

Student Dress Code

Zion's objective is to teach morals, values and modesty as well as mathematics, science and language. A clean, neat student body, uniformly dressed, reduces student alienation, discrimination, and distraction.

We recommend: **Lands' End, French Toast, The Children's Place & Old Navy.** The acceptable colors for bottoms (pants, skirts, shorts & skorts) are **black, khaki or Lands' End Classic Evergreen/Navy Plaid***. Tops must be a collared shirt, either polo or button down, in uniform colors of **black, white, burgundy or evergreen**. ZLS logo shirts and t-shirts may be ordered from The Spirit Store at zlsnampa.org 1 or 2 times per year. The first is typically in August.

* This is the only plaid allowed.

	<i>Boys</i>	<i>Girls</i>
<u>Chapel Uniform</u>	Black or khaki pants & white button down or polo shirt in long or short sleeve	Black, khaki or plaid skirt / jumper & white button down blouse or polo in long or short sleeves
<u>Daily Uniform</u>		
<i>Tops</i>	No visible logos of any kind/type, i.e. Gap, Old Navy, etc.	No visible logos of any kind / type, i.e. Gap, Old Navy, etc.
Type:	Collared button down or polo in long or short sleeve	Collared button down or polo in long or short sleeve
Colors:	Solid only in black, white, burgundy or evergreen	Solid only in black, white, burgundy or evergreen
Worn:	Tucked into pants	Tucked into pants / skirts / skorts
Required:	1 black t-shirt with the Zion Lutheran School logo*	1 black t-shirt with the Zion Lutheran School logo*
<i>Pants/Shorts/Belts</i>		
Pants:	Pants fitted at the waist, pleated or flat front, ankle length	Pants fitted at the waist, pleated or flat front, ankle length
Shorts:	Shorts (2" above the knee) for warm weather	Capris or Shorts (2" above the knee) for warm weather
Colors:	Black or khaki	Black or khaki
Belts:	3rd grade and up (black, brown)	N/A
Prohibited:	Cargo styles, baggy styles, low riders	Cargo styles, baggy styles, low riders
<i>Skirt/Skort/Jumper</i>	N/A	
Type:		Uniform style - pleated, A-line, straight, elastic, or polo
Length:		2" above the knee/knee length
Colors:		Black, khaki or Lands' End Classic Evergreen/Navy Plaid*
Required:		Shorts or leggings under skirts / jumpers
Prohibited:		Ruffles, lace, or slits in skirts, no short skirts
<i>Shoes</i>	<u>Closed toe shoes:</u> i.e. sneakers, loafers, oxfords, ankle boots, dress boots (no sandals)	<u>Closed toe shoes:</u> i.e. sneakers, loafers, oxfords, ankle boots, dress boots (no sandals)
Optional:	Snow/rain boots weather appropriate (PK only may wear indoors, all other students must bring shoes to change into during the school day)	Snow/rain boots weather appropriate (PK only may wear indoors, all other students must bring shoes to change into during the school day)
Prohibited:	Wheelies, crocs, any footwear that lights up, makes noise or causes distractions	Wheelies, crocs, any footwear that lights up, makes noise or causes distractions
<i>Socks</i>	Ankle / knee high	Ankle / knee high/ tights/ leggings
Color:	Same as uniform pants / shorts	Black, white or grey
<u>Other</u>		
Coats/jackets:	No gang style or inappropriate wording, otherwise at parents' discretion - outerwear only	No gang style or inappropriate wording, otherwise at parents' discretion - outerwear only
Hat/Scarf/Gloves:	Hats, gloves, scarves (outdoor wear only) as needed for recess	Hats, gloves, scarves (outdoor wear only) as needed for recess
Sweaters/Vests:	Black, white, burgundy, evergreen or grey	Black, white, burgundy, evergreen or grey - no lace or ruffles
Turtle necks:	Turtle or mock turtle necks in approved colors under button down shirts	Turtle or mock turtle necks in approved colors under button down shirts
Suspenders:	Optional to help hold bottoms up (black or khaki)	
Earrings:	No earrings at any school activity	Earrings: PK-4th gr < 1/2", 5-8th gr < 1"
Piercing:	No body piercing	No body piercing other than ears for the girls earrings
Tattoos:	No tattoos, permanent or temporary	No tattoos, permanent or temporary
Hair:	Hair should be natural in color, not hang in students eyes, and be off the collar.	Hair should be natural in color and must not hang in students eyes.
Prohibited:	Torn, ripped, or stained clothing	Torn, ripped, or stained clothing
Spirit Store*	Optional Zion sweatshirt or t-shirt with ZLS logo may worn Wed. only. Order through zlsnampa.org - The Spirit Store	Optional Zion sweatshirt or t-shirt with ZLS logo may be worn Wed. only. Order through zlsnampa.org - The Spirit Store