



Capstone Classical Academy



APPEARANCE GUIDE

2025-2026

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WHY A UNIFORM?

Capstone Classical Academy sets a high standard for students in their dress and appearance to express reverence for God and for the task of education and to demonstrate respect for one another.

The academy employs a uniform policy for grammar and upper school students in an effort to foster a sense of community and unity as well as to promote a positive work ethic and modesty.

Students are expected to be in uniform when on campus unless a rare occasion has been designated by school administration. Students will also wear their uniforms on most field trips and outings that occur during a typical school day. The uniform is governed by the following biblical principles.

The academy encourages parents to hold their children accountable for adhering to the uniform and dress code policy. When teachers must address infractions, precious time reserved for education is wasted. Uniform policy adherence is primarily the responsibility of the family at home.

WHY A UNIFORM?

1. The way we dress can honor God by reflecting respect for our bodies and for others or can dishonor God by showing disrespect for our bodies and others. (1 Corinthians 6:20)

2. We should not dress in a manner that draws self-gratifying attention. Instead we should be Christ-like in both conduct and dress. (Romans 13:14)

3. We should not view our physical appearance or beauty as the source of our value, but rather should see that our value is inherent as God's unique creation. We should strive to let our attractiveness emanate from a Christ-like spirit and good conduct. (1 Peter 3:3-4; 1 Timothy 2:9-10; Colossians 3:17)

4. All students must dress in uniform clothing designated by the academy for their biological, genetic sex confirmed at birth. (Genesis 1:27; Deut. 22:5)

Students are encouraged to honor the stated and implied principles of the uniform. We strongly discourage the practice of looking for loopholes and of applying a legalistic approach to the uniform in both practice and enforcement. Teachers do not enjoy reprimanding students and find even more distasteful debating with them over the uniform standards. Let's work together to make the uniform a useful tool.



GENERAL GUIDELINES

Students must wear the designated uniform for their grade level when attending classes or on school-sponsored trips except in the case of any exceptions outlined below or in cases of special events for which the administration has granted permission for variance from the uniform policy.

Uniforms may be ordered from designated vendors. All accessories sold by our vendor on Capstone's vendors' websites are permitted (such as hair bows, crossover ties, ties for K-5 boys, etc.).

Exceptions to our uniform policy may be requested in writing and should be related to a specific medical need or inability to find a proper fit within the options found at either of our preferred vendors.

If uniform pieces need to be altered to maintain a dignified appearance, prior approval must be obtained from the assistant headmaster.



RECOMMENDED PROVIDERS

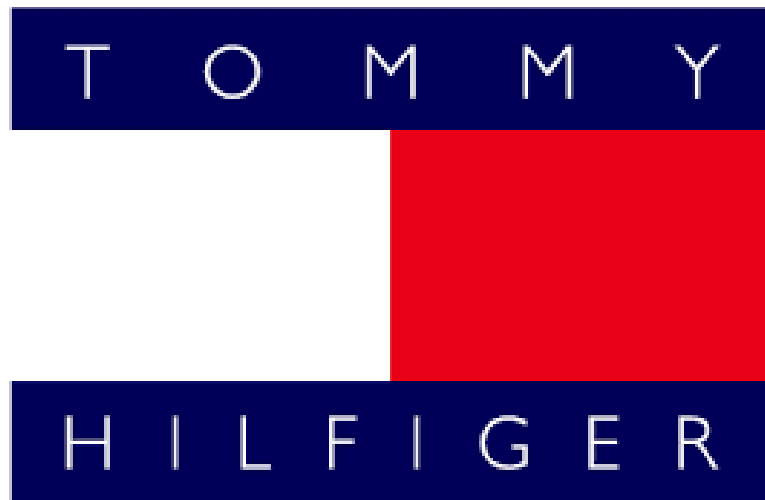
Though it is recommended you purchase clothing through these providers, it is not required.



Donald's
The Official Uniform Store
Since 1952

DonaldsUniform.com

"Shop For My School" > Capstone



GlobalSchoolwear.com

School Code: CAPS01

TOPS



White or Navy Polo
Short or Long Sleeve
(No logo required)



Navy Cardigan



Plaid Jumper
(Doll or Drop Waist Style)



Navy Zip Logo Sweatshirt

BOTTOMS



Khaki or Navy Chino Pants



Khaki or Navy Shorts
(Must be finger-tip length)

OTHER ITEMS:

- SOCKS: must be black, white or navy
- SHOES: must be closed toe and heel (no flip flops, sandals, or crocs)
- MODESTY LAYER: must wear white or navy biker shorts or leggings under jumper

TOPS



White or Navy Polo
Short or Long Sleeve
(No logo required)



Navy Zip Logo Sweatshirt



Navy Logo Cardigan

BOTTOMS



Khaki or Navy Chino Pants



Khaki or Navy Shorts

OTHER ITEMS:

- SOCKS: must be black, white or navy
- SHOES: must be closed toe and heel (no flip flops, sandals, or crocs)

GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Kindergarten through 5th

GIRLS

TOPS



White or Navy Polo
(Short or Long Sleeve)
(Logo Required)



Peter Pan Blouse



Oxford
(Long or Short Sleeve)



Plaid Jumper
(Doll or Drop Waist Style)

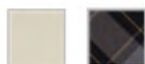


Navy Zip Logo Sweatshirt
(Polo, Oxford, Navy or
White Tee Required Underneath)



Navy Logo Cardigan
(Polo, Oxford, Navy or
White Tee Required
Underneath)

BOTTOMS



Plaid or Khaki Skort/Skirt



Khaki or Navy Chino Pants

OTHER ITEMS:

- **SOCKS:** must be black, white or navy
- **SHOES:** must be closed toe and heel (no flip flops, sandals, crocs, or similar)
- **MODESTY LAYER:** must wear navy biker shorts or leggings under jumper / skirt (if shorts are not already attached)

SKIRTS:

- Must be no more than 4 inches above knee
- Must sit slightly below natural waist
- Removal of built-in shorts is prohibited

GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Kindergarten through 5th

BOYS

TOPS



White or Navy Polo
(Short or Long Sleeve)
(Logo Required)



Oxford
(Long or Short Sleeve)



Navy Zip Logo Sweatshirt
(Polo, Oxford, Navy or
White Tee Required Underneath)



Navy Logo Cardigan
(Polo, Oxford, Navy or
White Tee Required
Underneath)

BOTTOMS



Khaki or Navy Chino Pants



Khaki or Navy Shorts



Brown, Black,
or Navy Belt
(Required Starting
in 3rd Grade)

OTHER ITEMS:

- SOCKS: must be black, white or navy
- SHOES: must be closed toe and heel (no flip flops, sandals, crocs, or similar)
- TIE: Plaid or Navy Capstone tie is optional

LOGIC SCHOOL

6th through 8th

GIRLS

TOPS



Plaid Jumper
(Drop Waist Style Only)



Peter Pan Blouse
(w/ Layering Tank)
(Must Be Paired with Cardigan)



Oxford
(Short or Long Sleeve)
(w/ Layering Tank)



Navy Logo Cardigan
(Oxford/Peter Pan Blouse
Required Underneath)



Navy Zip Logo Sweatshirt
(Oxford/Peter Pan Blouse
Required Underneath)



Navy Logo Blazer
(Oxford/Peter Pan Blouse
Required Underneath)

BOTTOMS



Khaki or Navy Chino Pants
(Must Be Worn w/ Belt)



Plaid or Khaki Pleated
Skort/Skort



Khaki or Navy
Ponte Skort



Brown, Black,
or Navy Belt



Plaid or Solid
Cross-Over Tie
(on Formal Days)



Navy, White, or
Plaid Hair
Accessories

OTHER ITEMS:

- SOCKS: must be black, white or navy
- SHOES: see footwear guide below
- SKIRTS: see skirt standards below
- MODESTY LAYER: must wear navy biker shorts or leggings under jumper / skirt (if shorts are not already attached)

LOGIC SCHOOL

6th through 8th

BOYS

TOPS

Required
Daily!



Oxford
(Long or Short Sleeve)



Navy Zip Logo Sweatshirt



Navy Full Zip
Logo Sweatshirt



Sweater Vest



Navy Logo Blazer

BOTTOMS



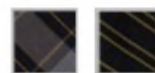
Khaki or Navy Chino Pants



Khaki or Navy Shorts



Brown, Black,
or Navy Belt



Plaid or Navy/Gold
Tie
(on Formal Days)

Required
Daily!

OTHER ITEMS:

- SOCKS: must be black, white or navy
- SHOES: see footwear guide below

RHETORIC SCHOOL

9th through 12th

GIRLS

TOPS



Peter Pan Blouse
(w/ Layering Tank)
(Must Be Paired with Cardigan)



Oxford
(Short or Long Sleeve)
(w/ Layering Tank)



Navy Logo Cardigan
(Oxford/Peter Pan Blouse
Required Underneath)



Navy Logo V Neck



Navy Zip Logo Sweatshirt
(Oxford/Peter Pan Blouse
Required Underneath)



Navy Logo Blazer
(Oxford/Peter Pan Blouse
Required Underneath)

ACCESSORIES



Plaid or Solid
Cross-Over Tie

BOTTOMS



Khaki or Navy Chino Pants
Gray Herringbone Pants
(Must Be Worn w/ Belt)



Plaid or Khaki
Skort/Skirt



Khaki or Navy
Ponte Skort



Navy+White Plaid
Hair Accessories



Brown, Black,
or Navy Belt

OTHER ITEMS:

- SOCKS: must be black, white or navy
- SHOES: see footwear guide below

- SKIRTS: see skirt standards below
- MODESTY LAYER: must wear navy biker shorts or leggings under jumper / skirt (if shorts are not already attached)

FORMAL DAY UNIFORM



Oxford
(Short or Long Sleeve)
(w/ Layering Tank)



Navy Logo Blazer



Plaid or Solid
Cross-Over Tie



Plaid Skort/Skirt

OTHER ITEMS:

- SOCKS: must be black, white or navy
- SHOES: see footwear guide below
- MODESTY LAYER: must wear navy biker shorts or leggings under jumper / skirt (if shorts are not already attached)

RHETORIC SCHOOL

9th through 12th

BOYS

TOPS

Required
Daily!



