

# *Strickland Christian*

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## **HANDBOOK**



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"Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world."

Matthew 28:20

## **Welcome to Strickland Christian School**

In 1961, Corine Strickland began teaching first grade in Texas with her own phonics and memory program. Since that time, Strickland Christian School has been dedicated to training children in godly character while providing them with the academic skills necessary to make them successful students and leaders in their communities (Proverbs 22:6, 29 and Proverbs 24:3-5).

All education involves religious training; thus, it is essential to teach children the necessary subjects and skills from a Christian perspective so that children may become all that Christ has intended (Col. 2:3, 1 Cor. 8:1b, Eph. 3:19). We are thankful that you as parents are committed to providing your child a quality Christian education and are willing to make the sacrifices necessary to transform your child's mind and heart (Rev. 3:20). We at Strickland Christian School promise to partner with you to give your child an affordable private education that emphasizes Bible knowledge, advanced phonics, writing, and mathematics and includes other important academic disciplines. With these ends in view, we earnestly request your prayers that we might accomplish all we can for Christ's glory.

Our mission is to equip students to be lovers of Jesus and His Word, to emulate Christ's character, purpose, and ministry so that they may truly be His instruments and experience His kingdom coming to the earth (Matt. 6:10).

The purpose of this handbook is to give you an overview of our policies, procedures, and curriculum. We hope it will answer your questions and give you a clear picture of what to expect as your child begins a new school year.

## **Statement of Faith**

1. We believe in one eternal, wise, and almighty God who reveals Himself personally as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. He is a God of love and truth Who has created the universe and has given man authority over the whole earth. He desires an intimate relationship with all men.
2. Men have rejected a relationship with God through sin and rebellion and are called by God to relinquish their sin, return whole-heartedly to God, and to serve Him sincerely.
3. Jesus Christ is the incarnate Son of God and was sent by God to destroy the works of the devil and reconcile man to the proper relationship with God. The New Covenant is founded upon His sacrificial life, death, and resurrection. He was born of a virgin, lived a sinless life, was crucified, died, and was buried. He rose from the dead bodily and ascended into heaven. As both God and man He is the only mediator between God and men and the only Savior of the world; He will return to earth to judge all men. God commands all men to know Him, to love Him, to obey Him, to live faithfully for Him, and to acknowledge His loving lordship in all their thoughts, words, and deeds.
4. Man is saved by grace through faith in Jesus Christ as taught in the Scriptures. All men will be resurrected to judgment by God. Those who are proven lost by their evil deeds will pay the penalty of eternal damnation, and those who are proven faithful by their good deeds will be rewarded with eternal life and joy in God's presence.
5. God has sent the Holy Spirit to convict of sin, to dwell in men, to renew, regenerate, and empower men, and to guide them into all the truth.
6. The Bible is the inspired, inerrant Word of God and is therefore our authority for faith and action. Studying and meditating on the Scriptures is valuable for learning the truth, correcting wrong thinking and actions, and training in godliness and righteous living.
7. Jesus Christ is the Lord and only sovereign of our lives, so we must honor, worship, and obey Him and do all that He has commanded to accomplish His purposes and establish His kingdom on the earth. These purposes include loving all men and seeking to reveal God to those who do not yet know Him.
8. God has instituted biblical marriage as the foundation for the family and for the nurturing of children. The marriage relationship is a metaphor for the love relationship of Christ and His church. Therefore, biblical marriage is the covenant relationship between one man and one woman. Children are a heritage and gift from the Lord to their parents. The biblical family is the building block of the church and of a happy society. Parents, and most especially the father, therefore, are the authorities and responsible parties in the training, discipline, admonition, and care of their children. All children are fearfully and wonderfully made by God, so they are created to know Him and reveal His glory even at a young age. The Christian school is called by God to assist the parents and minister to the children so that the young may fulfill their calling from God and take their place in the family, church, and society as God has intended.

# Curriculum Overview

**Bible** - Strickland Christian School offers Bible study appropriate for each grade level beginning with four- year-olds. Our goal is to encourage children to love and obey God and His Word. There is a concentration on Scripture memorization and understanding basic Bible truths. Prekindergarten and kindergarten students learn Bible stories and memorize Scripture. First and second graders write a summary from their Bible reader each day. Third and fourth graders are taught Bible utilizing the principle approach to education. Fifth graders use the Studying God's Word series from Christian Liberty Press and sixth graders study the wisdom of Proverbs. Seventh and eighth graders study an Old Testament overview and a New Testament overview.

## Pre-Kindergarten (4–5-year-olds)

Our four-year-old kindergarten (K-4) program focuses on phonics for reading. Therefore, these students learn to read by the end of the school year! Number recognition through twenty and counting to 100 by ones, fives and tens are also taught. Color pages and worksheets emphasize prewriting skills including the alphabet, shapes, colors, days of the week, and months of the year. Students attend music classes twice a week. Special kindergarten programs include the Christmas program and the spring achievement program.

## Kindergarten (5–6-year-olds)

Our 5-year-old kindergarten (K-5) curriculum includes advanced phonics, cursive penmanship, capitalization, punctuation, and primary spelling rules. The children are writing dictated sentences in cursive and reading sentences by the end of the school year. They study 100 addition facts and are given self-paced math sheets daily. Students will master the writing and recognition of all the numbers to 100. Students will have coloring pages and some craft projects and will attend music class twice a week. Special kindergarten programs include the Christmas program and the spring achievement program.

**Chapel Program** - From time to time, 1st - 8th grade students will attend a chapel service composed of students from one or more grades. The purpose will be to sing and worship in a larger group and hear an inspirational message from a teacher, principal, or approved speaker. Scheduled chapel programs will be put on the monthly calendar, and parents are cordially invited to attend.

**First Grade** - In first grade the children continue with phonics and can read from the King James Bible by the end of the year. The King James Bible has long been the standard of excellence for the English language. Training in punctuation, capitalization, and spelling rules are continued along with the study of sentence diagramming, parts of speech, and vocabulary. They have spelling words, write dictated sentences, and write themes daily. Students master two-digit addition and subtraction with borrowing and carrying. They begin learning their multiplication facts and engage in mental math computations in addition and subtraction by the end of the year. They have special classes twice weekly for Spanish, music, and physical education. They also have an exposure to America's heritage, heroes, and geography.

**Second Grade** - Phonics, reading comprehension, vocabulary, punctuation and capitalization, and spelling rules are continued as well as parts of speech and sentence diagramming. They write themes daily from a Bible story and continue to write sentences from dictation. Third grade Saxon math worksheets are used as they continue with two- and three-digit carrying and borrowing in addition and subtraction. Two-and-three-digit multiplication is usually mastered, and division facts and long division are introduced. Students engage in mental math computation in addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division by the end of the year. They have separate classes twice weekly for Spanish, music, and physical education. They also have more exposure to America's heritage, heroes, geography, and nature studies.

