

# DRESS CODE & APPEARANCE EXPECTATIONS

Our outward appearance reflects our relationship with Christ. Students should follow HCA's mandatory dress code on campus and during field trips, except under special circumstances or as announced.

**Clothing must be neat, clean, and in good repair.**

## **GRADES KINDERGARTEN - 6**

**Travel Uniform:** Every child must have khaki pants or skirt, hunter green polo shirt, & brown leather belt all in good condition (not faded, holes, etc.). **The travel uniform MUST be worn when students go off campus for extracurricular activities and on Wednesdays for Chapel days.**

### **SHIRTS:**

- Polo or Oxford button-down: short or long sleeves, any plain, solid color, no brand emblem or logo.
- Shirts **MUST** be tucked in at all times.
- No spaghetti strap dresses.

### **PANTS/SHORTS/CAPRI/SKORTS:**

- Any style (flat-front, pleated, or cargo): khaki, navy, black, or grey.
- Shorts/skorts **MUST** be closer to knee than mid-thigh length. Judgement of appropriate length is at the school Administrator's discretion.
- Pants may not be worn below the waist.
- Leggings may only be worn under skirts/dresses, and must be solid color.

### **SKIRTS/JUMPERS/POLO DRESS:**

- Skirts & Jumpers: Khaki, navy, black, grey, green or any uniform plaid. **(Only styles in uniform catalog/website/store.)** **MUST** be closer to knee than mid-thigh length. Judgement of appropriate length is at the school Administrator's discretion.
- Dresses: any plain, solid color. No spaghetti strap dresses.

### **CARDIGAN SWEATERS, SWEATER VESTS, AND SWEATSHIRTS OVER POLO:**

- Any plain, solid color, ¼ zip up allowed.
- **No hoodies** may be worn during the school day.

### **BELTS: (ONLY GRADES 1 - 6)**

- Brown or black.
- **Must** be worn with any pants, shorts, and skirts with belt loops. Belt loops may not be removed.

### **SHOES:**

- **Must** have tennis shoes for P.E. Class.
- All other shoes are acceptable.

### **KNIGHTS \$1 DAYS: (STUDENTS BRING \$1 FOR MISSIONS.)**

- Every Friday.
- Street clothing, which follows modesty standards for the school.

### **SPIRIT GEAR:**

- Students are encouraged to wear team spirit gear on **certain** game/activity days. (We will alert you of these special days.) This includes attire to support a family member or close friend when they participate in an extracurricular event. Such gear includes Hugoton Eagle attire, any Hugoton Rec team attire, etc.

### **COATS AND JACKETS:**

- Coats and Jackets may not be worn in the classrooms without teacher approval.

### **CLOTHING CLOSETS:**

HCA keeps some clothing on hand. If you need any items feel free to use what we have. Please return those items that are clean and in good condition, and no longer needed.

### **GRADES 7 - 12**

Required dress code for grades 7-12 is **Business Casual**. Business casual dress includes slacks or khakis, dress shirt or blouse, open-collar or polo shirt, a dress or skirt at knee-length or below, and knit shirt or sweater. Various colors and/or patterns are acceptable. No spaghetti strap shirts or dresses allowed.

**Only on Knight's \$1 Day, are jeans acceptable.**

### **PERSONAL APPEARANCE:**

- Each student needs to follow basic hygiene: regular washing of bodies and hair; deodorant, if needed; daily brushing of teeth; daily brushing/combining of hair
- NO hair styles that cover the eyes
- NO body-piercing (except for ears)
- NO tattooing (this includes the fake toy variety)
- NO accessories (including nail polish) associated with the culture of gangs or darkness.

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