



May 21, 2024

Dear LCA Parents:

Greetings! Our ministry is blessed to have parents that make Christian education a priority. Lafayette Christian Academy provides an atmosphere that is conducive to spiritual growth as well as academic excellence. In preparation for the 2024-2025 school term, our staff members will attend professional development seminars to prepare for the new school year.

Our first Parent Orientation Meeting of the year will be on Monday, August 5, 6:00 pm, at The Family Church. We strongly encourage parents to attend to be thoroughly informed about the curriculum, handbook, normal school operation, and any other changes.

Orientation will be held in The Family Church Sanctuary on the following dates: PreK - 2<sup>nd</sup> grade on Wednesday, August 7 from 10:00am - 11:30am; 3<sup>rd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> grade on Thursday, August 8 from 10:00am - 11:30am; 6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grade in the Dining Hall on Friday, August 9 from 8:00am - 12:00pm; and 9<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grade in the Sportsplex on Friday, August 9 from 12:00pm – 3:00pm. Students are required to attend and be in full uniform for the Orientation sessions. Any student not present is marked absent. The absence will apply toward the 11-day unexcused absence rule. Regular classes begin Monday, August 12. School hours are Monday – Thursday from 7:55am – 3:05pm and Friday – 7:55am – 12:05pm.

Enclosed are the LCA yearly calendars, tuition information, uniform guidelines, school supply lists, and 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade summer reading lists. Please send all school supplies with your child to school on Orientation Day. The lunch program information will be sent out in July via email.

Any payments received after the 10<sup>th</sup> of the month are considered late. All books are rentals and the property of LCA.

Many books have been given for information, but the Bible was given for our transformation. Through the Word, through prayer, and through your support, we believe you will see your children transformed for the glory of God. Let's make this our goal for the 2024-2025 school year. May God bless you and prosper you.

His Servant,

Devin Lantier, Superintendent

Enclosures: (6)

Summer Calendar  
School Uniforms

2024-2025 Calendar  
School Supply List

Tuition and Fees  
Summer Reading List (9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>)

## 2024 ORIENTATION WEEK CALENDAR

- Monday  
August 5 **Parent Orientation: 6:00 pm (The Family Church):**  
This informative night covers our policies, procedures, and gives parents an overall summary of what they can expect from the 2024-2025 school year.
- Wednesday  
August 7 **PreK - 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Orientation (The Family Church): 10:00 am - 11:30 am:**  
Students are to be in full uniform and are to bring their supplies to school. This is counted as the first day of school. One parent needs to attend with their student.
- Thursday  
August 8 **3<sup>rd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Orientation (The Family Church): 10:00 am - 11:30 am:**  
Students are to be in full uniform and are to bring their supplies to school. This is counted as the first day of school. One parent needs to attend with their student.
- Friday  
August 9 **6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Orientation (Dining Hall): 8:00 am - 12:00 pm (Parents welcome)**  
**9<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Orientation (Sportsplex): 12:00 pm - 3:00 pm (Parents do not attend)**  
Students are to be in full uniform and are to bring their supplies to school. This is counted as the first day of school. School ID pictures will be taken on this day. **(School ID pictures for 6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grade will be used as their Fall picture in the yearbook).**

Monday  
August 12 **First Day of Classes PreK-12th**

### **School Hours: Monday- Thursday**

PreK and K: 7:55 am - 2:45 pm (Optional pick up at 2:00 pm)

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade 7:55 am - 2:50pm

3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Grade: 7:55 am - 2:55 pm

5<sup>th</sup> Grade 7:55 am – 3:00 pm

6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> Grade 7:55 am – 3:05 pm

Elementary and High School Office Hours: 7:30 am – 3:30 pm

### **School Hours: Friday**

PreK and K: 7:55 am – 11:45 am (No early pick up on Friday)