### **Third through Eighth Grade**

**Math** – Students use the Saxon math series and are 1 or 2 grade levels advanced (third grade doing fourth or fifth grade studies, etc.) We allow for individual advancement when appropriate and approved by the teacher. Seventh graders complete pre-algebra, and eighth graders complete high school algebra one.

**English Grammar** – We use the A Beka language series and are one grade level advanced. There is a concentration on parts of speech, punctuation, capitalization, diagramming and sentence structure.

**Literature and Composition** – We use the A Beka literature series and various other great works of literature appropriate for children. Composition concentrates on paragraph skills, letter writing, book reports, poetry, vocabulary, spelling, outlining, and note-taking, culminating in an in-depth research paper or literary analysis in the seventh and eighth grades.

**History** – ABeka history includes U.S. History and Old and New World History. Texas History is also offered.

**Science** – ABeka science curriculum includes the scientific method, creationism vs. evolution, hands on experiments, and field trips. Seventh and eighth graders explore advanced science concepts and perform dissections on various species.

**Technology** – Students study the history of computers, parts of a computer, typing skills, word processing, desktop publishing, creating a database, creating spreadsheets, website creation, and computer graphics. Seventh and eighth graders learn beginner programming skills and integrate technology with other subjects. Strickland has its own server to protect students on the internet.

**Spanish** – Third grade studies emphasize vocabulary and conversation. Fourth through eighth grade continue with vocabulary, conversation, and grammar as they study the Viva El Espanol! Curriculum. Some graduating students can test out of ninth grade high school Spanish.

**Music** – Classes are held twice a week for third and fourth grades and once a week for fifth through eighth grades. Music classes concentrate on choral singing with worship songs, hymns, patriotic songs, and folk songs, the rudiments of rhythm, sound, tempo, listening skills, and rhythm instruments. Fourth graders and older learn recorder and may advance to ukulele and xylophone. Third through sixth grade students prepare for a performance in the spring.

**P. E.** – Classes for first through eighth grades emphasize sports and games appropriate for each age level. Sports include kickball, volleyball, soccer, basketball, and flag football. Physical conditioning exercises are utilized daily. P.E. classes are held twice a week.

**Extracurricular Activities** – Students in first through eighth grades may participate in the Private School Interscholastic Association training and competition. Competition includes spelling, math, ready writing, storytelling, art, and other categories. Students in fourth through eighth grades may also participate in the Austin Private School Association by joining a Strickland team to compete in flag football, girls' volleyball, basketball, and soccer. There is an extra charge for extracurricular activities, and school participation is dependent upon parental involvement. Students must maintain good grades and have completed assignments to be eligible to participate.

## Registration

**All students presently registered** at Strickland Christian School who plan to return next year must re-register by **March 10, 2026**, for the 2026-2027 school year or lose the registration fee discount and preferred status to new enrollees. The contract and all forms needed for enrollment are available to download from the school's website. You may re-register your child by signing a new contract, completing the registration forms, and paying the **\$300** registration fee. All signed contracts, registration forms, and checks must be given to your child's teacher or to the school office by March 10, 2026. All contracts and chosen tuition payments are subject to approval by the office. Returning students who register after the March 10 deadline must pay the full **\$350** registration fee. Students may not register unless any balance owed to the school, including tuition, late fees, extended care tuition and lunch fees is paid. Siblings of returning students will be honored with a preferred status over new students if they also register by March 10. The registration fee for siblings who have never attended is **\$350** since they are new students. The activity fee of **\$120** may be paid at registration or spread throughout the year.

**All new students** may secure tentative enrollment by signing a contract, completing the enrollment application, and submitting the registration payment in the amount of **\$350**. If space is not available on or after March 10, then the **\$350** becomes refundable. If you then wish to remain on a waiting list for the first available space, you may leave the **\$350** on deposit and retain a preferred status. If space for your child is available, the check becomes non-refundable upon notification by the school office. A one-time facilities fee of **\$250** and a **\$120** annual activity fee must also be paid for each new student at the time of registration or added to the monthly tuition payments. Upon notification that your contract has been approved, the registration fee and the facilities fee become non-refundable, and payment of the **full year's tuition becomes due on May 11, 2026**. The director may agree to an alternative monthly payment schedule; however, the contract is a guarantee that the entire year's tuition will be paid in full. All monthly payments will be made to Blackbaud Tuition Management. If a parent moves a distance of at least thirty miles from the school for employment purposes and furnishes a letter from his employer, the outstanding tuition balance will be forgiven.

To reserve a place on the waiting list prior to open enrollment, a prospective new student must submit an enrollment application and a non-refundable application fee of **\$100**. The application fee is credited to the student's account upon registration. See the enrollment application on our website for all the details

### Tuition Payments

Strickland School partners with Blackbaud Tuition Management for the processing and collection of monthly tuition and fee payments. Parents who choose a monthly option must register online with Blackbaud in response to an email and choose to make their payments by the 5th or the 15th of each month. Payments are made directly to Blackbaud and credited to the school's account. Parents may check their account and make payments online [Click Here: Blackbaud Parent Log-In](#), pay with credit card, debit card, check, cash, or automatic bank draft. However, parents choosing the 15th for their payment date must set up and maintain an automatic bank draft payment. There is a convenience fee for credit and debit card payments. Blackbaud will charge parents extra for declined payments and for late payments.

## **2026-2027 Tuition Payment Options\***

The full year's tuition is considered due and must be paid by **May 11, 2026**. Choose from the following available options with the director's approval, but timely payments must be made.

<b>Grade Level</b>	<b>Due May 11</b>	<b>Due Monthly</b>	<b>Due Monthly</b>	<b>Due Monthly</b>
		<b>June 5 - Sept 5</b>	<b>June 5 - Feb 5</b>	<b>June 5 - May 5</b>
	<b>1 Payment of \$4920</b>	<b>4 Payments of \$1325 for a total of \$5300</b>	<b>9 Payments of \$610 for a total of \$5490</b>	<b>12 Payments of \$465 for a total of \$5580</b>
<b>K-4, K-5 Full Day</b>	<b>1 Payment of \$7690</b>	<b>4 payments of \$1950 for a total of \$7800</b>	<b>9 Payments of \$890 for a total of \$8010</b>	<b>12 Payments of \$680 for a total of \$8160</b>
<b>1st - 3rd Grade</b>	<b>1 Payment of \$6620</b>	<b>4 Payments of \$1680 for a total of \$6720</b>	<b>9 Payments of \$770 for a total of \$6930</b>	<b>12 Payments of \$588 for a total of \$7056</b>
<b>4th - 8th Grade</b>	<b>1 Payment of \$6820</b>	<b>4 Payments of \$1740 for a total of \$6960</b>	<b>9 Payments of \$790 for a total of \$7110</b>	<b>12 Payments of \$605 for a total of \$7260</b>
<b>Extended Care</b>	<b>1 Payment of \$2945</b>	<b>4 Payments of \$763 for a total of \$3052</b>	<b>**9 Payments of \$358 for a total of \$3222</b>	<b>12 Payments of \$295 for a total of \$3540</b>

