CEDU *Clothing Guidelines*

CEDU High School

CEDU Middle School

Rocky Mountain Academy

Boulder Creek Academy

Northwest Academy

CLOTHING GUIDELINES

CEDU High School, CEDU Middle School, Rocky Mountain Academy, Boulder Creek Academy, Northwest Academy

These clothing guidelines were created to help parents understand the specific types of clothing their children will require while attending CEDU schools. For your convenience, most of the required clothing items are available (at comparable prices) in the CEDU Campus Stores.

Clothing Styles

- Daily activities on our outdoor-oriented campuses require practical, durable clothing that should be hand or machine washable.
- Preferred clothing styles should be conservative and sized to fit each student. Styles should be appropriate to the student's age.
- Oversized, baggy or clingy clothing is not allowed.
- In an effort to keep trendy clothing off the campus, the following clothing styles are not allowed: skateboarder, gang-related, surfer, military or tye-dye.

Clothing Colors

- Basic clothing for all program phases should be brightly colored.
- White is an acceptable color, provided white clothing items are not transparent.
- Black dress accessories (e.g., belts, shoes) are allowed for all program phases. Black clothing items (e.g., shirts, pants) are allowed only in the Challenge, New Horizon and Summit program phases.

Clothing with Logos

- Logos should be appropriate to each program phase (see Logo section of chart).
- Logos may never include references to or depictions of cigarettes, alcohol, street drugs or drug paraphernalia.
- Expensive or designer brands (e.g., Patagonia , North Face) are not allowed unless purchased with permission from the Team Leader using 100% of the student's own money saved from allowance during the last year of program.

Purchase Agreements for Upper School Students (completing their last year of program)
(Note: These rules apply to all home visits, parent visits and items purchased in the Campus Store.)

- Students pay 1/3 of the cost of required clothing -- (i.e., student pays $10 of a $30 sweater).
- Students pay 100% of all optional clothing items.
- Parents pay for socks and underwear.
- Students must show receipts for all off-campus purchases.

Additional Clothing Guidelines

- Please send all new clothing directly to the Student Services Coordinator. Do not mark any clothing items with the student's name, as it may not be the correct size, or may be inappropriate for the student's current program phase (see chart for more details). For these reasons, please keep all clothing receipts.
- Clothing may be returned to parents because of limited storage or because the item is inappropriate for the student's current program phase.
- Team leaders may determine at any time that certain clothing items are inappropriate for individual students.

If you have any questions regarding these guidelines, please call your Student Services Coordinator.
CEDU Family of Services is not responsible for any lost or stolen items.

CLOTHING GUIDELINES CHART

	VOYAGEUR/ DISCOVERY 0-6 months	QUEST 6-12 months	CHALLENGE 12-18 months	NEW HORIZONS 18-24 months	SUMMIT 24 months-graduation
ATHLETIC WEAR Athletic wear may be worn only during P.E., practice or games. **BOYS**: Tank-style shirts are for P.E. or weight training only.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Ski gear	No	No	50% must be paid by student	50% must be paid by student	50% must be paid by student
Swimwear **GIRLS:** Must be one-piece. French-cut or high-cut swimwear is not allowed.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
DRESSES / SKIRTS Minimum length is above the knee. Spaghetti straps and clingy fabrics are not allowed. Sleeveless dresses are allowed if bra does not show.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
HATS Baseball caps, balaclavas, stocking hats, summer hats (with small brim)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
JEWELRY Jewelry and expensive watches that are heirloom quality or contain precious gems (e.g., diamonds, rubies) are not allowed. No jewelry valued over $50 is allowed.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
GIRLS: Simple post-style earrings may be worn (in ears only) one pair at a time.	✓	✓	Dime-size hoops and 1/4" dangling with permission	Dime-size hoops and 1/4" dangling with permission	Quarter-size earrings
BOYS: Inexpensive watches and graduation rings (CEDU schools) are the only jewelry allowed.	✓	✓	✓	✓	May wear necklace off campus with permission
LOGOS (For more information, see Clothing with Logos section on prior page.)	CEDU or Columbia	School Names	Sport Teams or Sport Companies	Business Names	✓
OUTERWEAR Parka (Hood required--no down filling)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Polarfleece Shirts, Jackets or Sweaters (Pullover, Zip-Front or Henley styles)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Vests (Polarfleece, Quilted or Dress) Light Jackets & Cardigans Sport Coats & Dress Jackets	No	✓	✓	✓	✓
Barn Jackets & Car Coats (no denim allowed) Golf Jackets & Windbreakers	No	No	✓	✓	✓
PANTS / SHORTS Low-slung, baggy or bell-bottomed styles are not allowed. All styles must have a tailored fit and professional hems.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Jeans: $50 limit. Designer or expensive brands (e.g., Guess?, Calvin Klein) are not allowed. Acceptable brands include Levi's, Arizona, Wranglers, Lee, etc.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

