

2016-2017 DRESS CODE

Grades K5-12



Dress Code Policy

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We realize that it is not possible to address every single garment or accessory within a dress code. ***This dress code tells what the students are authorized to wear.*** Garments or accessories contrary to or outside this dress code may result in discipline. Administration does have liberty to address items not covered specifically in these guidelines. Any questions can be addressed to the administration.

Guidelines for Boys

Hair: Boys' hair must be neat, clean, groomed and out of their eyes. Hair must be cut so it does not touch the eyebrows, the ears, or the collar. Extreme hairstyles are not permitted. Facial hair must be trimmed and neat.

Accessories: Boys may not wear earrings or have other body piercings. Boys may not wear necklaces or hats in the building.

Appropriateness: Sloppy or inappropriate appearance is not permitted.

K5 - 12th Grade Boys Daily Dress Code

Pants: K5 – 12th grade boys may wear only solid-colored khaki, navy, or black uniform-style slacks. Pants must be worn at the waist with a belt.

Shorts: Only K5 – 5th grade boys may wear full, knee length, uniform-style khaki, black, or navy shorts appropriate for school. **6th -12th grade boys may not wear shorts.**

Shirts: K5 – 12th grade boys may wear loose-fitting, solid colored, standard-style, button-up the front shirts with collars OR loose-fitting, solid colored, opaque (not see-through), standard-style polo shirts. Long or short sleeves are acceptable and must be tucked in. Shirts must be buttoned to at least one button from the collar. No long sleeve shirts may be worn under a short sleeve shirt.

Shoes: K5 – 12th grade boys need to wear shoes and socks that are coordinated with their outfits. The shoes need to be closed-in, front and back.

Jackets and Coats: The only outer garments permitted in classes are solid color sweaters or school issued jackets provided by FCS. (Order forms will be made available in the Spring.)

Boys (All Grades) Casual Day Dress Code

Shirts: Boys may wear a loose-fitting FCS school tee shirt or solid-colored (not hooded) sweatshirt.

Pants: Boys may wear traditional style jeans. No baggy jeans or "skinny jeans" are allowed. They need to wear a belt and the pants must be worn at the waist.

Shorts: If shorts have been authorized by the administration for a particular activity, they must be full, knee-length, loose-fitting shorts, or as specified by the administration.

NOTE: All other items must conform to the Daily Dress Code.

Guidelines for Girls

Style: The choice of tops and bottoms for any day's outfit should take into consideration the style and color of each piece, making sure they coordinate. Purposeful clashing is not allowed. Oversized or undersized items are not acceptable.

Hair: Girls' hair must be a naturally occurring color, neat, clean, groomed, and out of their eyes. Girls may not wear hats in the building.

Accessories: Girls may not have more than 2 earrings per ear at school. No other body piercings are acceptable.

Appropriateness: Sloppy or inappropriate appearance is not permitted.

K5 – 12th Grade Girls Daily Dress Code

Skirts: K5 – 12th grade girls may wear loose-fitting uniform-style jumpers-or skirts. Hemlines must be *below their knees* when standing. To maintain modesty on the playground, we recommend that the elementary girls wear spandex style shorts under their jumpers and skirts. Girls must wear their skirts with the top of the skirt at the natural waist-line, not across the hips. If a skirt has belt loops, the girl needs to wear a belt. During cold weather, leggings may be worn under the girls' skirts.

NOTE: The school recommends that parents buy skirts that are longer than required to accommodate for growth during the school year.

Pants: K5 – 12th grade girls may wear loose-fitting, uniform-style khaki, black, or navy pants. Pants must be worn on the outside of any shoes or boots. For modesty, if a girl wears pants, her top needs to cover her hips.

Shorts: Only K5 – 5th grade girls may wear full, knee length, uniform-style khaki, black, or navy shorts appropriate for school. **6th -12th grade girls may not wear shorts.**

Shirts/Blouses: K5 – 12th girls may wear loose-fitting, solid colored, opaque (non-see through), buttoned up the front blouses with collars OR loose-fitting, solid colored, traditional style polo shirts with sleeves extending to the middle of the upper arm. No white blouses/shirts are permitted. In addition, no long sleeve shirts may be worn under a short sleeve shirts/blouses.

Shoes and Socks: K5 – 12th grade girls need to wear shoes and socks that are coordinated with their outfits. The shoes need to be closed-in, front and back. Pants may not be tucked into boots.

Jackets and Coats: The only outer garments permitted *in classes* are solid color sweaters or school issued jackets provided by FCS. (Order forms will be made available in the Spring.)

Girls (All Grades) Casual Day Dress Code

Tops: Girls may wear a loose-fitting FCS school tee shirt or solid-colored (not hooded) sweatshirt. For modesty, if a girl wears pants, her top needs to cover her hips.

Slacks: Girls may wear loose fitting jeans. No "skinny jeans" are allowed.

Shorts: If shorts have been authorized by the administration for a particular activity, they must be full, knee-length, loose-fitting shorts, or as specified by the administration.

NOTE: All other items must conform to the Daily Dress Code.



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K3-K4



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Guidelines for Girls

Style: The choice of tops and bottoms for any day's outfit should take into consideration the style and color of each piece, making sure they coordinate. Purposeful clashing is not allowed. Oversized or undersized items are not acceptable.

Hair: Girls' hair must be a naturally occurring color, neat, clean, groomed, and out of their eyes. Girls may not wear hats in the building.

Accessories: Girls may not have more than 2 earrings per ear at school. No other body piercings are acceptable.

Appropriateness: Sloppy or inappropriate appearance is not permitted.

K3 – K4 Girls Daily Dress Code

Skirts: K3 – K4 grade girls may wear loose-fitting dresses, jumpers, skirts, or split skirts. Girls in the K3 – K5 must have hemlines that come to the top of their knees. To maintain modesty on the playground, we recommend that the girls wear spandex style shorts under their skirts.

Shirts/Blouses: K3 – K4 grade girls may wear blouses that are loose fitting and modestly cut at the neckline.

Pants: K3 – K4 girls may wear loose-fitting pants. On the other hand, jeans are not allowed.

Shorts: K3 – K4 girls may wear knee length, shorts or skorts appropriate for school.

Shoes and Socks: K3 – K4 girls must wear flat coordinating shoes. Shoes need to be closed-in toes for safety. Socks also need to be coordinated with the child's outfit.

Jackets and Coats: Hoods may not be worn inside the school building.

Guidelines for Boys

Hair: Boys' hair must be neat, clean, groomed and out of their eyes. Hair must be cut so it does not touch the eyebrows, the ears, or the collar. Extreme hairstyles are not permitted. Facial hair must be trimmed and neat.

Accessories: Boys may not wear earrings or have other body piercings. Boys may not wear necklaces or hats in the building.

Appropriateness: Sloppy or inappropriate appearance is not permitted.

K3 – K4 Boys Daily Dress Code

Pants: K3 – K4 boys must wear nice looking, properly fitting jeans or slacks.

Shorts: K3 – K4 boys may wear knee length shorts appropriate for school.

Shirts: K3 – K4 boys may wear solid color tee shirts, button up the front shirts, or polo style shirts with long or short sleeves. Shirts must be buttoned to at least one button from the collar.

Shoes: Boys must wear closed-in shoes or boots.

Jackets and Coats: Hoods may not be worn inside the school building.