### **Summary of Fees (not including Blackbaud fees)**

**Registration Fee: \$350      Activity Fee: \$120**

**Facility fee: \$250 (one-time charge for new students)**

**Late Fee: \$35**

**Extended Care Registration: \$30**

**Change Fee: \$50**

**NSF Fee: \$20**

### **\*Tuition payment schedules are subject to the following provisions and requirements:**

- Note: The **September to May Extended Care payment plan is \$400 per month**.
- The contract is an agreement to pay the full year's tuition. Only under circumstances mentioned in the handbook will tuition payments be forgiven. (See page 6)
- When a monthly payment schedule is approved, timely payments are due on the 5th or the 15<sup>th</sup> of the months indicated as selected in the contract. All monthly payments are paid to and managed by Blackbaud Tuition Management.
- A late enrollment plan is available for students who register after the start date of the plans above. Please contact the director of admissions for details. After September 1<sup>st</sup>, a **\$50** change fee for Strickland and \$75 blackbaud fee will be charged for each change in a child's enrollment or extended care status or payment schedule. Your letter of acceptance will inform you of your family's total payment due.

### **Tuition Assistance - [Click here: For information from The Strickland School Website](#)**

Strickland Christian School provides tuition assistance for students on a case-by-case basis. Parents must qualify based upon income and family needs. All requested information must be completed and submitted online to Blackbaud Financial Aid Management. A processing fee must also be paid to Blackbaud for this service. Please see the link for the financial application on our website under enrollment and tuition assistance.

## Enrollment Considerations

**Approval of each student's contract** is not automatic but is based upon space availability, the student's past behavior, academic achievement, attendance, and parental support, including completion of volunteer hours and training sessions. Parents agree to abide by the provisions of the contract. Contracts will not be accepted unless required paperwork is complete and unless all tuition payments and fees owed to the school at that time have been satisfied.

**Assignment to classes** will be determined by the staff. The principal reserves the right to reassign students if necessary. Assignment by the principal is final. Teacher requests submitted with rationale in writing by parents before July 1st will be considered but are not binding on the school administrators, teachers, or staff. Before open house, students in grades with multiple classes will receive a letter from the teacher to whom they have been assigned. Strickland Christian School hires teachers who are godly and qualified so that, regardless of your child's classroom assignment, he will have a quality educational experience.

**Kindergarten** students are assigned to classes by age. Those in the 4-year-old kindergarten (K4) must turn 4 by September 30, 2026. Students must complete the 5-year-old kindergarten (K5) program to be considered for first grade. Those in the K5 program must turn 5 by September 30, 2026. This deadline is one month later than the public schools allow. Both K4 and K5 are designed so that the necessary phonics, writing, and math are taught in the mornings. Our full day kindergarten is designed for those students who are unable to be with their families in the afternoons. Afternoon students do not earn an advantage in basic skills over their morning peers and may have a different teacher and classroom in the afternoon. Please see the sample kindergarten schedule available from the office for further information.

## Policies and Procedures

The information provided in this handbook is designed to ensure smooth operation of all school affairs and activities and to foster peace and harmony in parent, teacher, and student relationships. Please read and commit yourself and your child to adhere to the guidelines communicated herein. If the need arises, Strickland Christian School reserves the right to change any policy, procedure, or content of this handbook at any time at its sole discretion.

### Returned Checks and Nonpayment of Tuition

Any check paid directly to the school and returned by the bank must be redeemed in cash, cashier's check, or money order and must include a **\$20** returned fee. After a second returned check, payments may only be paid in cash, cashier's check, or money order until further notice. If payment is stopped, the outstanding tuition for the year becomes due. Any child whose monthly tuition payment is not fully paid by the 15<sup>th</sup> of any month may not return to class until full payment has been made or arrangements have been made with the director.

### School Supplies

Your tuition and registration provide for most school supplies. Your child needs to bring only notebook paper to begin school. This should be brought to the open house. The grade, type, and amount of paper you must purchase are listed below.

Grade	Type	Amount
1 <sup>st</sup> through 4 <sup>th</sup>	Wide Ruled	2,000 sheets
5 <sup>th</sup> through 8 <sup>th</sup>	College Ruled	1,000 sheets

Parents of K4 or K5 students who stay the full day (until 3 PM) must provide the school with a trifold or quarter-fold vinyl mat for their students to use for nap time. These mats are available from Wal-Mart and other suppliers, and prices start at about \$15. The mat will be returned at the end of the year.

## Extended Care

Strickland Christian School provides extended day care from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. for those students who must be left after school. The Extended Care program is licensed by the Texas Department of Human Services and is operated by qualified, caring teachers.

A non-refundable **\$30** registration fee is due upon registration. A student is not registered until all immunization records and all required forms have been completed and filed with the school. Until such time, the student left in extended care must pay the drop-in rate. If you do not register for extended care at the time of enrollment in school, we cannot guarantee a space for your child.

Extended Care tuition is in addition to the school tuition. All Extended Care tuition is added to school tuition for the monthly payment total. Thus, the Extended Care payment is subject to the same due dates, late fees, and other provisions as school tuition payments. (See the tuition section of the handbook.) Other limited or part-time schedules must be approved by the Extended Care director and school director and once approved they may not be modified as to times and days without good reason and without permission of the same.

Extended Care is closed on all school holidays. On days that school dismisses at noon, Extended Care will remain open until 6:00 p.m. only for those registered in Extended Care. *The exception to this is the last day of school when extended care will close at noon when school dismisses.* Extended Care students are expected to conform to the policies, procedures, and rules of Strickland Christian School. Students who have behavior problems of a serious nature, students who persist in their misbehavior, or students with uncooperative parents may be dropped from Extended Care.

## Drop-in Rates

Students who are not registered in Extended Care and students who stay later than their scheduled time must pay **\$6** per thirty-minute period or any part thereof with a **\$36** maximum per child during the noon to 3:00 p.m. afternoon kindergarten session and a **\$36** maximum per child during the 3 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Extended Care session. This is due when the student is picked up. Extended Care closes promptly at 6:00 p.m., and teachers are not paid to stay late. Therefore, any student who is picked up after 6:00 p.m. must pay the teachers **\$1 per minute** with an **\$8** minimum. This is also due on the date of the occurrence.

## Lunch Program

Students may bring their lunches or take advantage of the CraveIt catered lunch program. Parents must begin an online account with CraveIt to take advantage of catered lunches. All lunches must be ordered the week before online by the deadline set by CraveIt. There is a link

to the caterer on our website [Strickland School Hot Lunch Link](#) , and the address is <https://craveit.boonli.com/login>: School Password is: SC48

## **Parent Orientation**

The school will host a mandatory parent orientation for all families new to Strickland Christian School. One parent or guardian from each family registered is required to attend to obtain pertinent information about Strickland Christian School's policies and procedures including student and parent requirements, discipline, and uniforms. **The orientation is for adults only so please make childcare arrangements for your child on that night.** Please refer to the calendar to choose one of the orientations offered. The earlier date is recommended, as it will give ample time for parents to prepare for the new year.

