# Dress Code for All Middle School Students

The Dress Code is designed to allow students freedom of movement during classes and safety during PE/athletic periods. Above all, a neat and clean appearance is expected.

### General

- Hair must be properly groomed.
- Fingernails must be kept neat.
- Any jewelry worn must be safe for wear during recess, other classroom activities, PE and adhere to sport specific requirements as necessary.
- No hats of any kind are permitted in school (religious headwear is not considered a hat).

## Pants or Shorts

- Uniform khaki, black or navy chinos;
- In Sept/May/June only, Lands' End uniform pleated khaki chino shorts;
- Not permitted: Cargo or cropped pants, or cargo shorts.

## Skorts

- Lands' End Long Chino Skort in khaki, navy or black;
- Land's End Adaptive Blend Skort in khaki or navy;
- Skort to be no more than four inches above the knee in front and back;
- In the winter months, a layer of leggings (solid color: navy, white, cream, evergreen, or black) may be worn under the skort.

#### Shirts

- Lands' End uniform long or short sleeve cotton polo shirt in white, maize or evergreen with W+H logo;
- Lands' End uniform short sleeve rapid dry polo shirt in white, maize or evergreen with W+H logo;
- Lands' End uniform oxford button down dress shirt of any sleeve length in white;
- Students may only wear a solid white short sleeve undershirt under the polo or oxford shirt, no other visible layers;
- All buttons must be buttoned except for the top one;
- Shirts must be tucked in.

## Ties

- A tie is required when wearing the white oxford dress shirt;
- Tie may be of student's choice. No offensive language or symbols or political slogans are permitted.

#### **Sweaters**

- Lands' End uniform V-neck (with W+H logo), crew neck, cardigan, or vest in white, maize, or evergreen;
- Lands' End uniform fleece quarter-zip (with W+H logo) in evergreen;
- The Lands' End uniform white oxford shirt (with tie) or Lands' End uniform polo shirt must be worn under all sweaters/fleece;
- Students must be in dress-code during outdoor recess and other activities;

• Not permitted: hoodies.

## Shoes/Socks/Tights/Belts

- Sneakers, flat heeled shoes, or rubber soled (black or brown) shoes may be worn year-round (on special occasions students may be required to wear their dress shoes);
- All shoes should be closed-toe with well fitting back;
- Not permitted: Slippers, crocs, moccasins, boots, slides, or flip-flops.
- Socks: Solid white, cream, brown, black, navy or evergreen.
- Tights: Solid navy, white, cream or evergreen.
- Belts: If pants have belt loops, a solid black or brown belt must be worn.

#### PE/Athletics

On game days where student athletes are required to change into a uniform prior to the end of the day, athletes may wear their athletic uniform with the Lands' End evergreen fleece quarter zip with WH logo and gray uniform sweatpants while in school. No hoodies are permitted.

## **Dress Down Guidelines**

Dress Down Days in Middle School are voluntary events held during the school day. If participating, the Dress Down Dress Code must be followed.

#### Dress Down Dress Code:

On Dress Down Days students may wear clothing other than the prescribed uniform. On these days, students have the option to dress casually, often in keeping with a particular color or theme. To keep in mind the spirit and fun of these events and also allow us to pursue the academic life of the school day, please adhere to the following restrictions:

- Shirts must have sleeves;
- Shorts or skirts must be an appropriate length;
- No offensive language or symbols are permitted on any clothing;
- No political slogans;
- No undergarments should be visible;
- No midriffs should be visible;
- No slippers, crocs, moccasins, slides, flip-flops, or high-heeled shoes;
- No cut-offs, frays, or clothing with holes;
- Hats and sunglasses may not be worn inside the building.

Students who dress inappropriately on Dress Down Days may lose the privilege of participating in future Dress Down Days and will be escorted to the Ram Shop to obtain temporary uniform clothing.

GOOD RULE: IF YOU'RE NOT SURE YOU CAN WEAR IT – DON'T!