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade 7:55 am – 11:50 am

3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Grade: 7:55 am – 11:55 am

5<sup>th</sup> Grade 7:55 am – 12:00 pm

6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> Grade 7:55 am – 12:05 pm

Elementary and High School Office Hours: 7:30 am – 12:30 pm

# Tuition and Fees for the 2024 - 2025 School Term

Re-registration for existing students: \$200

Registration Fee Per Student (due at time of enrollment): \$350.00

## Tuition:

- Curriculum fees, including book rental, yearbook, planner if applicable, spirit day participation, and LCA student entry to non-playoff home games are included in your monthly tuition.
- Please see the chart below for your tuition rate breakdown for the 2023 – 2024 school year. First payment is due by June 1, 2023, for the 2023-2024 school year. After June 10<sup>th</sup>, the payment is considered delinquent. If you are delinquent with your June payment, the enrollment slot in that grade level will be opened to new students.

# of Students	12 Monthly Payments	Annual Total
1	\$ 480	\$ 5,760
2	\$ 960	\$ 11,520
3	\$ 1,306	\$ 15,672
4	\$ 1,563	\$ 18,752
5	\$ 1,730	\$ 20,760

All textbooks, workbooks and IDs are the property of Lafayette Christian Academy and are to be returned to the school at the end of the school year or at the time of a student withdrawal or transfer. If any book is damaged or is unusable, the tuition account will be billed for the price of the book. All decisions are left to the discretion of the administration.

## Additional Fees:

These additional fees will be invoiced on the monthly tuition statement, if applicable.

- Optional Lunch Program: Details will be available mid-July.
- Graduation Fees: Kindergarten \$25.00 or High School \$50.00
- Student Driver Fee: \$20
- Athletic Fees vary by sport and will be billed during the season played.
- Early Care and/or Beyond the Bell After Care are charged at the time of service and will be invoiced on the tuition statement.
- Certain junior high and high school courses (IE: Art, Advanced Placement, Dual Enrollment, etc...)

## We accept the following forms of payment:

- All cash payments must be made in the Elementary Business Office.
- Money orders can be mailed, placed in the drop box, or visit the Elementary Business Office.
- Checks can be mailed, placed in the drop box, or visit the Elementary Business Office.
- Credit card payments can be made by visiting the Elementary Business Office or online parent portal. All credit card payments will have a 3% transaction fee.
- Online check payments will have a \$1.00 payment processing fee added to each transaction. (Ex. \$480.00 tuition payment; total charge of \$481.00.)

# LAFAYETTE CHRISTIAN ACADEMY - SCHOOL SUPPLY LIST 2024-2025

Please refrain from purchasing supplies, lunch boxes, etc. that portray or promote violence or occult images.

## PRE K

- 1) roll of paper towels
- 2) boxes of Kleenex
- 1) pack of baby wipes (not boxed)
- 1) lunch box (no metal) if bringing lunch from home
- 1) set of clothes in Ziploc bag
- 1) fleece throw blanket (50" x 60" approximately \$3.99 at Academy or Walmart) must fit in backpack
- 1) **clear vinyl** backpack (large enough to fit blanket) (no rolling backpack)

*All items labeled with child's name.*

## KINDERGARTEN

- 1) box of Kleenex
- 1) roll of paper towels
- 1) box of baby wipes
- 1) lunch box (no metal)
- 1) set of labeled seasonal appropriate clothes in Ziploc bag
- 1) labeled fleece throw blanket (50" x 60" approximately \$3.99 at Academy or Walmart) must fit loosely in backpack
- 1) backpack (no rolling backpacks and must be large enough to fit binder and blanket)
- 1) box sandwich size Ziplock bags (boys)
- 1) box gallon size Ziplock bags (girls)

*All items labeled with child's name.*

## 1<sup>st</sup> GRADE

- 1) lunch box
- 1) large backpack (no rolling backpacks)
- 1) 16 oz bottle of hand sanitizer (boys)
- 1) pack of baby wipes (girls)
- 1) roll of paper towels
- 1) pack of color pencils (*ask your child's teacher*)