## **Open Houses**

There will be an Open House on Monday, two days before the first day of school. This will give the students and parents a chance to visit the classroom, meet the teachers and form carpools. The K-4 through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade open house will convene at 10:00 am in the cafeteria; the upper school open house for 3<sup>rd</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade parents and students will convene at 7:00 p.m. in the sanctuary. Please check the calendar for the exact date.

## **Parent Teacher Fellowship**

The Parent Teacher Fellowship at Strickland School (PTF) is a volunteer organization for Strickland families. PTF is a non-profit service organization assisting parents, teachers, and students. The PTF is composed of parents and teachers from Strickland School, so all their activities benefit our students and families.

## **Parent Requirements**

Each custodial parent or legal guardian is required to assist the parents and teachers by volunteering for a minimum of 4 hours during the school year. Volunteerism fosters good Christian fellowship and caring relationships and helps to keep the cost of education under control. Volunteer hours may include work done directly for the school, students, teachers or the PTF. All volunteers serve at the pleasure and under the direction of the school employees or the PTF officers. Volunteers must submit all required paperwork in a timely manner. A list of volunteer activities from which to choose will be available from your child's classroom teacher at open house. All volunteers must check in with the school office upon entering the campus during school hours. All volunteers must coordinate their activities with the classroom teachers and/or principal. Three hours of parenting training is also required each year during the school year for each custodial parent or guardian. Such training will be offered by the school and may include Bible studies, parent/teacher workshops, parent/teacher conferences, webinars, or other interactive sessions and seminars interspersed through the school year. Once a parent has accumulated at least 9 training hours, he is no longer required to take training classes but is encouraged to do so. Training sessions and their times will be published as they are planned and implemented.

## **Homework**

Homework is considered an especially important part of the Strickland Christian School program and is necessary for the student to achieve critical skills. Every attempt is made to give students a lighter homework load on Wednesdays in the upper grades. Assignments one day late will be penalized at the teacher's discretion including recording a zero; assignments two days late will

receive a zero. Students also receive a demerit for late assignments. Students who continue with delinquent assignments will receive other disciplinary action.

### **\* Average homework assignments:**

K4 - 30 minutes of review      K5 - 30 minutes      1<sup>st</sup> grade - 30 - 45 min.  
2<sup>nd</sup> grade - 45 min. - 1 hr.      3<sup>rd</sup> grade - 1 hr.      4<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grades – 1½ to 2 hrs.

\*These times are estimates and will vary from night to night, with the ability and diligence of the child and with the degree of parental oversight.

### **Grading System**

A+	97-100	B+	87-89	C+	77-79	D+	68-69
A	94-96	B	84-86	C	74-76	D	66-67
A-	90-93	B-	80-83	C-	70-73	D-	65
						F	64 or less

### **Reporting to Parents**

Third through eighth graders will receive a progress report at the end of the first four weeks. At the end of each nine-week reporting period, all students will be given a report card. The parents or teacher may request a conference at any time. Please keep in close contact with your teachers. Scheduled conferences begin in the first week of October. Parents of fifth through eighth graders may receive their child's final report card via mail about one week after the last day of school. Report cards and all other student records will be withheld if tuition or other charges and fees are not current.

### **Promotion Policy**

A student must meet or exceed the following standards for promotion to the next grade:

1. A year-end cumulative average of C- or above.
2. No more than one final D average and no final F averages in core subjects (Bible, math, reading, literature, English, grammar, and science).
3. No more than one F average in any non-core subject.
4. No more than one D and no F's in any core subjects on the final nine weeks report.
5. Homeroom teacher's recommendation based on conduct and probability of success if promoted.

### **Summer School**

Summer school will be available for Strickland students in various grades. This will be held at the school, typically for four weeks, for two to four hours a day. All summer school programs are administrated by individual teachers. For more information, please contact the office.

## **Health Records**

Please send a copy of your child's current immunization record to the office at the time of enrollment to be kept on file. All immunization records must be kept current. Students without current immunization records will not be admitted to school and their registration will not be processed. Please do not leave originals with the school but send only copies. Students in K-4, K-5, 1st, 3rd, 5th, 7th, and 8th grades will receive vision and hearing screenings administered by a qualified healthcare professional. Fifth and eighth grade students will also receive a spinal screening on the same day. Screenings are mandated by the State of Texas and will occur early in the school year. A student who is new to Strickland School may need screenings regardless of his grade. The state may change its requirements from time to time; if this occurs, the school will adjust its screening policies to comply.

## **Restriction of Activities**

If there are any medical conditions which restrict a student's activity in P.E. classes or sports in general, instructions in writing signed by the parent must be furnished to the teacher or the office at the beginning of the school year or as soon as a medical condition is diagnosed. Students without diagnosed medical conditions will be encouraged to participate in P.E. unless there is an emergency or the P.E. teacher sees a clear reason for non-participation.

## **Leaving Campus during School Hours**

Students are not to leave campus during school hours unless they are checked out by a parent. To check out your child, please go to the school office and sign him out. You will then get a pass that allows you to go to the classroom and pick up your child.

## **Walking Home from School**

Any student who walks or bikes home from school must have signed permission from a parent or guardian.

## **Staying after School**

From time to time, students may need to stay after school with a teacher as discipline, for tutorials, or for some other reason. When this occurs, parents will be expected to come to the room at the time designated by the teacher, or teachers will arrange to bring students outside to their cars. Students who are not picked up at the proper time will be taken to Extended Care and parents will be expected to pay the appropriate fee. Students are not permitted to return to the classroom after dismissal time without teacher permission. Parents are discouraged from bringing their children back later to pick up homework, books, or assignments. However, if returning is necessary, parents must accompany their children to the classroom. Please encourage your child to be prepared at dismissal time with everything he needs to complete his homework assignments.

## **Health**

Strickland School teachers and staff work hard at helping students stay healthy. We encourage frequent hand washing and antibacterial use in the classrooms. An ultraviolet light is installed in all HVAC systems to kill germs, viruses, and bacteria in the air. The entire facility is treated with an antimicrobial quarterly; this treatment kills viruses and germs constantly for three months. However, Strickland School cannot insure students or parents against infectious diseases. Any

additional health or illness policies that may be posted on our website become a part of this handbook and may be changed anytime without notice at the discretion of the director.

## **Medications and Emergency Treatment**

The Medication Permission Slip/ Consent for Emergency Treatment form that you complete when enrolling your child informs us what you allow school staff members to administer to your child. Students are not allowed to possess or carry medications, so parents must give prescription items or over the counter drugs directly to a teacher.

