

Dress for Excellence

It has been noted in research that a school dress code such as the one adopted by JA positively impacts learning, behavior, and school pride. Thank you for your support of the Jefferson Academy's "Dress for Excellence" policy. **Our School Colors are RED, WHITE, and BLUE (navy and royal).**

Shirts:

- Have a collar (polo, button-up)
- Are solid in the color red, white, or blue (navy and royal blue are accepted; light blue and maroon are not school colors)

Pants, Shorts, Skirts, Jumpers, and Leggings:

- Are solid in the color khaki, red, white, navy blue, or royal blue
- Must be fingertip length or longer
- Belted pants are not required
- Wind pants and sweatpants **are NOT permitted**
- Jumpers must have a collared shirt underneath them
- Leggings in solid school colors must be worn under pants, shorts, skirts, or jumpers

Spirit Day Dress:

- Students may wear jeans, gym shorts, or wind pants in solid school colors
- Jeans with holes **are NOT permitted**
- T-shirts and sweatshirts in solid school colors or display a Jefferson spirit logo
- Dresses, shorts, and skirts must be fingertip length

Free Dress Day:

- Shirts or dresses with spaghetti straps, tanks, or halters and jeans with holes **are NOT permitted**
- Dresses, shorts, and skirts must be fingertip length

Please Note:

- Tennis Shoes are required on gym days.
- Patterned shirts and bottoms Are Not Considered dress code.
- Rolling book bags Are Not Permitted.
- Shoes with wheels in them Are Not Permitted.
- Headbands may be worn, but "animal headbands" (i.e. unicorns, cat ears, etc.) Are Not Permitted except on predetermined Hat Days.
- No hoods are allowed to be worn in the building.
- The clothing closet may be utilized to help students fulfill the dress code.