*All items labeled with child's name.*

## 2<sup>nd</sup> GRADE

- 1) large backpack (no rolling backpacks)
- 1) zipper pencil pouch
- 1) box of Kleenex
- 1) roll of paper towels
- 1) box gallon size Ziplock bags
- New King James Bible (NKJV) -not King James version

*All items labeled with child's name.*

## 3<sup>rd</sup> GRADE

- 1) backpack
- 1) 16 oz bottle of hand sanitizer
- 1) roll of paper towels
- 2) 12 count packs of Crayola washable markers
- 1) container of baby wipes
- 1) box gallon size Ziplock bags
- 1) 1½" Slant D 3-ring view binder
- Clear contact paper (cover books at home)
- New King James Bible (NKJV) -not King James version

*All items labeled with child's name.*

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**4<sup>th</sup> GRADE**

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- 1) backpack (no rolling backpack)
- 1) box of Kleenex
- 1) 16 oz bottles of hand sanitizer
- 1) 1½” Slant D 3-ring view binder
- 1) box quart size Ziplock bags (boys)
- 1) box gallon size Ziplock bags (girls)
- Clear contact paper (cover books at home)
- New King James Bible (NKJV) -not King James version
- Mini umbrella (must fit in backpack)
- Additional supplies as needed when informed by the teacher

***All items labeled with child’s name.***

*A variety of supplies for assigned projects upon their Teacher’s request.*

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**5<sup>th</sup> GRADE**

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- 1) large backpack (no rolling backpacks)
- 1) 16 oz bottle of hand sanitizer
- 1) Roll of paper towels (boys)
- 1) box of gallon size Ziplock bags
- 1) 1½” Slant D 3-ring view binder
- Journal of your choice for chapel
- Clear contact paper (cover books at home)

**SUPPLIES NEEDED IN CLASS DAILY**

- Supply of mechanical pencils (only)
- New King James Bible (NKJV) -not King James Version
- Mini umbrella (must fit in backpack)

*A variety of supplies for assigned projects upon their Teacher’s request.*

**THESE ITEMS ARE NOT ALLOWED:**

Rolling backpacks, liquid white-out, permanent markers, pencil sharpeners, or supplies that are toys.

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**6<sup>th</sup> GRADE**

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**SUPPLIES TO BE PICKED UP ON 1<sup>ST</sup> DAY**

- 1) box of wet wipes
- 1) box of Kleenex

**SUPPLIES NEEDED IN CLASS DAILY**

*All items labeled with child’s name.*

- 1) 1½” Slant D 3-ring view binder
- PE uniform (purchased at school)
- 1) cinch sack/drawstring backpack for PE uniform
- Supply of mechanical pencils
- 1) subject notebook
- 1) marble composition (replace as needed)
- 1) small notebook of choice for Chapel
- New King James Bible (NKJV) -not King James Version
- Mini umbrella (must fit in backpack)
- Clear contact paper (cover books at home)
- Webster Dictionary for Student (to keep at home)
- Access to a printer at home
- 1) 5-subject notebook (Advanced Math only)
- TI-30xiis calculator (approx. \$15) (Advanced Math only)

*A variety of supplies for assigned projects upon their Teacher’s request.*

7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

**SUPPLIES TO BE PICKED UP ON 1<sup>ST</sup> DAY**

- 3) boxes of Kleenex
- 1) roll of paper towels (turn in to Math Teacher)

**SUPPLIES NEEDED IN CLASS DAILY**

*All items labeled with child's name.*

- 1) Chromebook
- 1) 1 ½”– 2” binder (3 ring)
- 1) 5-8 tab pocket dividers
- Supply of college-ruled loose-leaf paper for binder
- 4) non-spiral composition books (different colors)
- 1) folder with bottom pockets
- 1) set of colored pencils
- Supply of blue, black, red pens and highlighters
- Supply of #2 mechanical pencils and erasers
- Correction tape (optional) NO LIQUID
- 1) 12” ruler with English & metric units
- 1) 5-subject notebook (Math)
- 1) Blue 1-subject notebook w/ perforated pages (History)
- PE uniform (purchased at school)
- 1) cinch sack/drawstring backpack for PE uniform
- New King James Bible (NKJV) -not King James version
- Mini umbrella (must fit in backpack)
- Clear contact paper (cover books at home)

