

# Middle School Uniform Standards

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## Uniform Requirements Applicable to All Students

- Student uniforms must reflect the high standards of Liza Jackson Preparatory School at all times.
- Students will wear their uniforms at all times while on campus unless otherwise specified.
- Clothes will be clean, unwrinkled, proper size, and in proper repair.
- Shirts will be tucked in at waist level. Shirts will not be "bloused" over the belt.
- Pants will be worn at normal waist level, not "sagging" or riding at the hips.
- Solid white short sleeve or sleeveless undershirts/camisoles may be worn. Undershirts/camisoles must remain tucked in and not protrude from the uniform shirt sleeves. Undershirts/camisoles may not protrude from the uniform.
- Belts will be worn with pants that have belt loops. Belt loops will not be cut off from pants that originally came with them.
- Shorts, skirts, etc. will be worn at fingertip length or longer.
- Modest jewelry may be worn. Any jewelry deemed by the administration to be extreme or distracting in nature will not be allowed. One earring per ear.
- Make-up must be natural, subtle, and in good taste. No eyeliner. Nail polish and lip gloss in soft shades. No blue, black, etc. Administration will determine the appropriateness of make-up on a case by case basis. If it causes a distraction, it will not be allowed.
- Hair is expected to reflect professional dress and promote professional excellence. Hair must not obstruct vision. Hair is to be neat, clean, trim, and well-groomed (brushed or combed) at all times. Hair color must be a natural color. Blue, green, pink, etc., are inappropriate for school.
- Hair Accessories: Hair accessories must be an asset to the uniform and not create a distraction to the learning environment.
- Dress Uniforms are mandatory every Thursday and when otherwise specified.
- Pull-over or half-zip outerwear will not be worn with the dress uniform
- Members of LJPS extracurricular activities may wear team shirts, jackets, etc. with the everyday uniform on designated days. **Team wear, including hoodies, is not to be worn with the dress uniform.**


## BOYS— EVERYDAY UNIFORM

Pants/Shorts	<b>6th, 7th, and 8th Grades:</b> Khaki or navy pants or shorts. No cargo pants, pants/shorts with exterior pockets, or styles other than traditional uniform khaki pants. No denim or jeans-type fabric. Shorts must be fingertip length. <b>9th Grade:</b> khaki or navy pants as above OR blue denim jeans or jeans shorts.
Belts	<b>All:</b> Plain black khaki, or brown solid color leather or leather-like belts to be worn with pants or shorts that have belt loops.
Shirts	<b>6th Grade:</b> solid white, hunter green, or navy polo with no logo of any kind. <b>7th Grade:</b> white, hunter green, or navy polo with no logo of any kind OR LJPS T-shirt. <b>8th Grade:</b> white, hunter green, sky blue, or navy polo, with no logo of any kind, OR LJPS T-shirt. <b>9th Grade:</b> Any solid-color polo, no LJPS logo required, OR LJPS T-shirt OR LJPS 9th Grade T-shirt.
Shoes	<b>All:</b> Closed-toe shoes, max 1.5" heel, no platform soles or lug soles. No "crocs," flip-flops, boots, or sandals. No excessive decoration or neon colors. Shoelaces must complement the uniform and be appropriately tightened and tied.
Outerwear: sweaters, sweatshirts, and jackets	<b>All:</b> we want our students to be warm and comfortable coming to school and returning home. Any jacket or outerwear may be worn to/from school; however, once in the building, bulky jackets or outerwear not meeting the uniform standards will not be worn. <b>6th - 8th Grades:</b> the only approved outerwear for inside the building is plain navy or plain white fleece, sweater, or sweatshirt with or without the LJPS logo. <b>9th Grade:</b> any color. Logos/graphics must be in good taste and appropriate. <b>All: Outerwear must fit appropriately and be an asset to the uniform.</b>
PE Uniform	<b>All:</b> the mandatory LJPS PE uniform t-shirts and shorts are available at LJPS. Unadorned black or navy sweats may be worn in cold weather with the PE uniform t-shirt.
Socks	<b>All:</b> socks are required in white, black, navy, or khaki, and either short or ankle length.

## Extracurricular Team Clothing

Members of LJPS extracurricular activities may wear team shirts, jackets, etc. with the everyday uniform on Tuesdays. Team wear, including pull-overs and hoodies, is not to be worn with the dress uniform.