All medications brought by parents for their children must:

1. Be in the original container.
2. Be labeled with the child's name.
3. Include directions to administer the medication.
4. Not be expired.

Written parental permission is required to administer any medication to your child. The school cannot be responsible for medications that your child takes without the knowledge of the teacher.

## **Illness**

A child must **not** be brought to school if one of the following exists:

1. The child has a fever or has had a fever in the past 24 hours. A child must also be fever free for at least 8 hours after taking fever-reducing medication.
2. The child has symptoms and signs of possible severe illness (such as lethargy, uncontrolled breathing, diarrhea, vomiting in the past 24 hours, rash with fever, wheezing, or untreated persistent cough).
3. The child has lice or nits whether active or not.
4. The child has been diagnosed with a communicable disease; the advice of the child's healthcare professional must then determine that the child is no longer contagious and is able to participate in the school's activities.

Please advise the school if your child has a serious infectious disease (like COVID or the flu) or lice or nits (cases for which the other parents need to be informed). Otherwise, it is not necessary to call the school about your child's illness unless you need your child's assignments.

## **Arrival and Drop-off**

School begins promptly at 8:00 a.m. and ends at 3:00 p.m. Half-day kindergarten is dismissed at noon. It is advisable for students to arrive at school by 7:45 a.m. You may drop your child off as early as 7:00 a.m. Teachers will be on duty at that time. Students arriving between 7:00 a.m. and 7:45 a.m. are to sit in the cafeteria/fellowship hall or designated classrooms and study, read, or talk quietly. By 7:45 a.m. the homeroom teachers pick-up their children and escort them to their respective classrooms. See the "Procedure for Drop-Off and Pick-Up" campus map found in this handbook for more details.

## **Attendance**

A student is tardy if not seated and ready to learn by 8:00 a.m. Tardiness causes undue hardship for everyone involved and may affect a student's eligibility for reenrollment. The student will receive a warning slip every seven times tardiness occurs. Repeated tardiness may also result in other disciplinary actions. Teachers and administrators will redirect parents and

students who continue to have tardiness and attendance issues. Students should arrive by 7:45 a.m. to have time to prepare for class. An incident of tardiness is excused only if the student is late due to a doctor's or dentist's appointment and the student provides the teacher with a note from the doctor upon returning to school. An excused tardiness is recorded for the permanent record but does not count toward the total for warning slips.

After an absence 3<sup>rd</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grade students are responsible for checking with their teachers for any make up work. These students have as many days to make up work as the number of days they were absent (i.e., if a child is sick for two days, he has two school days to make up his work). A student should not be absent unless he is sick or there is an emergency. A student with repeated absences or tardiness without good cause will be subject to disciplinary action. Perfect attendance awards are given at the end of the year. Any absence, including tardiness, leaving school early for doctor appointments or any other reason, disqualifies a student for a perfect attendance award. This is true whether such absence is approved, excused, or not.

## **Calendar**

Each month during the school year a calendar of events will be available on the school website for your information. Any calendar is subject to change, whether it is on the website or is sent home in printed form. Be advised that the published school calendar may be subject to minor changes due to school closures for weather or other problems. Such "snow days" may be added to the end of the school year or taken during scheduled holidays. A listing of holidays and important dates may be found on the school website. **The first day of school is Wednesday, August 19, 2026.** See the website calendar for other important dates.

## **Messages**

If you need to leave a message or speak with your child's teacher about a non-emergency, please call by 10:30 a.m. The answering system is checked frequently so please do not hesitate to leave a detailed message. Messages received after 10:30 a.m. may not necessarily be delivered in time, especially messages for teachers who leave at noon. Your child's classroom teacher will also provide business phone numbers and email addresses for parents to use. Carpool changes should be handled by sending a signed note to your child's teacher.

## **Contacting Other Parents**

Parents are not permitted to hand out flyers or send messages through the school for personal or business reasons. Student addresses and phone numbers are confidential and will not be given to other students or parents by teachers or staff without parental approval.

## **Kindergarten through 2nd Grade Snack Time**

Please send a nutritious snack for your child each day. Children will be encouraged to eat their snacks, not lunch food, at this time. Due to time limitations, only one item should be sent for snack. Please help by letting your child know what is for snack and what is for lunch. The only drink allowed at snack time is water. Teachers may give students a snack if they forgot theirs.

## **Drugs, Alcohol and Tobacco**

Strickland Christian School is a drug free zone; therefore, drugs, alcohol and tobacco are not permitted in the buildings or on the grounds at any time.

## **Birthdays**

Your child's birthday is an important event; however, birthday parties during school hours are not permitted. If your child chooses to pass out birthday invitations at school, then there must be an invitation for every member of the class or all the boys or all the girls. Children get their feelings hurt if they are left out. If you wish to send a treat like cookies or cupcakes, they will be passed out during lunch or snack time. Please check with the Teacher at the beginning of the school year to see if there is serious allergies in the classroom for the new school year.

## **Holiday Celebrations**

Our desire is to glorify Christ during the Christian holiday seasons. We will therefore emphasize the true meaning of Christmas and Easter. We do not permit the celebration of Santa Claus, the Easter Bunny, or Earth Day at school. Because Halloween originated as a pagan holiday and is now celebrated by the occult, we do not allow our students to participate in Halloween activities while at school. Therefore, please do not bring or send your child with any Halloween party favors, toys, candies, cakes or other related symbols or items. A short Valentine's Day party will be held, and students should only bring Valentine greetings that are appropriate and do not encourage romantic relationships.

## **Visitors to Campus**

Parents are welcome to visit the campus for good reasons, including eating lunch with their children. Under certain circumstances, grandparents may also visit. Please check in with the office to receive clearance. Parents must make appointments with teachers in advance as unexpected conferences or visits may be a disruption of the classroom activities. Except for the relatives listed above, no other friends, pastors, or relatives are permitted to have lunch with students. Other visitors, including alumni, must call prior to the visit and receive the permission of the principal for a specific date and time. Any visitor whose presence, in the judgment of the teachers, staff or administrators, is a distraction or a disruption to any student or employee of Strickland Christian School will be asked to leave the campus immediately and may be barred from the campus permanently.

## **Security**

The outside doors remain locked during the school day so parents who arrive to school late or who want to pick up their children early must check in at the office. For the safety of our students, staff and parents, Strickland School is not a firearm-free zone. Please request a firearms policy from the director for more information.

## **Dismissal and Pick-up**

At 12:00 noon half-day kindergarten students will be taken out to the east porch and will be escorted to the car by a teacher. If you would like to come in to pick up your child, please park in the front and wait on the east side of the building until the children are brought out. Parents are not allowed to park in the back parking lot or in carpool lanes during school hours. Students not picked up by 12:15 p.m. will be taken immediately to an afternoon kindergarten class. Please be on time. Parents who are late must pay an additional tuition fee of **\$6.00** per 30-minute period or any part thereof.