**SUPPLIES NEEDED UPON REQUEST**

- Supply of 3x5 index cards
- Case of index cards (must fit in backpack)
- 1) pack graph paper
- Protractor (clear)
- TI-30xiis calculator (approx. \$15)
- 1) Memory stick/thumb drive/flash drive
- Access to a printer at home
- Various supplies needed upon request

8<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Homeroom Supplies (Picked up on 1st day)

- 2 Boxes of Kleenex
- 1 Pack of Looseleaf
- 1 16 oz Bottle of Hand Sanitizer
- 1 Roll of Paper Towels (Girls Only)
- 1 Pack of Baby Wipes (Boys Only)

Personal Supplies (Kept in backpack or locker until needed)

- Chromebook (used in various classes)
- Supply of sharpened #2 pencils or mechanical pencils
- Supply of pens (any colors except neon)
- Supply of highlighters (any colors)
- 1 set of colored pencils
- 1 pack of markers
- Correction tape (optional) No LIQUID
- Mini umbrella (must fit in backpack)
- PE Uniform (purchased at school)
- 1 Cinch sack/drawstring backpack for PE uniform Clear
- Clear Contact Paper (This can be left at home. It will be used to cover books.)

Bible

- New King James Bible (NKJV)
- 1 non-spiral marble journal notebook

ELA & Science

- 1.5” Binder with divider
  - \*ELA and Science will share a binder. It needs to be divided into two sections. Please have some looseleaf in the binder in each section. This is separate from the pack of loose leaf being picked up in homeroom.
- 1 plastic 2-pocket folder (ELA)

Math

- 1 plastic 2-pocket folder with prongs
- 1 non-spiral marble journal notebook
- 5 dry erase markers (assorted colors)
- Algebra 1: TI-83, TI-83 Plus, or TI-84 Calculator (Approx. \$120) \*Will also be used in High School
- Pre-Algebra: TI-30xa Calculator (Approx. \$14 or less)

History

- 1 Red 1-subject notebook with perforated pages

Access to a printer at home  
Various supplies needed upon request

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**HIGH SCHOOL COURSES**

3) Boxes of Kleenex brought to homeroom teacher  
Mini umbrella (must fit in backpack) required for each student.

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**PHYSICAL SCIENCE**

Loose-leaf  
Blue or black ink pens  
Composition notebook (7 ½" x 9 ¾")  
Scientific calculator (not graphing)

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**CHEMISTRY**

1) 2" binder and loose-leaf  
1 Box of Kleenex  
Black or blue pens  
Pencils  
Scientific calculator TI30X (cannot graphing)  
Highlighters  
Safety glasses

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**BIOLOGY I**

1 5 subject spiral notebook  
Blue/black pens  
Pack of pencils  
1 box 100 count (50 pairs) Nitrile gloves  
1) Pair of safety glasses  
1) Roll paper of towels  
1) Pack baby wipes  
1) Box of Kleenex  
Composition notebook

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**AP BIOLOGY, BIOLOGY II &  
AP ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE**

Box of Neoprene gloves (100 count)  
Safety glasses  
1) 5 subject spiral notebook  
Blue/black pens  
Pencils  
Scientific calculator

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**ENVIRONMENTAL  
SCIENCE**

Safety glasses  
1) 5 subject spiral notebook  
Blue/black pens  
Scientific calculator

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**PHYSICS**

Composition notebook (7 ½" x 9 ¾")  
Loose leaf paper  
Pencils/pens  
Scientific calculator (not graphing but at least TI-30)

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**ACCOUNTING**

Mechanical pencils  
Eraser  
Laptop  
Calculator (any model)

