

2025-2026 Athens Christian Middle/High School Dress Code



BOYS AND GIRLS (Monday - Thursday):

- School uniform pants or shorts in khaki, gray, or black must be purchased through the uniform company. Girls can also wear skirts and skorts in khaki, gray, black, or plaid purchased from the uniform company.
***Pants, shorts, skirts and skorts must be worn at the natural waistline**
***Fitting guide - not too loose/not too tight**
- Uniform shirts must be worn
- Alterations must comply with dress code policies
- Sweatshirts and hoodies - (ONLY ACS logos/branded) No non-ACS sweatshirts or hoodies may be worn outside or inside during academic hours.
- Winter coats, jackets, and raincoats do not require a logo, but may not be worn inside the buildings.

Girls - Shorts, skirts, and skorts must be worn at a minimum of mid-thigh length. Students cannot roll up shorts or pants.

Boys - shirts must be tucked in at all times. Shorts must be purchased in the correct size and worn at a minimum of mid-thigh length.

PE: (Boys and Girls...6th-12th grade)

- Mandatory PE uniforms must be worn during all Physical Education classes
- May be purchased through the School uniform company
- An ACS logo/brand hoodie may be worn when outside on cold days. No other outerwear is permitted during physical education classes.
- Appropriate athletic (tennis) shoes must be worn at all times during Physical Education.

HIGH SCHOOL WEIGHT TRAINING: (Boys and Girls)

- Students participating in high school weight training will either purchase and wear a PE uniform or team-issued practice gear that is still in good repair.

FRIDAY OPTION:

- ACS spirit wear t-shirts may be worn with jeans and uniform bottoms (no distressing, rips, or holes). Cargo shorts are not allowed. Tops must be tucked in.

SHOES:

- Middle/High School students will wear closed-toe, school-appropriate footwear. Girls may wear sandals with backs. Students should avoid wearing casual-style shoes, including flip-flops, crocs, yeezys, bedroom-style slippers, and slides.

HAIR:

- Hair should be neatly groomed and styled (not in the eyes).
- Boys' hair should be out of the eyes, off the collar, and not lower than mid-ear.
- Hair restraints for boys are not permitted.
- Hair for both boys and girls must be of a natural hair color
- Boys must be clean-shaven

OTHER (boys and girls):

- No piercings (other than earrings for girls)
- No visible tattoos
- No hats, caps, or other head coverings during school hours
- No visible necklaces for boys

INFRACTIONS:

Proper dress code attire is considered a student's "ticket to class."

If a student is out of dress code at **any time of the day** the following will occur:

- Students will be sent to the Dean of Students or Principal with a Dress Code Note.
 - Students will correct the infraction with:
 - A phone call home requesting a proper uniform
 - A visit to the School Store to purchase the correct uniform *charges will be placed on the student's FACTS account (to be paid within 30 days)
 - The student will receive an excused tardy to the class they were redirected from.
- Demerits will be issued for dress code violations and the corrections listed above.

Extra-curricular activities: Students attending campus events as spectators should be dressed modestly and appropriately for the event they are attending. Examples of inappropriate attire include mid-drifts, cut-offs, shirts with cutouts, exposed underclothing, and students with no shirts. ACS administration reserves the right to ask students to change clothes or to leave the event if dressed inappropriately.