

RECOMMENDED FIRST ASSEMBLY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL 2017-18 Dress Code for PreK and JrK

Personal appearance affords unmistakable evidence of the respect every person has for himself and the view others have of him. Neatness and modesty must be a priority in dress at First Assembly Christian School. PreK and JrK have a **recommended** dress code for the purpose of a non-competitive environment and for protection from the expense of replacing clothing damaged by a playground surface that may stain clothing.

The FACS School Board, faculty, staff and parents/guardians feel strongly that a dress code contributes to the disciplined environment of the school.

During the year there will be activities (e.g. dress up days, field trips, theme wear) that will call for exceptions. The teachers/administration will approve those exceptions prior to such events.

BOYS and GIRLS

PANTS / SHORTS: All items should be black, navy or dark in color. All pants/shorts must be worn near the waist. No patches, frayed hems, tears, or holes are allowed. Leggings for girls are permitted.

SHIRTS / SWEATERS: FACS issued or DENNIS-Larose Uniforms. T-shirts and/or polo style shirts are recommended.

JACKETS / COATS: Non-uniform jackets and coats worn to / from school and during outside recess are permissible. It is advisable to send non-dressy outerwear for playground activity.

SHOES: Black or dark shoes are recommended.

CHANGE OF CLOTHES: It is recommended that a change of clothes that stays in the classroom be chosen with the above guidelines in mind.

FIRST ASSEMBLY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

2017-18 Dress Code for Grades SrK - 6

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The FACS School Board, faculty, staff and parents / guardians feel strongly that a dress code contributes to the disciplined environment of the school. To enforce this policy, parents or guardians will be called to bring replacement items of clothing if a child is out of uniform. Your support is necessary for the successful implementation of a policy of this nature. Disciplinary action will be taken if the Dress Code is continually disregarded.

During the year there will be activities (e.g. field trips, Field Day) that will call for exceptions. The teacher(s) and/or Administration will approve those exceptions prior to such events.

BOYS

PANTS / SHORTS: All items must be purchased at DENNIS-Larose Uniforms. All pants / shorts should fit properly and must be worn near the waist. No patches, frayed hems, tears or holes are allowed.

SHIRTS / SWEATERS: All items must be purchased at DENNIS-Larose Uniforms. With the exception of PE class and recess, OXFORD shirts must be tucked in at all times.

JACKETS / COATS: During school hours, DENNIS-Larose Uniforms outerwear items and FACS issued outerwear that are black, white, green, and/or gold will be allowed in the hallways and classrooms. Non-uniform jackets and coats worn to / from school and during outside recess **cannot have writing or pictures nor be camouflage**. Additionally, designer logos on non-uniform jackets / coats should be the size of a credit card or smaller.

SWEATSUITS (SrK – grade 3 only): All items must be purchased at DENNIS-Larose Uniforms and be worn **ONLY AS A SET** (shirt / pants).

SHOES / SOCKS: Close-toed shoes must be worn with socks *at least* to the ankles, laces being tied. No skate shoes, toe shoes, flip-flops, athletic sandals or beachwear allowed. Socks must be the same color. Shoes must match.

HAIR: Traditional well-groomed hair should be above the collar and not obscure the eyebrows. No unusual hair color or special cuts are allowed. Proper hair length and color will be at the discretion of the Administration.

PE DAYS: Athletic shoes, suitable for use on the gym floor, must be worn.

NOTE: No hats, caps, fatigues, camouflage, tie-dye, sunglasses, visible body piercing or tattoos, chain chokers, Silly Bandz, chain wallets, chain belts, New Age jewelry, and satanic or other anti-Christian symbols.

GIRLS

JUMPERS / SKIRTS / KILTS/ SKORTS: All items must be purchased at DENNIS-Larose Uniforms and be **MODEST IN LENGTH (no more than 2 inches above the top of the knee)**. Additionally, shorts or solid colored leggings/tights should be worn underneath.

SLACKS / CAPRIS / SHORTS: All items must be purchased at DENNIS-Larose Uniforms. **When worn with VISIBLE belt loops, belts must be worn.** All slacks / capris / shorts should fit properly and must be worn near the waist. No patches, frayed hems, tears or holes are allowed.

BLOUSES / SHIRTS / SWEATERS: All items must be purchased at DENNIS-Larose Uniforms.

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SWEATSUITS (SrK – grade 3 only): All items must be purchased at DENNIS-Larose Uniforms and be worn **ONLY AS A SET** (shirt / pants).

SHOES / SOCKS: Close-toed shoes must be worn, laces being tied. No skate shoes, toe shoes, flip-flops, athletic sandals or beachwear allowed. If socks are worn, they must be the same color. Tights or leggings must be a solid color. Shoes must match.

HAIR: It is recommended that all accessories be purchased at DENNIS-Larose Uniforms, so as to match uniform colors. No unusual hair color is allowed. Proper hair color will be at the discretion of the Administration. Also, no feathers or Jamaican-type extensions are allowed.

PE DAYS: Athletic shoes, suitable for use on the gym floor, must be worn.

NOTE: No hats, caps, fatigues, camouflage, tie-dye, sunglasses, visible body piercing (other than one per ear) or tattoos, chain chokers, Silly Bandz, chain wallets, chain belts, New Age jewelry, and satanic or other anti-Christian symbols.



Parents / guardians can help a great deal by closely observing students when they leave home on school mornings. This will insure that more instruction time will be spent on the educational process at FACS.

DRESS CODE VIOLATIONS:

- ◆ Students may be asked to sit in a designated area until articles of clothing that are in dress code can be brought to the school by a parent / guardian, relative or friend.
- ◆ Class time missed will be unexcused and could affect daily grades.
- ◆ Repeated offenses may jeopardize continued enrollment.

FACS ADMINISTRATION WILL MAKE THE FINAL DETERMINATION ON THE MODESTY OR APPROPRIATENESS OF ALL CLOTHING AND ACCESSORIES WORN TO SCHOOL.

DRESS CODE ALLOWANCES

Throughout the year there will be pre-announced days when students will have exceptions to the daily uniformed attire. Below are guidelines for some of the exceptions.

Spirit Wear: *When FACS elementary announces Spirit Wear this only includes our brand on t-shirts or other garments designed by athletic and other clubs. As always if students have not purchased these shirts either in past years or in the current year, they can always wear a uniform shirt.*

Jeans Day: *Any FACS issued t-shirt may be worn with jeans. This includes spirit wear sold by booster clubs, PTF, or other organized FACS groups.*

Elementary athletic game days and other club performance days: *Athletic teams, drama group, and other clubs may have a t-shirt or uniform shirt that every team member purchases. On the day of the home games or performance activity, students involved may wear the team shirt with a uniform bottom.*

Classroom Dress-up Days: *Teachers will announce in advance any special dress that has been approved by the administration. Please follow the teacher's guidelines.*

Field Trips: *Most teachers order a class t-shirt for easy identification on field trips. You are encouraged to purchase this shirt in favor of other booster group t-shirts offered.*