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**PERSONAL FINANCE**

Blue/black ink pens  
Loose-leaf paper

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***ALGEBRA I***

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Laptop  
Binder  
Loose leaf paper or notebook  
Pencils  
TI-83, TI-83 Plus, or TI-84 calculator (approx. \$100)

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***GEOMETRY***

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Laptop  
Binder  
Loose leaf paper or notebook  
Pencils  
TI-83, TI-83 Plus, or TI-84 calculator (approx. \$100)

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***ALGEBRA II***

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Laptop  
Folder  
Spiral notebook  
Pencils (supply for the year)  
TI-83, TI-83 Plus, or TI-84 calculator (approx. \$100)  
Graph paper

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***ALGEBRA III***

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Laptop  
Binder  
Loose leaf paper or notebook  
Pencils  
TI-83, TI-83 Plus, or TI-84 calculator (approx. \$100)

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***PRE-CALCULUS***

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Laptop  
Binder  
Loose leaf paper or notebook  
Pencils  
TI-83, TI-83 Plus, or TI-84 calculator (approx. \$100)  
Notebook paper

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***DE MATH***

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Laptop  
Binder  
Loose leaf paper or notebook  
Pencils  
TI-30XIIS calculator

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***ENGLISH I***

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4 Highlighter pens (different colors)  
Blue or black pens  
1" binder and 4 dividers  
Loose-leaf paper (continual supply)  
Continual supply of sticky notes  
Red pen  
White out  
Composition notebook

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***ENGLISH II***

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4 Highlighter pens (different colors)  
Blue or black pens  
Red pens  
White out  
Composition notebook  
1" binder and 4 dividers  
Loose-leaf paper (continual supply)  
Continual supply of sticky notes  
Marble composition book  
2 Packs post it sticky notes



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**ENGLISH III**

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5) Highlighters (different colors)  
Blue or black pens  
1" binder 3 ringed binder  
5 pocket dividers with tabs  
2 Packs wide-ruled loose-leaf paper  
2 Packs post it sticky notes  
Marble composition notebook (wide-ruled)

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**ENGLISH IV**

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4 Highlighter pens (different colors)  
Blue or black pens  
Continual supply of sticky notes  
Binder with loose leaf paper  
4 dividers (for binder)  
Marble journal

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**AP LANGUAGE &  
COMPOSITION  
(11<sup>TH</sup> GRADE)**

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4 Highlighter pens (different colors)  
Blue or black pens  
3" binder and 4 dividers  
Loose-leaf paper (continual supply)  
1 Red plastic folder with 2 pockets  
Continual supply of sticky notes  
Marble journal

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**AP LITERATURE &  
COMPOSITION  
(12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE)**

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4 Highlighter pens (different colors)  
Blue or black pens  
5" binder and 4 dividers  
Loose-leaf paper (continual supply)  
1 Blue pocket folder  
Continual supply of sticky notes  
Marble journal

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**GEOGRAPHY**

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2 packs blue or black Pens  
Loose-leaf paper  
Colored pencils  
6 Highlighters

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**CIVICS/ECONOMICS**

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Blue or black pens  
1 Composition book (NO spiral notebooks or binders with loose-leaf paper)  
Loose leaf paper

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**US HISTORY**

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Notebook or binder with loose leaf paper (college ruled)  
Blue or black pens ONLY  
3 Prong folder  
Highlighters

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**AP US HISTORY**

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4 Highlighter pens (different colors)  
Blue or black pens ONLY  
3" binder  
College ruled loose-leaf paper (continual supply)  
2 pocket folders  
Laptop or Chromebook

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**RELIGION  
9<sup>TH</sup>, 10<sup>TH</sup>, 11<sup>TH</sup>, 12<sup>TH</sup>**

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Bible: NKJV, NIV, or ESV (12<sup>th</sup> grade NIV or ESV)  
Blue or black pens only  
Highlighters  
9<sup>th</sup> Grade: Notebook  
10<sup>th</sup> Grade: Notebook  
11<sup>th</sup> Grade: Notebook  
12<sup>th</sup> Grade: Notebook, journal, black or blue pens, pencils, & Bible (ESV or NIV)

**PHYSICAL EDUCATION**  
**(9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> non-athletic)**

1 Cinch sack/drawstring backpack for PE uniform  
PE uniform (purchased at school)  
Athletic shoes (any color: non-scuff soles)  
Socks must be visible.

