## SCHOOL UNIFORM GUIDELINES

El Paso Christian School's dress code is designed to a) promote our academic mission, b) promote unity of purpose within the student body and c) support biblical principles of modesty. Coming to school each day with clothing in compliance with the dress code is a responsibility of both the student and the parent. Thank you for shouldering this responsibility together.

**Polos/T-shirts:** All polos and t-shirts must be worn tucked in. Shirts must be of appropriate size, properly buttoned and must be **long** enough to avoid midriff or undergarments from showing. All polos must have the school logo.

**Pants:** All pants and shorts should fit properly. Not too tight nor too loose. Pants/shorts should not allow undergarments to be visible. Low-rise garments are not permitted nor is "sagging" allowed. Pants may not have holes, rips or frays. Shorts must not be shorter than three inches above the crease at the back of the knee and not be longer than the bottom of the knee. No cargo/crop/carpenter or cargo style pants are allowed. <u>ALL</u> school pants/shorts must be purchased through Lands' End our uniform provider.

**Skirts/Dresses/Jumpers:** Jumpers, skirts and other dresses must be no shorter than three inches above the crease at the back of the knee. <u>ALL</u> school skirts/dresses/jumpers and skorts must be purchased through Lands' End our uniform provider. Bike or cartwheel shorts must be worn underneath skirts dresses and jumpers.

**Belts**: A belt must be worn with garments that have belt loops for students <u>grades 2<sup>nd</sup></u> and <u>higher</u>. Belts must close with a regular "D-ring" or other standard buckle. Belts with studs or spikes are not allowed.

**Shoes:** Casual, dress, western style boots and athletic shoes of any color are permitted. No rain boots, flip-flops, wheeled shoes or sandals are permitted. Shoes may be purchased from your retailer of choice. Students <u>MUST</u> wear athletic shoes on PE days.

**Socks:** All students must wear socks or other hosiery daily. Socks must be matching and visible at the top of the shoe. Ladies wearing skirts, shorts or skorts, must wear school uniform knee length solid colored cable socks. Ladies wearing dresses or jumpers will have the option of wearing cable socks, leggings, or tights.

**Leggings:** Solid color navy or white leggings/tights may be worn under dresses and jumpers. Leggings may not be worn on their own en lieu of the uniform pants. No other style/color of leggings may be worn. Leggings can be purchased at Lands' End or your retailer of choice.

**Undershirts:** Solid white, gray, royal or navy blue undershirts may be worn under polos and t-shirts and should not extend below the bottom of the uniform polo shirt.

**Outerwear:** Coats that are worn outside the building can be any color. Outerwear worn in classrooms must be solid navy blue, charcoal gray, or royal blue. EPCS logoed outerwear is optional and can be purchased from Lands' End and MT Needles. All outerwear garments must be

neat in appearance, appropriately sized and worn over approved EPCS uniform shirts or clothing. Students should not wear a hood on their head except outside in inclement weather.

## **GENERAL GUIDELINES**

- All EPCS students should exhibit modest and developmentally appropriate dress.
- Excessively tight fitting or baggy clothing is not permitted.
- Hats are not to be worn inside the building.
- Body piercing is not permitted (single ear piercing for a girl is permitted).
- Body tattoos (permanent or press on) are not permitted.
- Hair must be natural in color, out of the eyes and neatly groomed.
- Students must stay in school uniform while on campus.
- School sanctioned spirit dress days and school pictures are the only time exceptions are permitted.

## **EPCS UNIFORM PROVIDERS**

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