At 3:00 p.m. students will go to their designated carpool area. Kindergarten through third graders will be kept at the curb on the east end of the school until parents drive up. A teacher will escort them to the car. Fourth through eighth graders will wait at the picnic tables at the

south end of the building. Younger students may also wait at the picnic tables with their older siblings. Please be on time. Any student not picked up by 3:15 p.m. will be taken directly to Extended Care. Parents will then be required to pay a drop-in day care fee and will need to come into the cafeteria to sign out the student.

If you wish to park in the front parking lot facing Menchaca, you must still pick up your child at the designated pick up areas. Children are not permitted to leave those areas to meet you at your car.

## **Carpools**

The students will be released only to a parent unless the teacher has received a written notice to the contrary. Carpools are required to register for prior approval before release may be given. A definitive list of people authorized to pick up a child is imperative. All arrangements for going home with other children must be made before school, and the child's teacher must be notified in writing prior to any change in the usual arrangements. Changes to carpool must be made in advance of the school day; notification to the school by phone is acceptable in an emergency.

## **Parking**

Parking spaces are limited, so for traffic flow and safety we ask that parents adhere to the following procedures: The one-way lanes are for pickup only and only for those drivers who will not be leaving their vehicles. Drivers must never leave their vehicles in the drive or in front of the doors unattended. The rear parking lot is reserved for teachers and staff only. The front parking lot is for parents and carpool drivers who need to leave their vehicles for any reason. Do not park in any handicapped spaces - it is against the law, the church has asked us not to do so, and the police have been known to write tickets on this property. (See map in the back of the handbook.) Do not park in any of the yellow crosswalks. Always lock your vehicle when leaving it, and do not leave it running. All drivers are encouraged to be courteous and patient. Carpool time may be hectic and trying, but we owe it to our children to display Christian character as representatives of Christ.

## **Weather Problems/School Cancellation**

For any class interruptions or delays due to weather, parents must check the school's answering machine (512 447-1447) or the website ([www.stricklandschool.com](http://www.stricklandschool.com)). Television stations are not always reliable for school closing information. Teachers will report to school thirty minutes before school is to begin on days when school begins late.

## **Programs**

Programs and extra-curricular activities are school functions so students must dress and behave as instructed by the teachers. Modesty and dress codes are in effect during these activities, and students may be disciplined for noncompliance. Arrangements must be made with the principal for taking pictures or recording special events. Please be courteous to others in attendance with all video and photographic equipment. Also, crying babies who tend to interfere with the sound effects should be taken to the rear of the auditorium.

## **Field Trips**

Students begin taking field trips as early as first grade. Parents receive a permission slip to sign that outlines the details of the trip. Teachers choose the chaperones and drivers for the trips as they need and deem appropriate. Teachers take only those adults they need on field trips so the parents as a group are not invited and may not attend. These are class field trips, not family field trips, so siblings of students on the trip or children from outside the school may not attend. The teachers are responsible for all decisions made concerning a field trip, so they alone have full authority for the planning, preparation, and implementation of the event. Students must use seat belts while being transported in vehicles unless a bus or other public carrier without seat belts is hired. The school maintains liability insurance for field trips that acts as a secondary policy for the insurance which the drivers carry. All field trip drivers must be licensed and insured and must sign the Field Trip Driver form provided by the teacher. If a bus or other carrier is used, that carrier is insured and operating within the laws of the State of Texas as far as school staff can determine.

## **General School Rules**

Reasonable rules have been established for safety and proper character development of all Strickland students. The teachers in each classroom review classroom rules and procedures to insure proper understanding. Parents should review the rules with their children. A list of general classroom rules may be obtained from your teacher.

## **Prohibited Items**

The following items are not permitted at school:

- Baseball caps
- Head coverings of any kind except outside on very cold days
- Playing cards and trading cards or toys
- Knives or any other weapons
- Sunglasses (except to be worn outside)
- Calculators (except for Algebra I or higher students)
- Electronic equipment of any kind including flashlights, I-pads, phones, and other communication devices
- Wristwatches with alarms or other noises
- Any items deemed by teachers to be a distraction in the classroom
- Magazines, comic books, and any books or written material with inappropriate content
- Suitcases and briefcases
- Anything with inappropriate slogans or pictures
- Pullover jackets, non-uniform sweatshirts, or non-uniform sweaters

## **Technology and Children**

Modern technology offers amazing tools for work and communication. Unfortunately, like the television, these tools can be used for great good or great harm. Using the internet and mobile devices without proper supervision can be harmful to children, even those in middle school or junior high. This is one reason students are not permitted to bring mobile devices to Strickland. Young people (including teenagers) are learning who they are and trying to navigate the difficulties of social interaction. Adding texting and social media to the mix exacerbates the challenges of social growth and opens the door to unkindness and harassment. People are tempted to post or text content that they would never say to a person's face. With all this in mind, we implore parents to guard their children from the dangers of the internet and social media. We encourage you to determine the proper age for your children to begin to use the

internet and phones and to install parental controls until your child is mature. We also request that you do not allow your children to text or engage in social media with other Strickland students. If a student needs to obtain a homework assignment, he should use the old-fashioned method: use the family phone to call. If we all practice these safety measures, we will be able to help our children grow in a safe environment without evil influences.

## **Discipline Policies**

Students are expected to conform to each teacher's classroom customs, procedures, and regulations as well as the school rules and procedures. Respect for teachers and all adults is of paramount importance. Misconduct of minor significance will be handled by individual teachers. Teachers may choose the consequences for misbehavior including silent snack, timeouts, missing recess, or P.E., writing, or other repercussion. However, conduct of major significance that calls for corporal punishment at the discretion of the homeroom teacher, though handled by the teacher, will be administered with the assistance of another teacher or the principal. The parent will be notified immediately thereafter. Corporal punishment may be used for one major offense or for a series of minor offenses. The principal reserves the right to personally handle the discipline of any child at any time he deems appropriate or to appoint other teachers to administer the discipline in his place. In the event a problem persists without parental cooperation or is considered a negative influence upon the other students or upon the school, the school reserves the right to temporarily suspend or to permanently expel the offending student.

## **Misconduct of a Serious Nature**

Certain serious infractions may also call for warning slips or pink slips which remain a part of the student's permanent record. Thus, at the discretion of the authority in charge, either a warning or a pink slip may be given at any time, even for similar infractions. These may be administered by the homeroom teacher or by the principal. The parent's cooperation is imperative. Only six warning slips are allowed in a student's permanent record. Pink slips become mandatory thereafter. Upon receiving the third pink slip, a student is automatically expelled from school. The issuance of a pink slip or warning slip does not preclude the teacher from administering corporal punishment for serious misconduct or for a series of minor violations.