**SPANISH I & II**

Red and (blue or black) pens  
Pencils  
2 Composition notebook journals

**LATIN I & II**

1" binder with 5 dividers  
Loose-leaf paper  
Index cards (continual supply)  
Blue or black pens  
Sticky notes  
1 Marble composition notebook

**THEATRE I & II**

Spiral Notebook  
1" binder  
Pens or Pencils  
\$25.00 Production Fee per Show

**JOURNALISM/YEARBOOK**

Student owned Laptop (if possible) with SD or USB-A port or USB-A to USB-C converter  
½" binder  
1 pack loose leaf paper

**ART**

Supply Fee of \$50.00 (Billed to tuition account)  
1 Pack of #2 pencils (not mechanical)  
2 Large erasers (hi-polymer and pink pearl)  
Pencil pouch  
Painting palette  
1 Pack of paper towels  
9x12 sketchbook  
2 Short handle brushes (round, bright, size 6 maximum)  
2 Plastic tablecloths (any color)  
Personal pencil sharpener  
Smock or large old shirt with sleeves  
All items labeled with Student's name.

**LAW STUDIES**

Notebook or binder with college ruled loose leaf paper  
Blue or black pens ONLY  
3 Prong folder  
Highlighters

**COMPUTER APPLICATIONS**

Flash drive (optional)

**SPEECH COMMUNICATIONS**

1" Binder with 3 dividers with loose-leaf paper  
Supply of highlighters  
Index cards  
Blue or black pens

**PSYCHOLOGY**

Notebook  
Blue or black pens

**SPORTS MEDICINE**

\$25.00 supply fee (Billed to tuition account)  
Notebook/ or binder with loose-leaf paper  
Lap top

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***ROBOTICS***

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Supply Fee of \$50.00 (Billed to tuition account)

Composition notebook (7 ½" x 9 ¾")

Pencil

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***ENGINEERING DESIGN  
AND DEVELOPMENT***

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Fee of \$80.00 (Billed to tuition account)

\*Cost for Autodesk Inventor Certified User Exam;  
Advanced Statewide Industry Based Credential

Graphing composition notebook (7 ½" x 9 ¾")

Mechanical pencils

Ruler

Laptop (10GB, dish space 40 GB, CPU 3.0 GHZ,  
graphics 2 GB)

Mouse

Pencils

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***INTRODUCTION TO  
ENGINEERING***

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Graphing composition notebook (7 ½" x 9 ¾")

Mechanical pencils

Ruler

Laptop

Pencils

# STUDENT UNIFORM GUIDELINES

## Uniforms must be purchased from one of these vendors.

School Time 1875 W. Pinhook Rd.

Uniformity 2800 W Pinhook Rd, Suite 12 (*This is a new location*)

Young Fashions School Uniforms 2722 Kaliste Saloom Road

Fashion World School Uniforms 3607D Ambassador Caffery

## Shirts

- Classroom or A+ Brand
- Must have a patch. Navy shirts have a white crest patch; White shirts have a navy crest patch.
- Buttons on shirts must be the same color as the shirt i.e., navy shirt with navy buttons.
- Only the top button may be unbuttoned.
- Long- sleeve uniform shirts are permitted.
- Shirts worn under the uniform shirt must be solid white without any type of printing, drawing, or logo. Undershirts cannot extend past the sleeve. **Long sleeve undershirts are not permitted under short sleeve shirts.**
- Uniform shirts must be loose-fitting and in good condition.
- Neck ties, bow ties or bolos may not be worn with the uniform shirt.
- Bras worn with uniform shirts may not be visible.

