



# Grand Island Christian School

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## K4 - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Dress Code

These general standards apply to all students, boys and girls, K4 - 8, unless otherwise specified. GICS asks parents to support the school by instructing their children in Christian modesty and appropriate dress because our personal appearance reflects on our Lord as well as on Grand Island Christian School.

A student's appearance must be neat, clean, and modest. Tight-fitting garments are not appropriate. Extremes are not appropriate in that they are a device either to gain undue attention or to challenge the commonly accepted standards of the school. The two key words in a student's appearance are modesty and neatness.

### **Boys & Girls:**

Upper: All shirts for both boys and girls must have a collar and be tucked in at all times unless they are made for wearing out. Turtle necks or short and long sleeve polo shirts are required. Colors are: black, white, yellow, navy, green, and wine. All outer wear worn in the classroom must be navy (e.g. sweatshirts, sweaters, vests, etc.)

Lower: All slacks should be properly fitted. Materials must be cotton blend (e.g. cotton/twill, cotton/polyester). No name brands may show on the pants. No double stitched seams, jean or corduroy materials. Shorts are to be no more than 4" inches above the knee.

Hats: Hats or caps may not be worn inside the school.

Shoes: Shoes of good repair must be worn at all times and shoelaces tied. For safety reasons, students may not wear beach-style flip flops, sandals, strapless shoes, or shoes that easily slip on and off.

### **Girls Only:**

Skirts/Skorts/Pants: Skirts are to be knee length or longer. Skorts and shorts are to be no more than 4" above the knee. Pants, Capri's, skirts, skorts, and shorts can only be worn in navy, khaki, or Dennis plaid. During extreme cold weather girls are allowed to wear solid color stockings or hose underneath skorts, skirts, jumpers, or dresses.

Shirts, Sweaters, Tops: Besides the navy outerwear, wine colored sweaters can be worn with Dennis plaid skirts.

Other: Girls may have ears pierced. Girl's hair must be clean, neat and worn in a manner to be kept out of the eyes. Make-up is limited to Junior High grades 7 & 8, light lipstick and mascara only.

### **Boys Only:**

Pants and shorts can only be worn in navy or khaki. Boys are not allowed to wear earrings. Boy's hair is to be cut neatly and always out of the eyes and not past the bottom of the collar of the shirt. No ponytails of any kind are allowed.

### **Chapel:**

Girls must wear a skirt or skort and boys are to wear belts for Chapel and promotionals.

***Academic Excellence Distinctively Christian***

Grand Island Christian School admits students of any race, color, and national or ethnic origin.