 Fashion World – 42	4" above knee; cannot exceed the bottom of the knee. Must be loose fitting. A belt must be worn if shorts have belt loops.
<b>Plaid Jumpers (K4-4<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Linda's – ST315 Young Fashion – 70 Fashion World – 42	Must touch the top of the knee <b>No</b> logo will be imprinted
<b>Plaid Skirt (5<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Linda's – ST315 Young Fashion – 70 Fashion World – 42	Must touch the top of the knee Stitch-down or box pleat
<b>Khaki Pants (K4 &amp; K5)</b>	Linda's – School Apparel Young Fashion – Fit America or K-12 Gear Fashion World – Classroom	<b>Must</b> have <b>elastic waistband all the way around – no zipper or button</b> <b>Can</b> be worn year-round <b>Must</b> be loose fitting
<b>Khaki Pants (1<sup>st</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Linda's – School Apparel Young Fashion – Royal Park or K-12 Gear Fashion World – Classroom	<b>Can</b> be worn year-round Flat or pleated front <b>Must</b> be loose fitting <b>Must</b> wear belt at all times
<b>Shirts (K4-12<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Linda's – School Apparel Young Fashion – K-12 Gear, A+ or Royal Park Fashion World – Tulane, French Toast, Classroom	<b>White or navy polo, must have banded bottom (navy-white logo; white-navy logo)</b> <b>Must have girl's LCA logo (cannot wear the boy's navy shirt with khaki logo)</b> Short or long sleeve permitted
<b>Undershirts (K4-12<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Can be purchased anywhere	<b>Solid White</b> short-sleeve t-shirt (navy t-shirt not allowed) <b>NO</b> writing on t-shirt The sleeve cannot <b>NOT</b> show past the sleeve of the uniform shirt
<b>Socks (K4-12<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Can be purchased anywhere	Solid white, gray, navy blue, or black Crew, ankle, or knee socks Socks must be worn at ALL times Socks must be solid color and they can have a small logo
<b>Tights (K4-12<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Can be purchased anywhere	Navy, white, gray, or flesh tights are allowed but must be worn with socks (tights <b>MUST</b> be footed – <b>not</b> a legging)
<b>Belts (1st-12th)</b>	Can be purchased anywhere	Black, any shade of brown, navy, gray Must be solid color; <b>No</b> sequins or jewels Must be worn if shorts/pants has loops
<b>Shoes (K4 &amp; K5)</b>	Can be purchased anywhere	<b>Must be slip on or Velcro; completely enclosed (No shoe laces)</b> Any color or color combination allowed (can be an athletic shoe) <b>Shoes must have a rubber non-scuff sole</b> Print, logo, or cartoon character must be school appropriate <b>NO</b> lights on shoes Boots <b>cannot</b> be worn
<b>Shoes (1<sup>st</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Can be purchased anywhere	<b>Slip-on tennis shoe or lace-up athletic shoe; completely enclosed</b> Shoes cannot be worn, torn, or dirty; they must be in like-new condition Any color or color combination allowed <b>Shoes must have a rubber non-scuff sole</b> <b>NO</b> cartoon characters or lights on shoes Shoelaces <b>must</b> be tied (cannot be tucked in the shoe) Boots <b>cannot</b> be worn <b>Lace-up athletic shoe must be worn for P. E. (cloth Converse-style shoe will not be allowed for PE)</b>
<b>I.D. (7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Will be purchased from LCA during student orientation – <u>must be visible</u>	<b>I.D. tag must be worn at ALL times during school hours on the outside of clothing. I.D. must be in good condition or a new one must be purchased.</b>

Any girl that wears shorts or pants that are too tight will not be allowed to wear shorts or pants for the remainder of the year.

## K4 –12<sup>th</sup> GRADE BOYS' UNIFORM GUIDELINES – 2016-2017

ITEM	PROVIDER/STYLE/BRAND	COMMENTS
<b>Khaki Shorts or Pants (K4 &amp; K5)</b>	Linda's – School Apparel Young Fashion – Fit America or K-12 Gear Fashion World – Classroom	Shorts: 2" above knee; cannot exceed the bottom of the knee <b>Must have elastic waistband all the way around shorts or pants- no zipper or button</b> <b>Dark khaki only</b>
<b>Khaki Shorts or Pants (1<sup>st</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Linda's – School Time Young Fashion – K-12 Gear Fashion World – Classroom	Shorts: 2" above knee; cannot exceed the bottom of the knee Must be worn at waist Belts must be worn <b>Dark khaki only</b>
<b>Shirts (K4-12<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Linda's Young Fashion Fashion World	Short or long sleeve Navy blue knit 2 – 3 buttons <b>Must</b> have LCA logo <b>May or may not</b> be tucked in (if the uniform shirt is too long, the shirt will have to be tucked into the pants)
<b>Undershirt (K4-12<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Can be purchased anywhere	Solid white or navy t-shirt is allowed (cannot exceed below the bottom of the uniform shirt) <b>NO</b> writing on t-shirt The sleeve must <b>NOT</b> show past the sleeve of the uniform shirt
<b>Belts (1<sup>st</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Can be purchased anywhere	Black, any shade of brown, navy Must be solid color Belt must be worn at ALL times
<b>Socks (K4-12<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Can be purchased anywhere	Solid khaki, white, navy, or black (no stripes) Socks <u>must be a solid</u> color and they can have a small logo Socks must be worn at ALL times Crew or ankle socks
<b>Shoes (K4 &amp; K5)</b>	Can be purchased anywhere	<b>Must be slip on or Velcro; completely enclosed (No shoe laces)</b> <b>Any color or color combination allowed</b> (can be an athletic shoe) <b>Shoes must have a rubber non-scuff sole</b> Print, logo, or cartoon character must be school appropriate <b>NO</b> lights on shoes Boots <b>cannot</b> be worn
<b>Shoes (1<sup>st</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Can be purchased anywhere	<b>Slip-on tennis shoe or lace-up athletic shoe; completely enclosed</b> Shoes cannot be worn, torn, or dirty; they must be in like-new condition Any color or color combination allowed <b>Shoes must have a rubber non-scuff sole</b> <b>NO</b> cartoon characters or lights on shoes Shoelaces <b>must</b> be tied (cannot be tucked in the shoe) Boots <b>cannot</b> be worn <b>Lace-up athletic shoe must be worn for P. E. (cloth Converse-style shoe will not be allowed for PE)</b>
<b>I.D. (7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Will be purchased from LCA during student orientation- must be visible	<b>I.D. tag must be worn at ALL times during school hours. I.D. must be in good condition or a new one must be purchased</b>