### Girls:

- Knit polo. **Must have a banded bottom.**
- Dry fit (do not have banded bottom)
- Dry fit shirts can be a “girls cut” or unisex cut.

### Boys:

- Knit or pique polo.
- Dry fit polo (unisex cut)

## Bottoms

**All gray uniform pants must have LCA patch on back above the pocket. Undergarments must not be visible under uniform.**

**Gray pants must be Elderwear Brand or A+ (light gray).**

### Girls:

PreK/Kindergarten: Plaid jumper, skirt, skort, walking shorts, gray pants.

**Must have elastic waist bands.**

- Skirts must be knee-length. Shorts or skorts should be no more than four inches above the knee.
- Shorts must be worn under skirts or jumpers to prevent showing underwear.

1st-4<sup>th</sup> Grades: Plaid shorts, skorts, jumpers, skirts, or gray pants.

- Shorts must be worn under skirts or jumpers to prevent showing underwear.
- Skirts must be knee-length. Shorts or skorts must be no more than four inches above the knee.
- Shorts or pants must be loose fitting.

5<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grades: Plaid shorts, skirt, skort, walking shorts, gray pants.

- Skirts must be knee-length. Shorts or skorts must be no more than four inches above the knee.
- Shorts and pants must be loose fitting.

### Girl's Tights

If girls wear stockings (tights) on cold days, they must be **solid** white, navy, or gray. Socks must be worn, and skin may not show. Leg warmers are not permitted. Pants may not be worn under skirts.

## Boys:

PreK/Kindergarten: Gray twill shorts or pants. **Must have elastic waist band.**

- Shorts may not be rolled at the cuff.
- Shorts may not be longer than the knees.

1<sup>st</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grades: Gray shorts or pants. May be twill or dry fit.

- Pants and shorts must fit properly.
- Pants and shorts may not sag.
- Pants must reach past the ankle and the cuff cannot be rolled.
- Shorts must reach the top of the knee and cuff cannot be rolled.

## Belts

Belts are optional.

- Only solid belts in navy, black, brown, or gray.
- No designs or embellishments. No large buckles.

## Tights

Boys may not wear visible tights.

## Footwear

Shoes and socks must be worn at all times.

### Pre-K and Kindergarten Shoes:

- Must be slip on or Velcro. May not have shoelaces.
- Shoes must be completely enclosed and support the foot.
- Slides, slippers, crocs, hey dudes, etc. are not permitted.
- Any color or color combination is allowed.
- NO lights, sounds or wheels.

### 1<sup>st</sup>- 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Shoes:

- Any color or color combination is allowed.
- Must be completely enclosed slip-on tennis shoe or lace-up athletic shoe that supports the foot.
- Boots are allowed.
- Slides, slippers, crocs, hey dudes, etc. are not permitted.
- Shoelaces must be tied if it has shoelaces (cannot be tucked in the shoe).
- No lights, sounds or wheels.

## Socks

- **Solid** white, gray, navy, black socks must be worn at all times. Socks may only have a small logo.
- Socks may be knee, crew, or ankle socks.

## Outerwear

- **\*\*New\*\* Solid Gray, navy, or black full zip/button jackets or sweaters only.** A small logo, 3 inches or less, is allowed.
- If a jacket is a full zip, it may have a hood. **Pull over hoodies are not permitted.**
- The only sweatshirts and pull overs allowed to be worn with the uniform must be purchased from LCA or the plaid appliqued sweatshirts sold by the uniform stores (girls only).
- Pull overs/hoodies provided by LCA Athletics are not school uniform approved.
- If a student is wearing the wrong jacket, sweatshirt or pull over, the student must remove it and turn it into the office. **Improper outerwear will not be tolerated.**
- A uniform shirt must be worn under outerwear. The collar of the shirt must be shown.
- Shirts cannot be worn as jackets.

**\*\*For the 2025-2026 school year, LCA is looking to move to uniform jackets provided by the school or uniform shop.**

## Hats and Caps

- Hats and beanies can be worn to school on cold days but cannot be worn in the buildings.
- Bandanas are not to be worn on school grounds.
- If a jacket has a hood, hoods must be removed from the head in a building or classroom.

