

Carman's dress code policy is designed to encourage neatly-groomed students and to create an atmosphere that promotes modesty, integrity, and learning. The principal has the final word regarding interpretation of the guidelines below. Unless otherwise noted, uniforms should be purchased through approved vendors. Contact information is located on the following page.

<b>Shirts</b>	<p>Properly fitted long or short sleeve polo shirts with the Carman logo.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Approved colors: white, light gray, light blue, and navy blue</li> <li>● Required: one navy blue shirt for field trips and casual programs.</li> </ul>
<b>Pants</b>	<p>Pants are to be either khaki or navy blue chinos.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Pants may be purchased at any store as long as they are 4-pocket (max) chino style.</li> <li>● Not approved: cargos, flares/ bell-bottom, or baggy styles, stone or off-white colors.</li> <li>● Pants must be free of holes, tears, and fraying.</li> </ul>
<b>Shorts</b>	<p>Modest shorts (past fingertips) are to be either khaki or navy blue.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Shorts may be purchased at any store as long as they are 4-pocket (max) chino style.</li> <li>● Shorts must be free of holes, tears, and fraying</li> </ul>
<b>Skirts</b>	<p>Skirts are to be in either khaki, navy blue, or plaid (plaid color 80 only), with a modest hemline (past fingertips).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Must be worn with biker or privacy shorts.</li> </ul>
<b>Skorts</b>	<p>Skorts are to be in khaki, navy blue, or plaid color (plaid color 80 only), with a modest hemline (past fingertips).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● These come with built-in shorts for privacy.</li> </ul>
<b>Jumpers</b>	<p>K through 4<sup>th</sup> grades may wear modest-length navy blue, khaki, or plaid (plaid # 80) jumpers with the embroidered Carman logo</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● The shirt worn underneath may be a non-logoed short or long-sleeved top in white or navy blue.</li> <li>● Must be worn with biker or privacy shorts.</li> </ul>
<b>Polo Dresses</b>	<p>K through 4<sup>th</sup> may wear modest-length navy blue polo dresses with the embroidered Carman logo.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● These should only be purchased in navy blue.</li> <li>● Previously-purchased Carman polo shirt dresses in light blue may also be worn.</li> </ul>
<b>Sweatshirts Hoodies</b>	<p>Sweatshirts/hoodies may be gray, navy, or light blue and must have the Carman logo.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Hoods may not be worn on the head in the school building.</li> </ul>
<b>Jacket</b>	<p>Jackets must be navy blue and have the Carman logo. They can be either the full zippered pullover fleece or hooded windbreaker.</p>
<b>Sweaters</b>	<p>Sweaters worn at Carman must be a navy blue cardigan with embroidered Carman logo.</p>
<b>Socks/Tights/ Leggings</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Socks or tights must be worn daily.</li> <li>● In colder months, leggings may be worn rather than privacy shorts under uniform skirts/jumpers/dresses.</li> </ul>
<b>Shoes</b>	<p>Shoes must be flat, closed-toed and closed-heeled, and suitable for recess and PE.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● No cartoon or TV characters, no platforms, heels, or sandals may be permitted.</li> <li>● All shoes need to fit correctly and be tied or buckled for safety.</li> </ul>
<b>Hair/ Headwear</b>	<p>Hair must be clean, well-groomed, and neat.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Extreme hairstyles, including but not limited to unnatural hair colors, will not be permitted.</li> <li>● Hats/caps are to espouse pro-Christian values and are not to be worn inside the building.</li> </ul>
<b>Nails, Jewelry, &amp; Make-up</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Clear nail polish only.</li> <li>● No jewelry.</li> <li>● Make-up should have a natural look.</li> </ul>
<b>Backpacks &amp; Lunchboxes</b>	<p>Plain backpacks and lunchboxes with simple colors and patterns are preferred.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Wheeled backpacks are not permitted</li> </ul>
<b>Friday: Dress Down</b>	<p>Students have the privilege of wearing denim shorts or jeans with their Carman polo on Fridays.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Shorts/jeans are to be selected to meet the same guidelines as the uniform shorts/pants. They must be solid blue denim with no holes, tears, fraying.</li> <li>● Students who do not choose to participate may wear their regular uniform.</li> <li>● Students who do not follow the guidelines may lose the privilege of participating.</li> </ul>