## OUTERWEAR (Boys & Girls)

ITEM	PROVIDER/STYLE/BRAND	COMMENTS
<b>Sweatshirts (LCA logo or appliquéd)</b>	Linda's, Young Fashion, Fashion World	Can be worn in classroom Appliquéd requirements: Girls – plaid (like uniform) Boys – solid navy blue Coed – White logo
<b>Hoodies</b>	Can be purchased <b>through LCA only-seasonal sale</b>	Can be worn in classroom
<b>Jackets/ Sweaters</b>	Can be purchased anywhere  <b>Only pullovers allowed to be worn are LCA sweatshirt or LCA hoodie. NO other pullover outerwear will be allowed to be worn on campus.</b>	<b>Must</b> be button up or zipper Cannot have tails Shirts cannot be worn as jackets <b>No</b> camouflage or military jackets allowed

## GENERAL GUIDELINES

1. LCA's logo (a patch) is mandatory on all uniforms shirts; it will not be attached to the jumper. (Check individual stores regarding their policy on attaching the logo patch on shirts not purchased from them.)  
**Girls:** White polo will have a navy logo; navy blue polo will have a white logo.  
**Boys:** Navy blue shirts will have khaki logo.
2. **White** short sleeve t-shirts (**no writing on them**) can be worn under girls' and boys' uniform shirts. Boys may wear navy blue t-shirts (**no writing on them**) under uniform shirt. Girls may have only the top button unbuttoned on their uniform shirt.
3. If an LCA sweatshirt or hoodie is worn in class, it is to be worn on top of school shirt at all times. Collar of school shirt or blouse must be exposed. School shirt/blouse cannot exceed below the hoodie.
4. Hats and beanies are allowed to be worn to school, but cannot be worn in the buildings. Bandanas are not to be worn on school grounds. Baseball caps may be worn during PE at the discretion of the teacher, i.e. softball/baseball season.

## Grooming

Students in grades K4-6<sup>th</sup> are not allowed to wear make-up; students in grades 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> may wear makeup in moderation. Moderation will be determined by administration. Girls are not to wear excessive jewelry – discretion of the teacher. Girls will be allowed to wear (2) pierced earrings. Boys are not allowed to wear earrings at any time. Girls and boys are allowed to wear a total of three (3) rings. All jewelry must be removed for PE classes and locked in PE lockers.

### **Boys**

- Hair cannot exceed the top of the eye when opened
- Hair cannot exceed past the bottom of the ear lobe
- Hair cannot touch the top of the collar of school uniform
- Adding gel substances to the hair to disguise the length will not be allowed
- Sideburns cannot extend beyond the ear lobe
- Hair should be natural color; cannot have extreme hair colors
- Hair should be tapered so obvious lines are not visible; mohawks are not allowed
- Cannot have mustaches or beards; must be clean shaven

### **African American**

- Afro haircuts cannot exceed three (3) inches in length.
- Dread locks and braids cannot exceed three (3) inches in length at the nape of the neck and cannot fall below the bottom of the ears.

### **Girls**

- Hair must be a natural color; cannot have extreme hair colors
- When hair is highlighted, it cannot be highlighted with an unnatural color (i.e., pink, purple, blue, etc.)
- Hair cannot be distracting
- Hair cannot be shaved or have defined lines
- Cannot wear feathers

If necessary, interpretation of the Grooming Guidelines can be made at the discretion of the administration.

### ***VIOLATION OF DRESS CODE or GROOMING POLICY***

All students in violation of the dress code will be issued a uniform deficiency slip in violation of a grooming policy will be issued a hair deficiency slip.

- **K4-2<sup>nd</sup>**: Failure to comply with the guidelines on the uniform or haircut deficiency slip will result in disciplinary action for the student. The deficiency requires a parent's signature and must be returned to the teacher.
- **3<sup>rd</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>**: Failure to comply with the guidelines on the uniform or haircut deficiency slip will result in disciplinary action for the student. A student will receive a detention on the 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup> deficiency. Upon the 7<sup>th</sup> deficiency, a one-day suspension will take place. A one-day suspension and a detention will continue to alternate until the end of the quarter. **This disciplinary action will reset each quarter.** If the student receives excessive hair/uniform deficiencies, the student may be removed from Lafayette Christian Academy at the discretion of the administration.
- Students and parents should monitor deficiencies that have been issued on Headmaster under the "Behavior" tab.