## Student ID's

- All Pre K-8th grade students will wear an ID on a clip on their right side on their shirt collar.
- All 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade students are required to wear their school issued student ID on a clip on their shirt collar or LCA lanyard with student ID during school hours, while on campus (exception is while dressed out for P. E.).
- If a student does not have their ID on, a teacher will issue a temporary ID sticker and a uniform deficiency.
- If the ID is in poor condition or the student has defaced the ID, the student will be required to purchase another ID. If the student does not purchase a new ID, the student will receive a uniform deficiency until a new ID is purchased.
- If the student has lost their ID card, they must have a replacement (clip and ID included for PreK-5<sup>th</sup>) made and a \$10.00 charge will be added to their tuition statement. Replacement plastic holders may be purchased for \$.25 and lanyards for \$5.00 from the school office. All issues concerning ID's must be taken care of before or after school or during the student's break or lunch time.

## Grooming and Personal Appearance

### Boys

- Hair must be well-maintained, out of the eyes.
- No unnatural colors or highlights.
- No headbands, hair accessories, scarves, or bandanas.
- Height of the hair cannot be taller than three (3) inches and may not be longer than the top of the shoulders.
- Face must be cleanly shaven. No facial hair.
- Boys are not allowed to wear earrings, makeup, or nail polish at school or while representing LCA at an event example: Field trips, conventions, or athletic events.
- Body piercings and visible tattoos are not allowed.
- All jewelry must be removed for PE classes and locked in PE lockers.

### Girls

- No unnatural colors or highlights.
- Hair must be kept out of the eyes.
- Girls are not to wear excessive jewelry. Only ear piercings are allowed. All jewelry must be removed for PE classes and locked in PE lockers.
- Students in grades PreK-6<sup>TH</sup> are not allowed to wear make-up.
- Students in grades 7<sup>TH</sup>-12<sup>TH</sup> may wear makeup in moderation. Moderation is determined by the administration.
- Body piercing and visible tattoos are not allowed.

## STUDENT SPIRIT DAY DRESS

Spirit Days are scheduled throughout the school year. Announcements regarding Spirit Days will be in the Knightly News. Spirit Shirts are purchased through LCA.

- Students may wear an LCA spirit shirt with jeans or uniform shorts/pants.
- Jeans must fit properly. No overly tight jeans or sagging jeans permitted.
- No holes, rips or tears in the jeans permitted.
- Shoes, socks, and pullovers must follow school guidelines.
- Only spirit shirts purchased through LCA are allowed.

*\*Noncompliance will result in disciplinary action and parents being called to bring proper items of clothing. Students may lose their spirit day privilege for repeatedly breaking the policies.*

**VIOLATION OF DRESS CODE or GROOMING POLICY**

All students in violation of the dress code and grooming policy will be issued a uniform deficiency slip and or hair deficiency slip.

- **PreK-5<sup>th</sup>**: Failure to comply with the guidelines on the uniform or haircut deficiency slip will result in disciplinary action for the student. The deficiency requires a parent's signature and must be returned to the teacher.
- **6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>**: Failure to comply with the guidelines on the uniform or haircut deficiency slip will result in disciplinary action for the student. A student will receive a detention on the 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup> deficiency. Upon the 7<sup>th</sup> deficiency, a one-day suspension will take place. A one-day suspension and a detention will continue to alternate until the end of the quarter. **This disciplinary action will reset each quarter.** If the student receives excessive hair/uniform deficiencies, the student may be removed from Lafayette Christian Academy at the discretion of the administration.
- If student is wearing the wrong jacket, sweatshirt or pull over, the student must remove it and turn it into the office. **Improper outwear will not be tolerated.**
- Parents may be called to bring proper uniform items to school.
- Students and parents should monitor deficiencies that have been issued on the parent portal under the "Incidents" tab.