CLOTHING GUIDELINES CHART

	VOYAGEUR/ DISCOVERY 0-6 months	QUEST 6-12 months	CHALLENGE 12-18 months	NEW HORIZONS 18-24 months	SUMMIT 24 months-graduation
Shorts/Skorts: Minimum 6" inseam and maximum length above the knee.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Overalls: Shorts only - no long pants	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Dress Pants: Cuff or regular hem	No Corduroy	Corduroy Optional	Corduroy Optional	Corduroy Optional	Corduroy Optional
SHIRTS The following types of shirts are allowed: t-shirts, polo-style, flannel, chamois, turtleneck and oxford-style (see Logo section). Conservative prints and plaids are acceptable. Shirts must be worn tucked into pants. Hoods, transparent fabrics and cropped lengths are not allowed.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
GIRLS: Necklines must be modest. Low scoop or deep v-neck shirts, clingy fabrics and spaghetti straps are not allowed. Tank tops are allowed if bra does not show.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
SHOES The outdoor-oriented environment of the schools should always be considered when selecting shoes. All styles should be sturdy, practical and conservative. Heels over 1 1/2" are not allowed. Students are required to have one pair each of the following shoes: heavyweight hiking boots, Sorel boots, white athletic shoes ($85 limit; minimum 60% white color), sandals (back strap required), dress shoes (black colors and suede allowed), slippers and shower shoes.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
The following types of shoes are optional: Light Hikers	No	✓	✓	✓	✓
Casual Shoes	No	No	No	✓	✓
TIES Conservative prints are acceptable.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
TOILETRIES Make-up, hairspray and hair styling products are not allowed. Light make-up is allowed only at graduation.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
UNDERWEAR Must have 1" side strap. Pastels and simple prints are acceptable. **BOYS**: Ribbed tank-style undershirts are not allowed. **GIRLS:** Wonderbras, demi-style bras, push-up bras and padded bras are not allowed. Some lining in bras is acceptable.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

CLOTHING GUIDELINES CHART

	VOYAGEUR/ DISCOVERY 0-6 months	QUEST 6-12 months	CHALLENGE 12-18 months	NEW HORIZONS 18-24 months	SUMMIT 24 months-graduation
SPECIAL OCCASIONS All dress clothes should be appropriate to each child's age and particular program phase. Graduation clothes should be appropriate for day wear (no evening wear or prom-style dresses). Caps and gowns are worn for graduation. Business suits may be worn under caps and gowns.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Each campus may have specific requirements for clothing fabric, weight and quantity.
This chart addresses the basic clothing guidelines only!

CLOTHING REQUIREMENTS*

QUANTITY	ITEM
1 pr.	Athletic Shoes
1	Balaclava (Fleece)
2	Bandannas
1	Baseball Cap
1	Bathing Suit (Girls: one-piece)
1	Bathrobe
1	Belt (Dress)
1	Belt (Work)
1 pr.	Boots (Hiking-leather with Vibrum sole)
1 pr.	Boots (Sorels (-40° weather))
1 pr.	Boot Liners (Sorels)
8 prs.	Boxers & Briefs (Boys)
5	Bras (including two sport bras)
2	Dress Blouses
1	Dress Jacket (Boys)
3 prs.	Dress Pants/Slacks
2	Dress Shirts (Short Sleeve)
4	Dress Shirts (Long Sleeve/Oxford-style)
1 pr.	Dress Shoes
2	Dresses or Skirts
5	Flannel or Chamois Shirts (Long Sleeve)
1 pr.	Gaitors (RMA/BCA only)
2 prs.	Gloves (Work-one winter pair/one summer pair)
5 prs.	Jeans
3	Neckties
1 pr.	Overmitts
2 prs.	Pajamas
10 prs.	Panties (Girls)
3 prs.	Pantyhose (Girls)
1	Parka (with hood)
2	Polarfleece Jackets or Shirts
1 pr.	Polarfleece Pants
2	Polo-style Shirts
2 prs.	Polypropylene Liner Gloves
3 prs.	Polypropylene Liner Socks
2 prs.	Polypropylene Pants
2	Polypropylene Tops
1	Rain Jacket
1 pr.	Rain Pants
3 prs.	Shorts (Hiking)
2 prs.	Shorts (Gym)
1 pr.	Ski Boots (RMA/BCA only)
1	Slip (Girls)
10 prs.	Socks (Athletic)
3 prs.	Socks (Dress)
1 pr.	Socks (Fleece)
6 prs.	Socks (Wool)
1 pr.	Sunglasses (for expeditions only)
2 prs.	Sweatpants
3	Sweatshirts
4	T-Shirts (Long Sleeve)
6	T-Shirts (Short Sleeve)
3	Turtlenecks or Mock Turtlenecks
2	White Undershirts (Short Sleeve)
2 prs.	Wool Mittens
1	Wool Sweater

* For your convenience, most of these required clothing items are available in the CEDU Campus Stores.

Parent Notes

CEDU Family of Services

CEDU High School ■ CEDU Middle School ■ Rocky Mountain Academy

Boulder Creek Academy ■ Northwest Academy ■ ASCENT

Phone 800-884-2338 or 800-858-1933

www.cedu.com

Printed on recycled paper

© Copyright 1998