



PCCA SCHOOLWIDE DRESS CODE 2018-2019

PCCA faculty, students and parents will dress in a manner that does not present a distraction to the learning environment and demonstrates Christ-honoring modesty. PCCA Administration has the final authority to decide the appropriateness of an outfit on campus and at all PCCA events.

HAIR:

Boys:

- Hair may not go below the bottom of the ear. It may not extend below the top of the polo shirt collar in the back and not below the eyebrows in the front. Bangs/hair should not go below the eyebrows if extended.
- Must be neatly trimmed and maintained. Man buns and pony tails are not permitted.
- Facial hair must be neatly trimmed and maintained (High School boys only).
- Hair color and cut must be conservative and natural-looking. Extreme styles are not permitted including tall hair styles or extremely bushy hair. Students needing a haircut must comply within two days.
- Hats, head coverings, bandanas, or scarves may not be worn on campus.

Girls:

- Hair should be neat and attractively maintained; hair color must be conservative and natural-looking.
- Hats may not be worn during the school day.
- Hats, head coverings, bandanas, or scarves may not be worn on campus.

JEWELRY/TATTOOS/ACCESSORIES:

- No student is permitted to wear piercing jewelry at any time on campus or at a school sponsored activity (with the exception of **pierced ears** for girls).
- Clothing accessories may not be added to the uniform shirt (i.e. tie, vest)
- No student is permitted to display tattoos of any size or type on campus or at any school sponsored activity. This includes temporary tattoos and other forms of body markings with marker.
- Boys are not allowed to wear makeup, fingernail polish, or color on their fingernails.
- Girls makeup should be natural looking. Extreme colors are not permitted.
- Gages are not permitted.
- Smart watches are not permitted.

TOPS: (Purchased through the school)

- All students must wear a PCCA shield logo uniform shirt. Gray, black, cardinal, or white solid short-sleeve t-shirt, long sleeve t-shirt, or polo with PCCA shield logo. Shirts must be tucked in at all times (excluding PE)
- Undershirts in PCCA uniform school colors only (gray, white, cardinal and black) may be worn under long or short sleeve shirts.
- Undershirts longer than the uniform top must be tucked in.
- Spirit shirts may be worn on Fridays.
- Tops that are worn untucked should not show any midriff when sitting, standing or raising hands.
- Tops should be buttoned appropriately with no cleavage showing.

BOTTOMS: (May be purchased from Eagle Exchange or retail store)

- Pleated or flat-front pants, capris and walking shorts for boys and girls in black, gray or tan/khaki. Yoga, athletic pants, spandex, sweatpants, jeggings, skinny pants, joggers or similar styles are not permitted.
- Girls may also wear black, gray, or tan/khaki skirts or skorts or plaid skorts (the plaid skort must be purchased from Eagle Exchange). Plaid jumpers may be worn in grades K3-5 with shorts underneath. Skorts option may be removed by semester break (December).
- Shorts may not fall below the bottom of the knee for boys.
- Skorts, skirts, shorts, or jumpers may be no more than 3" above the top of the knee for girls.
- All students must wear clothing with a proper fit (not too tight or too baggy) and in good condition (no holes, frayed edges, tears, marks or writing).
- No cargo bottoms (i.e. pocket on the side).

OUTERWEAR: (May be purchased through the school, from Eagle Exchange or retail store)

- Outerwear in solid school colors (black, white, cardinal or gray with small brand name logo no more than 3 inches) or PCCA spirit wear may be worn.
- Hoods may not be worn inside the buildings at any time.
- Jackets may be worn **outside** the building during cold weather in any color.

SHOES:

- Students may wear athletic shoes, boots or dress shoes. Athletic shoes must be worn for PE.
- Girls may wear dress sandals (closed-toe or open toe) and backless shoes in grades 6-12.
- Students in grades K3-5th must wear closed toe and closed back shoes. Velcro only shoes for preschool.
- Heels should be no more than one inch through elementary school.
- Flip-flops, Crocs, footwear that resembles slippers and toe shoes are not permitted.
- Light up shoes are not permitted in grades 6-12.

SOCKS/TIGHTS/LEGGINGS:

- Girls may wear **solid** colored leggings or tights in gray, white, cardinal, or black under uniform bottoms.
- Socks must fall below the knee.

SPIRIT DAYS, DRESS DOWN & DRESS UP DAYS

TOPS (SPIRIT DAYS):

- PCCA uniform top or PCCA spirit-wear (must be sized appropriately - nothing too tight fitting or oversized)

****TOPS/DRESSES (DRESS DOWN/DRESS UP DAYS):**

- No spaghetti straps, sleeveless shirts, tank tops, open backs or halter tops
- Must be sized appropriately (nothing too tight fitting or oversized)
- The shirttail of shirts worn untucked should not fall below the bottom of the front pockets on shorts/pants
- Girls tops that are worn untucked should not show any midriff when sitting, standing or raising hands
- May not promote anything other than Christian values

****BOTTOMS (SPIRIT DAYS, DRESS DOWN/DRESS UP DAYS):**

- Clean with no holes, tears or frayed edges; Capri jeans are allowed.
- Must be sized appropriately (nothing too tight fitting or oversized) - no jean leggings/jeggings
- Same length requirements as "regular" dress code
- Yoga, athletic pants, spandex, sweatpants, jeggings, skinny pants, joggers or similar styles are not permitted
- Sweatshorts, sweatpants, soffeas, athletic/basketball shorts are not permitted.
- Bottoms may not have writing across the backside.

****SHOES (SPIRIT DAYS, DRESS DOWN/DRESS UP DAYS):**

- No flip-flops, Crocs, slides, footwear that resembles slippers; no sandals for boys

****Every Friday will be a Dollar Dress Down Day for any student without disciplinary actions. Students may dress down following the above guidelines if they pay one dollar.**

DRESSY OCCASIONS
(HOMECOMING AND PROM)

Sleeveless, spaghetti strap, strapless and halter top dresses are acceptable as long as they are modest. Elementary students must wear a jacket or shrug. Dress length can be no more than 3" above the knee. Midriffs may not be showing. Plunging necklines (showing cleavage) and open backs (below the waist) are not permitted and are unacceptable. On a long dress, slit may not be more than 1" above the top of the knee. Boys' attire must be viewed by Administration as dressy and appropriate.