



# NORTH HILLS CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

EQUIPPING HEARTS AND MINDS OF STUDENTS TO IMPACT THE WORLD FOR CHRIST

## Lower School Uniform Policy

The following items will be required dress for all junior kindergarten through 5th grade students. Students will be required to wear the uniforms each school day.

Any combination of specified embroidered black, white, or royal blue polo shirts, along with specified khakis, are within policy.

Most Fridays are Spirit Days, and all students are required to wear either an NHCS-approved spirit shirt **or** a uniform polo shirt. Spirit shirts are available for purchase in the NHCS front office.

**All new uniform polos are required to be embroidered with the NHCS shield logo. This logo will be automatically added when shirts are ordered through the online, NHCS-approved French Toast Catalog listed below.**

**All students must have a separate pair of athletic shoes that are used exclusively for PE classes that occur in the gym. PE shoes must be kept at the school, in the student's cubby, when not in use for class.**

**All students must have at least one royal blue polo shirt to wear for specified events.**

This polo shirt may be long or short sleeved.

### Boys:

The following items **must** be purchased through the NHCS-approved French Toast Catalog, [catalog@frenchtoast.com](mailto:catalog@frenchtoast.com). The NHCS source code is QS4443U:

- **Embroidered** black, white, and royal blue (long sleeve or short sleeve) polo shirt with knit collar

The following items can be purchased through either a retailer of your choice **or** through the NHCS-approved French Toast Catalog, [catalog@frenchtoast.com](mailto:catalog@frenchtoast.com). The NHCS source code is QS4443U:

- Pleated or plain front khaki chino pants. These may be cotton or a blend.
- Pleated or plain front khaki chino shorts. These may be cotton or a blend.

In-class layered wear: Any jacket, sweater, or sweatshirt that is to be worn in the classroom must be NHCS approved spirit-wear or plain royal blue, black, or white. Clothing must be free of all other company/brand logo.

### Girls:

The following items, if purchased, **must** be purchased from the NHCS-approved French Toast Catalog, [catalog@frenchtoast.com](mailto:catalog@frenchtoast.com). The NHCS source code is QS4443U:

- Khaki, two-tab scooter; khaki, pleated jumper; and khaki, knee-length straight skirt
- **Embroidered** black, white, and royal blue (long sleeve or short sleeve) polo shirt with knit collar

The following items can be purchased through either a retailer of your choice or through the NHCS-approved French Toast Catalog, [catalog@frenchtoast.com](mailto:catalog@frenchtoast.com). The NHCS source code is QS4443U.

- Pleated or plain front khaki chino pants. These may be cotton or a blend.
- Pleated or plain front khaki chino shorts. These may be cotton or a blend. Shorts must be no shorter than 3" above the knee as measured from the back knee crease.

In-class layered wear: Any jacket, sweater, or sweatshirt that is to be worn in the classroom must be NHCS-approved spirit-wear or plain royal blue, black, or white. These items must be free of all other company/brand logo.

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## All Students:

### Outerwear, lunch boxes, backpacks, and shoes:

Hats may not be worn inside school buildings. Exceptions will be given on designated spirit days, with administrative approval.

Non-violent and non-objectionable commercial characters are permissible on outerwear, lunchboxes, backpacks, and shoes.

All students' shoes must be secured as designed. Backless shoes are not permitted in grades JK - 5.

**Hair:** Unnatural hair colors or hairstyles that draw unnecessary attention or present a distraction in the learning environment are not permitted. Hair must be neatly groomed and styled. For boys, hair length must not obscure vision.

**Jewelry:** JK students are not permitted to wear jewelry, except for studded earrings. Boys and girls may wear all standard jewelry in grades 5K through 5<sup>th</sup>.

**Tattoos:** Temporary tattoos are allowed for Spirit Days or other special events with administrative approval.

## The NHCS Uniform Closet

If you are interested in gently-used NHCS uniform items, please contact Aimee Merrell at 704-877-6776, or [amerrell1@hotmail.com](mailto:amerrell1@hotmail.com).

The NHCS Uniform Closet is a free service and operates on a first-come, first-serve basis.

There is a limit of 3-5 items per child every 60 days, as items are available.

**\*\*If you have uniform items to donate to The NHCS Uniform Closet, please drop them off by the NHCS front office.**

**\*Please bring ALL "unusable" NHCS logo apparel at the front office. We prefer that all North Hills apparel items begin and end on our campus.**