Oxford
(Long or Short Sleeve)



Navy Zip Logo Sweatshirt



Navy Full Zip
Logo Sweatshirt



Sweater Vest



Logo V Neck Sweater



Navy Logo Blazer

ACCESSORIES



Plaid or Navy/Gold
Tie

Required
Daily!
(Either/Or)

BOTTOMS



Khaki or Navy Chino Pants



Khaki or Navy Shorts



Brown, Black,
or Navy Belt

Required
Daily!

OTHER ITEMS:

- SOCKS: must be black, white or navy
- SHOES: see footwear guide below

FORMAL DAY UNIFORM



Oxford
(Short or Long Sleeve)



Navy Logo Blazer



Khaki Chino Pants



Brown, Black,
or Navy Belt



Tie

OTHER ITEMS:

- SOCKS: must be black, white or navy
- SHOES: see footwear guide below

FOOTWEAR

6th through 12th grade



- Must be black, brown, or navy
- Leather or leather-looking shoe
- Closed-toe and closed-heel
- Must be dress style shoe



No tennis shoes



No flashy designs



Black, brown, or navy colors only



Must be dress style shoe



No designer logos



Leather, or leather-looking shoes only



No open-toe or open-heel shoes

GENERAL APPEARANCE

- Hair must be natural and clean; no unnatural colors or styles that interfere with learning
- No hats indoors
- Girls: max 2 earrings/ear; Boys: no earrings
- Subtle nose rings only; no other piercings
- Tattoos, real or play, must be covered
- Limit jewelry to 1 per limb
- Shirts must be buttoned to just below the neck
- No midriff/back/undergarments showing

SKIRT STANDARDS



- Must be no more than 4" above the knee
- Removal of built-in shorts is prohibited
- Must wear modesty layer underneath (if not already built-in)
- Rolling up of the waistband is prohibited

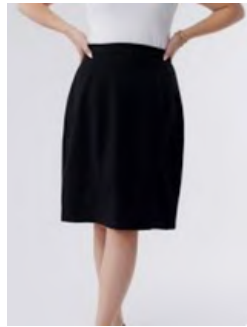
DISCIPLINARY MEASURES

- 1st offense: Scholar will receive a verbal warning
- 2nd offense: Scholar will receive a written warning that must be signed by parents
 - Level 1 Disciplinary Action as described in the Parent/Student Handbook
- 3rd offense: Scholar's parents will be called to bring in correct uniform for the scholar to wear. Scholar will sit in the nurse's office until items are present
 - Level 2 Disciplinary Action as described in the Parent/Student Handbook
- 4th offense: Scholar will lose the privilege of wearing certain uniform items. The scholar can earn this privilege back on formal wear days if uniform is worn as stated in the policy.

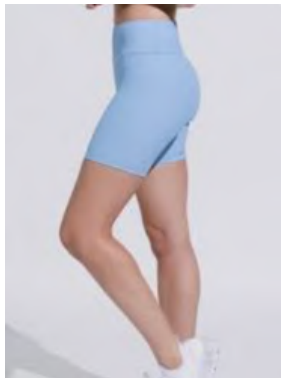
Obviously immodest attire will be regarded as a 3rd offense, resulting in the removal of the scholar from the classroom until appropriate clothing is provided. This will be to prevent the distraction of the students around them. The definition of “obviously immodest” will be left to the immediate discretion of the Deans and Assistant Headmaster.

NON-UNIFORM ATTIRE

For both **on-campus** and **off-campus** events sponsored by the academy and **not requiring uniform clothing**, the following rules apply:



- No yoga pants, biker shorts, skinny jeans, or ripped clothing
- Shorts must be fingertip-length; dresses/skirts must hit knee
- No tank tops, tight tops, or plunging necklines
- Writing or images should be “G-rated” and should not state or imply messages that would be in conflict with the school’s mission
- No 2-piece swimsuits or male speedos



FORMAL DAYS

6th through 12th grade

This list may not be all inclusive. Please refer to the calendar for designated formal days.

- Convocation Day
- Grandparents Day
- Thanksgiving Feast & Poetry
- Christmas Choir/Band Days
- 119 Day
- State of School Day
- Young Authors Day
- Easter Concerts
- Theatre Production
- Art Show
- Thanksgiving Worship
- Barnabas Day



GRYPHON GEAR DAYS

- Wear Capstone or Gryphon top with standard uniform bottom (or CI Apparel Gryphon shorts)
- Gryphon gear from CI Apparel/ PromoPlus only
- **No Friday = no Gryphon Gear Day that week**