<b>BOYS— DRESS UNIFORM</b>	
Pants	<b>6th - 9th Grades:</b> khaki or navy. No cargo pants, pants with exterior pockets, or styles other than traditional uniform khaki pants. No denim or jeans-type materials. No shorts with dress uniforms.
Shirts	<b>6th–8th Grades:</b> white or light blue, oxford cloth, button-down collar shirt. Shirts will remain buttoned and tucked in. <b>9th Grade:</b> Business style, suitable for wearing a tie.
Belts	<b>6th–9th Grades:</b> plain black or brown leather or leather-like belts will be worn with pants that have belt loops.
Tie	<b>6th–9th Grades:</b> any color or pattern without characters. Ties will remain tied.
Shoes	<b>6th–9th Grades:</b> solid color black or brown closed-heel and toe shoes, max 1.5” heel, no platform soles or lug soles. <b>Athletic shoes are not allowed with the dress uniform.</b> No flip-flops, sandals, boots, or “crocs.”
Socks	<b>All:</b> black, navy, brown, or khaki ankle-length socks are required with the dress uniform.
Outerwear	<b>All:</b> pull-over or half-zip outerwear is not appropriate with the dress uniform. Team wear, including pull-overs and hoodies, is not to be worn with the dress uniform.

<b>GIRLS— DRESS UNIFORM</b>	
Skirts	<b>6th - 9th Grades:</b> Plain khaki skirt in khaki or navy Fingertip length or longer. Lands End uniform pieces shown below, or an identical style. No ruffles, flairs, pleats, etc. <b>White sweater with navy skirt, navy sweater with khaki skirt.</b>
 <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Example skirts and sweater.</div> </div>	
Tops	<b>6th–9th Grades:</b> Lands End School Uniforms Short Sleeve Fine Gauge Shell sweater in white or navy blue (or identical). <b>White sweater with navy skirt, navy sweater with khaki skirt. (Sweater knit, not T-shirt material)</b>
Socks/Tights	<b>All:</b> if worn: white, ankle length. Tights: natural tones or white. No knee socks.
Shoes	<b>6th–8th Grades:</b> solid color closed heel and toe shoes, max 1.5” heel, no platform soles or lug soles. <b>Athletic shoes are not allowed with the dress uniform.</b> No “crocs,” flip-flops, boots, or sandals. <b>9th Grade:</b> dressy sandals are approved.
Outerwear	<b>All:</b> pull-over or half-zip outerwear is not appropriate with the dress uniform. Team wear, including pull-overs and hoodies, is not to be worn with the dress uniform.
<b>Additional for 9th Grade Girls: “Business” dress, one piece or matching pieces, sleeves or sleeveless, no spaghetti straps, backless, etc. Fingertip length.</b>	

<b>GIRLS— EVERYDAY UNIFORM</b>	
Pants/Shorts	<b>6th–8th grade:</b> straight-leg or gently flared khaki or navy pants, or capris (length=below the knee); or fingertip length khaki shorts. No hip-huggers, bell-bottoms, cargo pants, or pants with exterior pockets, ribbons or tags. No denim or “jeans” type pants (Check for double-stitched seams). Any pants deemed to be out-of-standard will not be allowed. (When in doubt, ask!) <b>9th Grade:</b> pants, capris, or shorts as above, <b>OR denim jeans or jeans shorts in any solid color.</b> <b>All: pants, capris, and shorts must not be overly tight or form-fitting. Includes jeans on casual days.</b>
Skirts	<b>All:</b> the plaid uniform skirt may be worn every day except for dress uniform days.
Belts	<b>All:</b> plain black, brown, khaki or navy leather or leather-like belts will be worn with skirts, shorts, pants, or shorts that have belt loops.
Shirts	<b>6th Grade:</b> white, navy, or hunter green polo shirt, pique or jersey, long or short sleeve, no logo of any kind. <b>7th Grade:</b> white, navy, or hunter green polo shirt, pique or jersey, long or short sleeve, no logo of any kind, OR LJPS T-shirt. <b>8th Grade:</b> white, navy, sky blue, or hunter green polo shirt, pique or jersey, long or short sleeve, no logo of any kind OR LJPS T-shirt <b>9th Grade:</b> any solid-color polo shirt, no logo required OR LJPS 9th grade T-shirt.
Shoes	<b>6th–8th Grades:</b> closed-toe shoes, max 1.5” heel, no platform soles or lug soles. No “crocs,” flip-flops, boots, or sandals. No excessive decoration or neon colors. Shoelaces must compliment the shoes and be appropriately tightened and tied. <b>9th Grade:</b> sandals may be worn, but no rubber or similar flip-flops or “Croc” type shoes.
Socks	<b>6th–9th Grades:</b> if worn, white, black, navy, or khaki crew socks, either short or ankle length, are allowed. Knee socks are not appropriate.
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