



STUART HALL SCHOOL

Dress Code for Middle and Upper School Students

The purpose of the Stuart Hall dress code is to establish a standard level of professional dress in accordance with Stuart Hall's image and rich traditions while providing an opportunity for students to express their individuality and creativity. While Stuart Hall values students' self-expression through dress, students are responsible for maintaining a professional appearance in accordance with Stuart Hall's community standards.

In this context we provide the following guidelines:

Always Prohibited

- Bare feet, bedroom slippers, and flip-flops
- Pajamas and sleepwear
- Ripped pants and cut-off shorts
- Hats and head coverings (other than for religious reasons), and visors
- Excessively tight or form-fitting clothing, including Spandex, Lycra, and workout clothes
- Athletic clothing: tank tops, mesh shorts, yoga clothes, etc.
- Visible underwear
- Facial piercings
- Any clothing with writing other than small logos and Stuart Hall issued clothing
- Any clothing with explicit language, references to illegal activities, and sexual imagery, or other forms of obscenity

Dress Code Guidelines

Everyday Dress

Bottoms:

- All pants and shorts must be in good repair, clean, and without holes.
- A variety of colors is permitted, but traditional blue and/or faded denim jeans are prohibited. Other colors of denim pants are acceptable.
- Hem of shorts must be no more than 6" above the knee.

Tops:

- Tops and shirts must cover the waistband.
- All tops must be in good repair, clean, and without holes. NOTE: Non-collared tops are permitted provided they are in good repair, contain no writings or

images, and are in keeping with the Stuart Hall standard of a professional appearance.

- Sweatshirts, jackets, or sweaters with hoods, must be worn with the hoods down.

Dresses/skirts:

- Dresses and skirts must be no more than 6" above the knee.

Shoes:

- Shoes must attach securely to the foot around the heel.

Formal Dress

Ladies

- Dress, skirt or dress pants and blouse, with dress shoes in good repair. No sneakers.
- Dresses and skirts must be no more than 6" above the knee

Gentlemen

- Dress pants, collared dress shirt, tie, blazer, and dress shoes in good repair. No sneakers.
- A sweater may be worn in addition to or in replacement of a blazer.

Red/White Dress Days

- On these special days the same everyday dress guidelines apply with the exception that students are permitted to wear red or white Stuart Hall t-shirts.

Dress Down Days

In addition to Everyday Dress, traditional blue jeans or jean shorts in good repair are permitted on "Dress Down" Days.