### **Warning or pink slips may be issued for the following reasons in any grade, or for other serious offenses not listed:**

- Foul language or foul gestures
- Bragging about participation in sin
- Rudeness
- Stealing
- Fighting or purposely provoking others to the point of anger
- Having tobacco, liquor, or drugs on campus
- Ridiculing
- Slanderizing
- Gossiping
- Lying
- Cheating
- Threatening
- Spitting
- Tripping
- Disrespect
- Repeatedly breaking rules or procedures

- Vandalism
- Lewdness or pornography

### **Off Limits:**

The following areas are off limits to students unless they have a teacher's permission:

- Computer room or copy room Offices
- Kitchen
- Teachers' desk areas or files
- All storage areas including science closet and janitor's closet
- The church sanctuary beyond the glass doors at the bottom of the stairs
- The second floor of the education building before 7:45 a.m. and after 3:00 p.m.

### **Kindergarten Method of Discipline**

In addition to the above-mentioned discipline policies, the following also apply to K-4 and K-5 students. The child comes to school with a "clean slate" each morning and is constantly rewarded for good behavior. However, when necessary, a check mark is placed on the board next to the child's name as a warning. If misbehavior continues, a series of marks will be added. Two marks result in silent snack; three marks result in loss of recess time; four marks result in a paddling. If a student receives a paddling, the teacher will inform the parent immediately thereafter. Parental cooperation and support of school discipline is essential. Students start the afternoon with a "clean slate" again and are given timeouts for their first three infractions and a paddling for their fourth infraction. These methods do not preclude the teachers from spanking for an offense if it is of a serious nature.

### **Dress Code**

The dress code policy is written to encourage modesty, school spirit, and dedication to academics. Parents must help their children to dress responsibly. All students must wear uniforms. All clothing must be modest, clean, well-fitting—neither too baggy nor too tight—and in good repair. Oversized or undersized clothing is not permitted. Students are not permitted to wear clothes with autographs or writing on them, nor may clothing be modified. Tattoos and body piercings are not permitted. Students must comply with the dress code at all school functions. Students should have their names on the inside of all uniform wear to prevent loss.

### **Uniforms**

Uniforms are required for all students beginning on the first day of school. Except as otherwise noted in this handbook, uniforms must be ordered directly from Lands' End, our only approved uniform supplier. All new uniforms must be bought from the current Lands' End School Uniform Catalog unless otherwise noted. Lands' End for School may be contacted through the link on the school website, at 1-800-4692222 or at [www.landsend.com/school](http://www.landsend.com/school). Official uniform lists follow and the link on the school website will direct parents to a catalogue customized for Strickland students. Uniform catalogs are also available at the time of enrollment if requested. Only those items on the list will be acceptable uniform items and must only be the correct styles and colors specified. Please note that there are two uniform lists—one for K4/K5 and one for the other grades. Please refer to the uniform lists in this handbook (p.23, 24) when ordering. When you order uniforms from Lands' End and use the preferred school number, 9000-5205-1, a percentage of your purchase will be donated by Lands' End to the PTF.

## **Dress Code Infractions**

When a student is not in compliance with the dress code, he will be required to comply immediately. If this is not possible, teachers may use substitute clothing available and will send a note home explaining the infraction. Subsequent violations may result in a call to the parent who will have to bring proper clothing to the school immediately. Where the first infraction is a flagrant violation in the teacher's view, parents may be called that day to bring the proper clothing immediately. Parental support and cooperation is necessary for dress code conformity. Students in violation of dress code may be sequestered if proper clothing is not brought immediately. Demerits may be given for dress code violations. Students who continue to violate the dress code may be subject to additional disciplinary action.

## **Monograms/Logos**

Monograms are encouraged but optional. They are available only from Lands' End. Below is a complete list of monogram options:

- Sweaters may be monogrammed with either three initials or the child's first or last name and only in style 6 script in the color desert khaki. Sweaters may have logos in the color gold instead of monograms.
- Polo shirts may be monogrammed with the Strickland School logo in desert khaki for dark colored shirts and blue for light-colored shirts. Shirts may not have names or initials.

## **Pants and Dresses**

Students may wear solid khaki or solid navy dress pants from any supplier. No jeans and no denim material are allowed. The uniform jumpers, skirts and skorts must be purchased from Lands' End. Jumper, skirt and skort lengths must be no shorter than 2 inches above the knee when the student is standing normally. Girls must wear leather-like dress shoes with any skirt, jumper or skort. Girls must wear bike shorts underneath jumpers, skorts, and skirts unless they are wearing tights.

## **Shoes and Socks**

Leather-like dress shoes may be solid black or brown (girls may also wear navy), but must not be high-tops, athletic shoes, sandals, open-toed, or boots, and must have normal (not platform) heals. Boys may wear, but are not required to wear, leather dress shoes except to P.E.. Female students may wear the leather dress shoes with any uniform (except P.E.). Female students must wear leather dress shoes with skirts, jumpers or skorts. Students may wear athletic shoes with normal soles (no platform soles allowed). Athletic shoes may be worn with shorts or pants only and must be worn for P.E. All athletic shoes worn at school must be well fitting and not subject to coming loose when students are running, walking, or playing. See the approved uniform list at the end of the handbook for more details. Students must wear solid white, crew length socks with their athletic shoes. When students wear leather shoes, they must wear solid navy or tan crew length socks to match their pants or shorts. When girls wear skirts, skorts, or jumpers, they must wear solid white or navy tights or socks.

## **Shorts**

Students may wear solid navy or solid khaki dress shorts from any supplier. Hem length must be no shorter than 2 inches above the knee when the student is standing straight. Shorts may not be jeans, denim material, jean look-alikes, nor have cargo pockets or painter's loops. First through eighth graders must wear shorts with belt loops.

## **Shirts**

Shirttails must always be tucked. Only solid white undershirts may be worn, and no part of the undershirt may show beyond the sleeve. Uniform shirts must be worn under sweaters. Turtlenecks and mock turtlenecks are not approved uniform items and may not be worn as undershirts. Except for the white polo shirts, all shirts must be purchased from the Lands' End approved uniform list contained in this handbook. The official Strickland spirit T-shirt may be worn only on T-shirt Fridays. Spirit T-shirts and specially produced class T-shirts may be worn on class T-shirt days. Please check the calendar each month for these days.

## **Belts**

Students must wear belts with pants and shorts, except K4 and K5 students who may not wear belts. Belts must be leather or leather-like and must be well-fitting. Belts may be brown, black, or tan. No large or gaudy belt buckles are allowed.

## **Outerwear**

Only approved uniform sweaters may be worn as outerwear in the buildings. Students may wear jackets or coats outside. However, no sweatshirts (except for 1st and 2nd graders on P.E. days), no pullover jackets, and no non-uniform sweaters may be worn. Students must be prepared with uniform sweaters on the first day of school as some classrooms are cool even in the summer.

