

Dress Down Day Guidelines

*Note: The overall intent of these guidelines is that dress should be modest and appropriate for any Christian young man or woman. **The final decision as to the appropriateness of clothing is at the discretion of the Upper School Principal.**

EARNING A DDP:

- Principal's Honor Roll (3)
- Honor Roll (1)
- Birthday (1)
- Race for Education (Based on donations received).

Students may wear:

- Jeans, cargo pants, khakis, BERMUDA shorts, capris, skirts, or dresses (appropriate length only)
- All clothing items can be no shorter **than 2" above the knee.**
- If young ladies choose to wear leggings with their shorts, skirts and dresses, their attire must still be of appropriate length (**not shorter than 2" above the knee**)
- Leggings alone are NOT sufficient bottoms
- Students may wear hoodies, however, hoods may not be worn at any time.
- **Students may wear athletic shorts and sweatpants. Shorts can be no shorter than 2" above the knee. Sweatpants may not have writing on the backside. Sweatpants must be loose-fitting – no leggings.**

Students may NOT wear:

- Pajamas or slippers
- Leggings as pants without short, skirt or dress covering (see statement above for specifics)
- Clothing with holes. Holes in jeans must have a "backing" and no skin can be showing.
- Tank tops or "muscle shirts"
- Bare midriffs/waistlines, including the back
- Any clothing with offensive or inappropriate words, suggestions or pictures
- Nothing overly tight or revealing
- Chains, other than necklaces, hanging from any part of the body
- No writing on the seat of the pants.
- No soccer sandals "slides" or flip flops, or Croc "slides"
- Ladies may not wear high heels higher than 2"
- No hats or caps

CONSEQUENCES

First Offense – A student will wait in the secondary office until a uniform is brought to school for him/her.

Subsequent Offenses – A student may lose the privilege of participating in dress-down days and/or receive further disciplinary action.