

***Centennial High School, in addition to WCBE policy, has adopted the following dress code:***

Centennial High School Standard Student Dress Code

Per Board Policy 6.310

General Requirements

- Acceptable colors for tops, bottoms, dresses, and jumpers – solid khaki, solid navy blue, solid light blue, solid white, solid gray, and CHS plaid
- Students will wear clothing of the appropriate size. Appropriate size is defined as no more than one size smaller or larger than the appropriate clothing size. Pants, Capri pants, shorts, skorts, or skirts must fit at the waist and not sag.
- All clothing must be hemmed. No drawstrings, cut-offs, or rolled-up cuffs are allowed on pants, Capri pants, shorts, skorts, and skirts.
- No writing is allowed on clothing except logos or manufacturer trademarks, which may be no larger than three inches wide and three inches high.
- The school does not require a specific brand of clothing. However, CHS plaid and many other acceptable dress code options, including khaki and navy, are available from Educational Outfitters and Lands' End. The plaid is CHS plaid at Educational Outfitters and clear blue plaid at Lands' End. For additional information, see Optional Attire below.
- All tops and dresses must have a collar (polo, dress-style with buttons, or turtleneck).
- JROTC Uniforms meet all dress code requirements.

Shirts & Tops

- Shirts with short or long sleeves and a collar (polo, dress-style with buttons, or turtleneck) in the colors of solid khaki, solid navy blue, solid light blue, solid white, solid gray, and CHS plaid.
- All shirts and blouses must be properly buttoned and tucked in. If shirt is bloused when tucked in, it may extend no more than three inches below the top of the pants or skirt.
- Chests and midriffs must be covered.
- Dresses (solid khaki, solid navy blue, solid light blue, solid white, solid gray, and CHS plaid) with short or long sleeves and a collar are permissible.
- Jumpers (solid khaki, solid navy blue, solid light blue, solid white, solid gray, and CHS plaid) with a collared shirt worn underneath are permissible.
- No more than the top two buttons may be unbuttoned, and cleavage is not to be visible. If the shirt does not have standard buttons it is not to be open more than the length allowed on a standard buttoned shirt. Cowl neck tops and dresses are not allowed.
- T-Shirts, tank tops, and camisoles worn under collared shirts must be of acceptable colors for tops.

Pants & Bottoms

- Accepted colors are solid khaki, solid navy blue, solid light blue, solid white, solid gray, and CHS plaid.
- Full-length pants and straight legged capris are permitted. They must be dress style or casual style. (example: Dockers)
- Pants must be straight-leg or boot-cut (styles such as cargos are not permissible). Corduroys in the accepted colors that are straight-leg or boot-cut are also permissible.
- Pants, capris, skirts, shorts, and skorts with elastic waists must be worn at the waist and do not require a belt. All other pants, capris, skirts, shorts, and skorts must be worn at the waist, and those with belt loops must be worn with a belt.
- No words or symbols are allowed on the belt buckle. Colors and patterns are acceptable if composed of the accepted school colors, brown, or black.
- Skirts, jumpers, dresses, shorts, or skorts must be no shorter than 3" from the top of the knee cap. (regardless if leggings or tights are worn underneath)
- Shorts that are no shorter than 3" from the top of the knee cap are permitted. They must be dress style or casual style (example: Dockers). Cargo styles are not permissible.

Footwear

- No house shoes or roller shoes are permitted.
- Laces on shoes or sneakers must be tied.
- Socks must be either white, navy blue, light blue, or gray.

Additional Clothing

- A single blazer, suit jacket, cardigan, or vest in the accepted colors of solid khaki, solid navy blue, solid light blue, solid white, solid gray is permissible and must be worn over a collared shirt.
- Centennial hoodies (hood may not be worn in the building), Centennial zip-up jackets, and Centennial sweatshirts are permitted to be worn if they are in the school appropriate colors and worn over a collared shirt. Non-Centennial hoodies or sweatshirts are not allowed.
- Ties may be worn with collared shirts and are acceptable if composed predominately of the accepted school colors of white, navy blue, light blue, gray and CHS plaid.
- Scarves may be worn with collared shirts and are acceptable if composed predominately of the accepted school colors of white, navy blue, light blue, gray and CHS plaid.
- Tights and leggings in solid navy blue, light blue, white, gray, and flesh tone are permitted. (leggings are not considered appropriate bottoms by themselves)

### **Game Days**

If a team has a game on a day that is not designated as a spirit day, the team may wear a collared team shirt. These Game day tops are to be worn with standard dress code bottom (sweats/warm/ups are not allowed).

### **Spirit Days**

On days designated by the administration as Spirit Days, the following attire is permissible:

Dickies for SENIORS ONLY

- One piece navy blue, light blue, or gray Dickies that have Centennial, CHS, Paw Prints, or the Power Cat. Dickie dresses can be no shorter than three inches above the top of the knee cap. They are to be decorated with paint, fabric, sequins, and buttons (not markers)

Dickie Pants (Juniors)

- Navy blue, light blue, or gray Dickie pants that have Centennial, CHS, Paw Prints, or the Power Cat. Dickie pants must be worn at the waist. They are to be decorated with paint, fabric, sequins, and buttons (not markers)

Scrubs for any class

- Scrubs in the colors of navy, light blue, white, and grey that have Centennial, CHS, the Power Cat, or Paw Prints that are clearly visible
- Team jerseys and cheerleading uniforms worn with leggings are permitted

Decorated Shirts

- T-shirts must be navy, light blue, grey, white
- Must have CHS, Cougars, Centennial, Powercat, or Paw Prints that area easily visible
- Must be decorated with paint, fabric, sequins, buttons (not markers)
- Be long enough to cover waist band but no more than 9 inches from your hip bone if not tucked in
- Meet dress code fit requirements
- Be worn with regular dress code bottoms or spirit scrub pants as described above

If a student chooses not to participate in their grade level spirit wear, they must then adhere to the daily student attire.

What is NOT Allowed

- Any torn clothing
- Denim
- Cargo style pants or shorts
- See-through clothing
- Fishnet or patterned tights/leggings
- Sunglasses
- Cowl neck tops/dresses without appropriately collared shirt underneath
- Bandanas
- Chains or spiked accessories, even as belts
- Athletic wear or warm-ups, including athletic shorts
- Sweat pants
- Outerwear such as raincoats, windbreakers, and cold weather jackets are not to be worn during the school day and must be placed in the student's locker.

- Fleece jackets such as Northface are also to be placed in locker and not worn during the school day.
- Logos, manufacturer trademarks, or visible tattoos with writing or images of substances illegal for teens (tobacco, alcohol, drugs) or otherwise offensive images or words (racial slurs, profane language, indecent images) may not be worn.
- Blankets

#### Assistance with Standard Student Dress Code

- The school will work to seek donations and maintain clothing fitting the requirements for Standard Student Dress Code. If a student demonstrates financial need, the school will try to provide the student with 2 outfits that meet the requirements of Standard Student Dress Code.

#### Optional Attire

Educational Outfitters, located online at <http://www.educationaloutfitters.com> and also at a storefront location in Cool Springs, and Lands' End, located online at [www.landsend.com/school](http://www.landsend.com/school), carry a line of clothing that has been pre-selected by Centennial as part of the Standard Student Dress Code. Students may select any of these items. These items also include a Centennial plaid.