## **Hair**

Male students must wear haircuts that are masculine, reasonable, and conservative. Boys may not braid their hair nor have spiked hair. Older boys must be always clean-shaven. Hair must be kept in an orderly manner above the shirt collar and no longer than the top of the eyebrows; tops of ears must be highly visible. Female students may wear their hair in any feminine, reasonable style if it is cut back or pinned no longer than the top of the eyebrows. No bleached or dyed hair is allowed. No students may have designs or lines cut or shaved into the hair.

## **Head Covering**

No head covering may be worn at school except that girls may wear headbands, barrettes, pins, or bows which are simple, not gaudy, and do not clash with the uniform in color. Students may wear winter beanies or hats during recess or P.E. if teachers consider it sufficiently cold.

## **Jewelry and Make-up**

Students may wear simple wristwatches without alarms or communication capabilities. Only one simple ring on each hand may be worn and only one tasteful necklace or neck chain. Male students are not allowed to wear earrings, wristbands, or bracelets. Female students may wear jewelry that is tasteful and simple; they may have pierced earlobes only and may wear only one earring in each earlobe. Girls may wear one bracelet on each wrist. No jewelry may be attached to clothing. For safety purposes, students may not wear jewelry, including watches, to P. E. class. Except as mentioned in this paragraph, no other jewelry is allowed. Girls fifth grade and older may wear make-up that is simple and tasteful. Make-up may be applied only at home.

## **Backpacks**

Backpacks with or without wheels are acceptable, but no suitcases are allowed.

## **Used Uniforms**

From time to time the school may sell used uniforms as a service to parents. Those sales will be announced later. Parents who purchase them must be certain that used uniforms meet dress code standards.

## **P. E. Uniforms**

P.E. uniforms are required for first through eighth graders. Students must wear their P.E. uniforms to school on days they have P.E. The warm weather uniform is available from Lands' End. (See the official list on the next page). During cool weather students must wear any brand of solid navy or solid gray sweatshirts and sweatpants in any combination (navy top with navy bottom, gray top with navy bottom, and so on.) Generic sweats may not have stripes, logos, zippers, buttons, collars, pockets, or hoods. See the uniform list in this handbook for other Lands' End sweatpants and sweatshirt options. Students may not wear coats or jackets in P.E. class without the P.E. teacher's permission on exceptionally frigid days. Students must wear their P.E. uniform shirts underneath their sweatshirts in case they become warm. No jewelry (including watches and earrings) may be worn to P.E. classes. Students must wear athletic shoes with normal soles and solid white crew length socks to P.E. class. No platform or extra-wide soles are permitted due to safety considerations. Students who do not comply with the P.E. uniform policy will lose points from their daily P.E. grade and may, at the teacher's discretion, be excluded from participation in the day's P.E. activities and receive demerits.

**1st - 8th GRADE**  
**Approved Uniform Items from Lands' End**

[Click Here: Lands' End](#)

Preferred Number: **900052051**

**BOYS AND GIRLS**

Mesh or Interlock Polo Shirt  
(short or long sleeved)

**COLORS**

Red, White, Burgundy, Maize, Classic Navy,  
Evergreen, Chambray Blue

Rapid Dry Polo Shirt  
(short or long sleeved)

Red, Classic Navy, Burgundy, Evergreen

Drifter Cardigan Sweater (button or zipper)

Red, Classic Navy, Evergreen, Burgundy

Monograms (sweaters only)

Desert Khaki (Style 6)

Logos (sweaters and shirts)

Desert Khaki (Style 6)

School Spirit Active Tee

Navy

**GIRLS ONLY**

Peter Pan Shirt (short or long sleeved)

White, Blue

Feminine Fit Polo (short or long sleeved)

Red, White, Burgundy, Maize, Classic Navy,  
Evergreen, Chambray Blue

Fine Gauge Cardigan Sweater

Classic Navy, Evergreen, Red

Box-Pleated Jumper

Classic Navy, Hunter/Classic Navy Plaid

Chino Skirt At-the-knee (long)

Khaki, Classic Navy

A-line Skirt At-the-Knee

Khaki, Classic Navy

Chino Skort Knee Length

Khaki, Classic Navy

**P. E. UNIFORMS**

Mesh Athletic Shorts

Navy

Strickland School P.E. Shirt

Gray with Navy Logo

Girls Chino Skort Knee Length

Classic Navy

Kids Zip-front Sweatshirt

Classic Navy with Logo

Active Track Pants

Classic Navy

**Approved Uniform Items from Any Supplier**

**BOYS AND GIRLS**

Polo Shirt (short or long sleeved)

White

Leather Belt

Brown, Black, Tan

Shorts

Khaki, Navy

Dress Pants

Khaki, Navy

Solid Colored Socks

White, Navy, Khaki

Leather Dress Shoes

Black, Brown

Athletic Shoes

**GIRLS ONLY**

Bike Shorts (with skirts & dresses)

Navy, Black

Solid Colored Leggings

Navy, White

Leather Dress Shoes

Black, Navy, Brown

**P. E. UNIFORMS**

Plain Sweatshirt and Sweatpants of Navy, Gray Heather

## **K-4 AND K-5**

### **Approved Uniform Items from Lands' End**

[Click Here: Lands' End](#)

Preferred Number: 900052051

#### **BOYS AND GIRLS**

Mesh or Interlock Polo Shirt  
(short or long sleeved)  
Drifter Cardigan Sweater (Button or Zipper)  
Monograms (for sweaters only)  
Logos (for sweaters and shirts)  
School Spirit Active Tee

#### **COLORS**

Red, White, Burgundy, Maize, Classic Navy,  
Evergreen, Chambray Blue  
Red, Classic Navy, Evergreen, Burgundy  
Desert Khaki (Style 6)  
Desert Khaki (style 6)  
Navy

#### **GIRLS ONLY**

Peter Pan Shirt (short or long sleeved)  
Feminine Fit Polo (short or long sleeved)  
  
Fine Gauge Cardigan Sweater  
Box-Pleated Jumper  
Chino Skirt At-the-knee (long)  
A-line Skirt At-the-Knee  
Chino Skort Knee Length

White, Blue  
Red, White, Burgundy, Maize, Classic Navy,  
Evergreen, Chambray Blue  
Classic Navy, Evergreen, Red  
Classic Navy, Hunter/Classic Navy Plaid  
Khaki, Classic Navy  
Khaki, Classic Navy  
Khaki, Classic Navy

## **Approved Uniform Items from Any Supplier**

#### **BOYS AND GIRLS**

Polo Shirt (short or long sleeved)  
Shorts  
Dress Pants  
Solid Colored Socks  
  
Leather Dress Shoes  
Athletic Shoes

White  
Khaki, Navy  
Khaki, Navy  
White, Navy, Khaki  
Black, Brown

#### **GIRLS ONLY**

Bike Shorts (with skirts & dresses)  
Solid Colored Leggings  
Leather Dress Shoes  
Belts Not allowed in K4

Navy, Black  
Navy, White  
Black, Navy, Brown

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