

HS Dress Code

Students are expected to comply with the dress code and parents are expected to monitor compliance before their children leave home. **Final authority regarding dress code interpretation rests with the administration and is not subject to appeal.**

Our ultimate goal is to focus on the heart of our students. To maintain a biblical emphasis and create an orderly learning environment, a student dress code has been established. It has three guiding principles: safety, modesty, and appropriateness for the event. Within these guiding principles, our dress code encourages students to show their originality and express who they are within the dress code guidelines.

Parents will be notified of dress code infractions and asked to bring dress code compliant attire for their student(s). After five uniform infractions the student will earn a detention. Please partner with us by reviewing your student's dress before he/she leaves home.

Dressing out for P.E.

- School approved physical education uniforms are permitted to be worn during PE only.
- Uniforms may be purchased through an online portal contracted by OCA.
- All students taking P.E. must change back into their school dress to transition from class to class unless P.E. is their sixth or seventh period class of the day.

Clothing with logos or slogans that push the envelope or are questionable.

Unfortunately, many brand names come up with slogans that push the envelope of appropriateness, (such as a hunting clothing line with the slogan "Bucked Up" on it, as an example). These items are not permitted to be worn at school. If you are unsure of the appropriateness, please discuss this with the assistant principal prior to wearing.

Please see chart on page 2.

High School	Approved	NOT Approved
Hats	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Baseball style (bill worn forward or backwards) • Beanies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Baseball style - cannot be worn sideways • Doo-rags
Hair Females & Males	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At the discretion of the parent/guardian 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If hair choices are disruptive to the educational environment, you will be asked to change your hair to alleviate the distraction.
Jewelry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Earrings - females only 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Should not be a distraction due to length, size, color, or quantity
Facial Hair (Males)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clean, neat, and trimmed at all times 	
Shirt Style	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OCA wear shirts • Polo shirts • Dress shirts or blouses (long & short sleeve) • T-shirts (OCA or your choice - MUST meet Academy standards) • Can be untucked • Straps - 3 finger width across and cover undergarments 	
Belts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optional 	
Pants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Capris (your choice of color/pattern) • Jeans (your choice of color/pattern) • Joggers (denim or uniform pant material ONLY) • Khakis and dress style pants 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No holes, rips, or tears • No sweatpants/athletic pant material
Dresses, Skirts, and Jumpers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bermuda-style length • Straps - 3 finger width across and cover undergarments 	
Footwear	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed toe and closed back shoes • Sandals and Crocs w/ closed backs/strap • Boots (Females - heels equal to or less than 3 inches) • PE approved tennis shoes or sneakers for PE ONLY 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slide-style shoes • Flip-flop style shoes • Any shoes without straps or backs
Outerwear	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jackets • Hoodies • Windbreakers • Cardigans 	
Misc.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tattoos must be covered at all times 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visible body piercings are not permitted during school hours • Sunglasses indoors
Professional Dress Day	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Required one day per month to encourage job related professionalism, no exceptions 	
Food Bank Day	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Denim jeans • Food bank t-shirt • Closed toed/ closed back shoes required (Safety 1st) 	
Dual Enrolled Students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must return to OCA in approved dress code apparel 	