

High School Dress Code 2011-2012

YOUNG MEN: All clothing must be modest, covering well and loose fitting, and not distract from learning.

Shirts with collars and sleeves, including turtlenecks and mock turtlenecks, are the basis for dress code. The shirt or an undershirt has to be tucked in at all times.

Sweaters: Choice of crew, v-neck or cardigan that must be worn over collared shirt.

Sweatshirts: Little Rock Christian sweatshirts or solid sweatshirts worn with collared shirt.

Pants: Pants must be worn at the waist (not below). Pants must not be noticeably oversized or tight, but fit properly. Corduroy is acceptable. No tears, rips, bleached stains or frayed hems. No jeans or look a-like jeans (we suggest slacks), athletic wear, “sleeping pants” or scrubs.

Shorts: Dress and casual shorts to no more than 2” above the knee – no athletic/sports shorts.

Shoes & Socks: Clean and neat. Shoes must be worn at all time while on campus.

P.E. Uniform: Little Rock Christian T-shirt, navy shorts and solid navy sweatpants.

Hair must be trimmed off the collar, out of the eyes as it naturally falls, and of natural color. No pony tails. No Mohawks or other styles that attract attention or are distracting. Certain ethnic distinctives will be considered when in line with a student’s heritage.

Additional: No hats, visors, hoods on the head or other head coverings. No visible tattoos. No visible body piercing. No facial hair or sideburns below the ears. No earrings or long chains. No lettering or messages on clothing.

YOUNG LADIES: All clothing must be modest, covering well and loose fitting, and not distract from learning.

Shirts with collars are the basis for dress code. The shirt or an undershirt has to be tucked in at all times. Shirts and blouses must have sleeves and at least two buttons. Blouses and shirts are to be modestly buttoned and covering cleavage.

Sweaters: Choice of crew, v-neck or cardigan that must be worn over collared shirt.

Sweatshirts: Little Rock Christian sweatshirts or solid sweatshirts worn with collared shirt.

Skirts or skorts hemmed to the knee or longer. No slits higher than the knee. If leggings are worn a skirt or dress must be worn and come to the knees.

Pants: Not noticeably oversized or too tight. No form fitting, stretch pants, jeggings, jeans or look a-like jeans (we suggest slacks), athletic wear, “sleeping pants” or scrubs. Corduroy is acceptable. No tears, rips, bleached stains or frayed hems.

Shorts: Dress and casual shorts to no more than 2” above the knee – no athletic/sports shorts.

Shoes & Socks: Clean and neat. Shoes must be worn at all time while on campus.

P.E. Uniform: Little Rock Christian T-shirt, navy shorts and solid navy sweatpants.

Hair must be natural color. No Mohawks or other styles that attract attention or are distracting. Certain ethnic distinctives will be considered when in line with a student’s heritage.

Additional: No spaghetti straps. No midriff or cleavage can be showing at any time. No hats, visors, hoods or other head coverings. No visible tattoos. No visible body piercing except the ears on females, which is limited to no more than two earrings per ear. No lettering or messages on clothing.

Students are expected to **dress modestly at any school-sponsored event**, such as trips, games, dances, no uniform days, etc. consistent with the spirit of the guidelines above. The administration will be glad to help with questions about specific wear. Dress always communicates something about us; please consider what it says. It should, at all times, be modest, appropriate for the situation, not distracting, and not bring undue attention to the wearer.

The **administration has the final word on a student’s dress for all school events** and reserves the right to change any of the dress code’s rules during the school year and to provide guidelines for events like dances. Any exceptions must be approved in advance by administration.

Elementary grades will have occasional, pre-announced **“No Uniform Days”**. For Middle School and High School, Friday is allowed as “No Uniform Day” providing dress code criteria has been met during the week. “No Uniform Day” standards emphasize modesty and appropriateness. Appropriate school wear includes no holes in jeans, no tight fitting clothing, no undershirts, no short shorts or skirts, no pajamas or scrubs, no tank tops or spaghetti straps, no hats, no inappropriate messages, labels, or symbols. Just like on uniform days, bare midriffs or revealing tops are unacceptable.