

Olympic Christian School
Student/Volunteer Dress Code
2022-2023

1. Purpose:

- We want our students/volunteers to dress in a manner that is honoring to the Lord.
1 Corinthians 6:19-20 “Do you not know that your bodies are temples of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you have received from God? You are not your own; you were bought at a price. Therefore honor God with your bodies.”
- We want our students to dress neatly, modestly and in good taste.
Luke 17:1 “Jesus said to his disciples: ‘Things that cause people to stumble are bound to come, but woe to that person through whom they come.’”
1 Peter 3:4 “Rather, it should be that of your inner self, the unfading beauty of a gentle and quiet spirit, which is of great worth in God’s sight.”

2. Acceptable Attire:

- **Pants** - Jeans, khakis, corduroy, dress pants & athletic pants.
- **Leggings 3rd-11th Grade** - Leggings that are opaque (not sheer or see-through) are allowed, but must have a top that covers one’s bottom.
- **Shorts** - Have a hemmed edge and must come down to the fingertips when standing with arms at side.
- **Shirts** - Cover midriff & any writing must not be dishonoring to the Lord. Sleeveless shirts must have a strap width that is at least three fingers wide with no undergarments showing.
- **Sweatshirts/Coats** - Any writing must not be dishonoring to the Lord. Hoods may be worn outside, but not in buildings.
- **Hats** - Any writing must not be dishonoring to the Lord. Hats may only be worn outside and on certain Spirit Days.
- **Hair** - Hair must be neat and clean.
- **Shoes** - Athletic shoes, dress shoes, sandals with heel straps, & boots.
 - Shoes must be worn the entire school day.
 - **PE Days:** athletic shoes must be worn during PE.

3. Dressy Attire Required on the following special events/days:

- **Picture Day, Speech Meet Events, Thanksgiving Chapel, Christmas Program, Science Fair Events, Good Friday Chapel, 8th Grade Graduation, and End of Year Awards Chapel.**
- **Boys** - Dress slacks and a collared shirt. Dress sweaters may be worn in lieu of a collared shirt. Ties are encouraged, but not required.
- **Girls** - Dresses or skirts that are knee length or longer. Leggings (non-see-through) are required if dresses/skirts are as short as fingertip length. Dress slacks and a blouse/sweater are allowed as well.

4. Encouraged Attire for Weekly Chapels:

- It’s encouraged for students to wear the above dressy attire to weekly chapels, but not required.

Unacceptable Clothing/Appearance that is Not Allowed:

- Pants** - Holes and rips higher than fingertip length, and see through leggings.
- Shorts** - Short-shorts, cutoffs, unhemmed edges, & biker shorts.
- Shirts** - Tank tops, spaghetti straps, midriff showing, & inappropriate writing.
- Dresses/Skirts** - Shorter than fingertip length & mini skirts without leggings.
- Hats** - Inappropriate writing on hats & wearing hats in buildings.
- Shoes** - Flip-flops & shoes without a heel strap.
- Pajamas** - Except on a special spirit day/class party, “pajama day.”