



Students' Dress for 2009-2010

BJES expects students to be neat and well groomed. Clothing size should be appropriate for the size for the child.

Any wording, pictures or symbols on blouses, shirts, notebooks, lunchboxes and other such items must be consistent with the biblical values and Christlike character that BJES seeks to instill in each student.

Students will not wear apparel or bring to school any item bearing the brand names or logos of *Abercrombie & Fitch* or *Hollister*.

If you have any questions concerning the appropriateness of an item, please contact the school administration.

BOYS

General

In the interest of neatness and appropriateness, we expect boys to wear belts with pants that have belt loops, to keep shirts buttoned, shoes tied, and to wear socks.

Body Markings

Temporary or permanent body markings such as tattoos, painting or similar symbols or inscriptions are not permitted.

Hair

Boys' hair should be cut so that the back is tapered and not over the collar or ears. In front, hair should not fall lower than one finger-width above the eyebrows. Hairstyles must be neatly combed and may not look spiked. Boys will not color or dye their hair.

Hats

Hats may be worn on the playground and on special occasions in the classroom. Special occasions will be defined by administration.

Jackets

Heavy weight jackets and sweatshirts are for outdoors and may not be worn in the classroom. Light weight sweaters and jackets may be worn in school.

Jewelry

Boys may not wear necklaces, bracelets or wristbands, except those identifying medical conditions. Boys may not wear earrings.

Pants

Slacks and jeans may be worn. Jeans may not be distressed, frayed or have holes. Sweat or wind pants, overalls and camouflage are not suitable as classroom dress.

Shirts

Boys in grades 3-6 must have shirts tucked in. Tank tops, sleeveless shirts, camouflage and cut-off shirts are not permitted.

Shoes

Tennis shoes may be worn. Sandals may be worn with socks. No backless shoes may be worn. Students may not wear shoes with wheels or rollers attached.

Shorts

For students in grades K4-3, modest length shorts may be worn. Jogging or athletic-type shorts are not suitable.

GIRLS

General

In the interest of neatness and modesty, we expect girls to dress appropriately in the classroom and on the playground.

Body Markings

Temporary or permanent body markings such as tattoos, painting, or similar symbols or inscriptions are not permitted.

Dresses, Skirts, Blouses, Shirts

Dresses and skirts must be no higher than the top of the knee when walking or standing. This includes slits or other openings.

Girls wearing lightweight or light-colored clothing should wear a camisole or slip.

Spaghetti strap sundresses, culottes, skorts and camouflage are not permitted at school.

Hairstyles

Hairstyles should be neat. A girl's hair should be kept out of her eyes.

Hats

Hats may be worn on the playground and on special occasions in the classroom. Special occasions will be defined by administration.

Jackets

Heavy weight jackets and sweatshirts are for outdoors and may not be worn in the classroom. Light weight sweaters and jackets may be worn in school.

Make-up, Nail polish and Jewelry

BJES does not encourage girls to wear make-up, nail polish or jewelry, but we recognize various parental views regarding these items. Girls are permitted to wear make-up, nail polish or jewelry that is in accord with our guidelines of neatness, modesty and appropriateness.

Pants

Tight, form-fitting pants (leggings) are not permitted at any time.

All girls may wear loose-fitting pants, capris or jeans that are not distressed, torn or frayed for physical education classes, Field Day and other designated activities.

Girls in grades 3-6 may wear P.E. type pants at recess.

Shoes

Tennis shoes may be worn. Sandals may be worn with socks. Students may not wear shoes with wheels or rollers attached.

Socks, Tights, Hose

Socks or footed tights must be worn with all style shoes. Girls in 5th and 6th grade may wear hose.