

Clarksville Academy Dress Code Guidelines

Students' dress should be **neat, clean, properly fitted**, and not disrupt the educational process. Below are specific guidelines for appropriate school day apparel. When in question of any of the stated guidelines,

please consult with your direct Head of School.

1. Dresses, shorts, and skirts must be fingertip length. Distressed clothing is permitted provided that no skin is visible above the fingertips. No gaping holes are permitted without leggings. *Effective 2022-2023*, no gaping holes will be permitted.
2. Jeggings/leggings/yoga-style pants may be worn with tops or dresses that fall at the midhigh only. At no time should skin be visible above the fingertip.
3. Students may wear sleeveless shirts provided the garment has two-inch straps and covers the front, side, and back completely.
4. Shirts must completely cover the midriff at all times. Low cut or off the shoulder clothing is not permitted.
5. At no time should any undergarment be visible. (i.e. compression shorts, bralettes)
6. During the school day, properly fitted and neat athletic clothing is permitted, with the exception of sweatpants, shorts above the fingertip length, compression clothing, swim trunks, and anything with open sides.
7. Shirts with logos, brands, or phrasing should be school appropriate and not contain offensive humor, weapons, profane language, or innuendo.
8. No caps, do-rags, hats/hoods, or sunglasses are allowed to be worn indoors during the school day.
9. Shoes must be worn at all times and be appropriate for the events and activities of the day.
10. Electronic headsets, earbuds, or other listening devices should not be in use during assembly, during class without teacher permission, or while walking around campus.
11. Facial hair should be kept neat, clean, and not be a distraction. 12. Only piercings in the ear/ears are permitted.
13. Hair should be clean, styled, and out of students' eyes. While modern hairstyles are acceptable, students' hair should never be a distraction to the school community (ie. hair dyed unnatural colors).

****Administration reserves the right to consult with any student on attire that is deemed inappropriate. After an initial warning, or for extreme violations, parents are expected to bring a change of clothes in order for the student to return to class.***