

## Dress Code

As part of a Christian community, we are called to respect one another and build up the body of Christ. One way to show respect to one another is in our clothing choices. Fashions and styles change constantly and sometimes it is difficult to ascertain what is appropriate and modest school attire. Please keep the following guidelines in mind as you shop for school clothing.

### Guidelines:

1. Clothes must be modest and appropriate for a learning environment. Be sure that attire does not detract from the learning process or focus on the individual instead of the tasks at hand.
  2. Students may wear sleeveless shirts. The straps should be three fingers wide at the collarbone. Spaghetti tops or cut/torn sleeves are not acceptable. Athletic jerseys may be worn with a T-shirt underneath. Girls should not wear tops that have are too tight, have a low neckline or show the midriff.
  3. Shorts are acceptable during the following months: August, September, October, April and May. The shorts should be appropriate for comfort and modesty. Shorts that reach the mid-thigh are an appropriate length. Cutoffs and pants with holes or tears are not acceptable.
  4. Since the temperature of any given day is variable, dress in layers. A comfortable body temperature assists students in learning.
  5. Extra clothes are required on PE days. Please do not wear these clothes to class.
4. Teachers and school personnel reserve the right to monitor apparel and make changes as necessary. All actions taken will be explained to the student and communicated to the parents.