

DRESS CODE

WGCS believes that the bodies are temples of the Holy Spirit as referenced in I Corinthians 6:19-20. It is this truth that dictates our desire to have student attire that is modest and decent (I Timothy 2:9). Students are expected to dress modestly, neatly, and in good taste at all times.

At the same time, WGCS desires to afford some ability to be creative and unique in a student's style preferences as long as this can be done within the parameters of the dress code. The administration reserves the right to make determinations as to the acceptability of student dress not expressly covered in the Dress Code Guidelines.

WGCS does not allow any clothing or jewelry that contains any anti-Christian symbols, ties to occultism, inappropriate pictures, language, suggestive slogans, sexual or vulgar innuendos, or in any way goes against the faith and statement of beliefs of the school.

CLOTHING

****ALL clothing must be properly fitted and not revealing, without holes, frays, or rips.****

Monday through Wednesday

Tops –

- Any WGCS top
- Any collared polo-style or button up shirt (short or long sleeves) – MUST be buttoned up
- WGCS Hoodie

Bottoms –

- Khaki, Navy Blue, Black, or White slacks, shorts, skirts or skorts
 - Skirts and skorts – Length must not be shorter than 3” above knee cap
 - Shorts - Length must not be shorter than the longest finger tip

NOT ALLOWED:

Sweatpants, athletic pants/shorts, leggings, jeans, lounge wear, pajama bottoms, yoga/stretch pants

Dresses –

- Khaki, Navy Blue, Black, or White jumpers worn with collared polo-style shirt
- Collared polo-style knit dress (short or long sleeves)
- Dress length must not be shorter than 3” above knee cap
- Opaque leggings may be worn with the dresses that only reach fingertip length
- ONLY these “acceptable” style dresses are permitted Monday through Wednesday

Footwear –

- Any shoe, sandal, or boot in good condition.

NOT ALLOWED:

Flip flops, sports slides, athletic sandals, shower sandals, shoes with heels higher than 2”.

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Thursday (Chapel Day)

Girls –

- Dress or blouse & skirt with length not shorter than 3” above knee cap
- Dress or skirt with length to fingertip can be worn with opaque leggings
- Sleeveless dress/blouse if strap width is wider than 2 finger widths

NOT ALLOWED:

NEW -Pants of any kind including goucho and palazzo pants, strapless dress or blouse, tank top, commercial t-shirt, sweatshirt, or sweat jacket

Girls' Footwear –

- Flats, dressy sandals, Bobs/Toms, or dressy boots in good repair
- Heels must not be higher than 2”

Boys' Tops -

- Collared button up shirt (short or long sleeves)
- Neck Tie or Bow Tie - **REQUIRED**
- Shirts must be tucked in

Boys' Bottoms – Acceptable

- K-5th - Dress pants or shorts – any color
- 6-12th – Dress pants – any color
- Belts must be worn with any bottoms that have belt loops

Boys' Footwear – Acceptable

- K-5th - Soft-soled dress shoes
- 6-12th – Hard-soled dress shoes
- Dressy Dockers/Sperry type shoes and boots in good repair

NOT ALLOWED:

Vans, athletic shoes, sweatshirt, or sweat jacket

PE or Sports Activities –

- Loose-fitting shirt, shorts/pants
- Shorts must not be shorter than longest finger tip

Miscellaneous

- Girls may wear modest one piece bathing suits or a “tank” that covers the mid-section during any school sponsored outing that involves water activities
- Boys may wear swim suits during any school sponsored outing that involves water activities. Boys may not wear bikini brief swim suits.

Hats, hoods, and sunglasses are not to be worn in the school building at any time.

Tattoos must be covered at all times.

Earrings - Girls - Body piercing jewelry will only be worn in the ear. No other areas of the body should be visible with body piercing jewelry. NO gauge, spike, or other distracting earrings allowed.

Earrings - Boys – No earrings or body piercing jewelry may be worn.

Outerwear – Sweater, jacket, or WGCS jacket in good condition- **NO sweat jackets on Thursdays**

****In addition to the previously listed guidelines, any outfit that Walnut Grove Christian School deems to be inappropriate will need to be changed that day.**

DRESS CODE VIOLATION PROCEDURE

Teachers will note violations of dress code standards and will provide counsel and warning as necessary to students. The first dress code violation will be given a “grace”. All other violations of the dress code may necessitate a student remaining in the office until the parents bring a change of clothing or take the student home until the dress code is met. The resulting absences are unexcused. Areas of subjectivity are left to the discretion of the teachers and Administration.