

# 2023-2024 Full Armor Christian Academy Dress Code

The school dress code applies to all Full Armor students on campus and at school-related events, As a Christian, we must concern ourselves with our appearance. By our dress, we represent the feelings and thoughts of our hearts. This being the case, our clothing and the way we wear it, should represent our desire to please and honor God.

Key items to the FACA dress code are: neatness, modesty, and not drawing attention to one's self. On occasion, there very well could be situations where something not listed may have to be brought to the attention of the student. It is the parent's responsibility to be familiar with the dress code and to ensure that their children are in compliance each day.

All items should be maintained in clean and presentable condition without tears, excessive stains, or obvious disrepair. Additional dress days are designated by faculty and/or administration. It is important to note that if any questions arise, on any issue, the decision of the administration prevails.

## **Pre-K4- Kindergarten Girls' Daily Attire:**

- Khaki or navy uniform shorts, pants, skirts, skorts, or jumpers
- Polo-style shirt (long or short sleeves)- solid colors- FACA logos or 1"x1" store logos are acceptable. Practice keeping shirts tucked in, however, Pre-K4 and Kindergarten are not yet required to keep shirts tucked
- Brown, black, khaki, or navy belt, if wearing, but Pre-K4 and Kindergarten are not required to wear belts
- Closed-toe shoes, dress flats, dress/cowboy boots, athletic shoes, or Ked-style shoes
- FACA-approved hoodie, sweater, pullover, or cardigan
- Solid hunter green hoodie, sweater, pullover, or cardigan

## **Pre-K4- Kindergarten Boys' Daily Attire:**

- Khaki or navy uniform shorts or pants
- Polo-style shirt (long or short sleeves)- solid colors- FACA logos or 1"x1" store logos are acceptable. Practice keeping shirts tucked in, however, Pre-K4 and Kindergarten are not yet required to keep shirts tucked
- Brown, black, khaki, or navy belt, if wearing, but Pre-K4 and Kindergarten are not required to wear belts
- Closed-toe shoes, dress shoes, cowboy boots, or athletic shoes
- FACA-approved hoodie, sweater, pullover, or cardigan
- Solid hunter green hoodie, sweater, pullover, or cardigan

### **1st- 8th Grade Girls' Daily Attire:**

- Khaki or navy uniform shorts, pants, skirts, skorts, or jumpers
- Polo-style shirt (long or short sleeves)- solid colors- FACA logos or 1"x1" store logos are acceptable. Shirts must be tucked in at all times
- Brown, black, khaki, or navy belt
- Closed-toe shoes, dress flats, dress/cowboy boots, athletic shoes, or Ked-style shoes
- FACA-approved hoodie, sweater, pullover, or cardigan
- Solid hunter green hoodie, sweater, pullover, or cardigan

### **1st- 8th Grade Boys' Daily Attire:**

- Khaki or navy uniform shorts or pants
- Polo-style shirt (long or short sleeves)- solid colors- FACA logos or 1"x1" store logos are acceptable. Shirts must be tucked in at all times
- Brown, black, khaki, or navy belt
- Closed-toe shoes, dress shoes, cowboy boots, or athletic shoes
- FACA-approved hoodie, sweater, pullover, or cardigan
- Solid hunter green hoodie, sweater, pullover, or cardigan

### **Pre-K4- 12th Grade Chapel and Field Trip Attire:**

- Girls- Khaki shorts, pants, jumpers, skirts, or skorts
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- Hunter green polo shirt (tucked in)
- Brown, black, khaki, or navy belt
- Closed-toe shoe, dress flat, dress/cowboy boot, athletic shoe, or Ked-style shoe
- FACA-approved hoodie, sweater, pullover, cardigan, or letter jacket (MUST be in uniform underneath)

### **Pre-K4- 12th Grade Spirit Day Attire:**

- Blue jeans (no holes), uniform shorts or pants (No blue jean shorts)
- FACA-approved spirit t-shirt or uniform polo shirt. MUST be tucked in
- Brown, black, khaki, or navy belt
- Closed-toe shoe, dress flat, dress/cowboy boots, athletic shoe, or Ked-style shoe
- FACA-approved hoodie, sweater, pullover, cardigan, or letter jacket
- Solid hunter green hoodie, sweater, pullover, or cardigan

### **9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls' Daily Attire:**

- Blue jeans (no holes) or khaki or navy uniform shorts, pants, skirts, skorts, or jumpers (No denim shorts, skirts, skorts, or jumpers)
- Polo-style shirt (long or short sleeves)- solid colors- FACA logos or 1"x1" store logos are acceptable. Shirts MUST be tucked in at all times
- Brown, black, khaki, or navy belt
- Closed-toe shoes, dress flats, dress/cowboy boots, athletic shoes, or Ked-style shoes
- FACA-approved hoodie, sweater, pullover, or cardigan
- Solid hunter green hoodie, sweater, pullover, or cardigan

### **9<sup>th</sup>- 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys' Daily Attire:**

- Blue jeans (no holes) or khaki or navy uniform shorts or pants (No jean shorts)
- Polo-style shirt (long or short sleeves)- solid colors- FACA logos or 1"x1" store logos are acceptable. Shirts MUST be tucked in at all times
- Brown, black, khaki, or navy belt
- Closed-toe shoes, dress shoes, cowboy boots, or athletic shoes
- FACA-approved hoodie, sweater, pullover, or cardigan
- Solid hunter green hoodie, sweater, pullover, or cardigan

### **General Guidelines for All:**

#### **Outerwear**

- All FACA-approved logo jackets, letter jackets, sweaters, sweatshirts, pullovers, and hoodie are allowed to be worn on campus, in the classroom, and all school-related events. However, absolutely NO hoods are to be worn inside the buildings or classrooms at any time. Instant Obedience is required- hoodie will be retrieved from student with first offense against hood policy. Failure to comply will result in the complete loss of the privilege of wearing any hoodie, hooded jacket or hooded sweatshirt
- Solid hunter green jackets, sweaters, pullovers, sweatshirts, cardigans, and hoodies may also be worn on campus, in the classroom, and all school-related events. However, absolutely NO hoods are to be worn inside the buildings or classrooms at any time. Instant Obedience is required- hoodie will be retrieved from student with first offense

against hood policy. Failure to comply will result in the complete loss of the privilege of wearing any hoodie, hooded jacket or hooded sweatshirt

- All other outerwear may only be worn to and from outdoor classes or while on the playground
- Students MUST be in uniform compliance underneath any outerwear

## **Shirts**

- All shirts-polo or spirit t-shirts- MUST be tucked in at all times (does not apply to Pre-K4 and Kindergarten)
- Undershirts and tanks must be solid white, navy, gray, nude, or black with no visible writing
- Spirit t-shirts must be FACA-approved and cannot be homemade or purchased outside of school-supported sales

## **Bottoms**

- Shorts and pants must be worn above or at the hips
- No inappropriately tight jeans or pants (skinny jeans), bell-bottom-style pants or jeans, jeggings or leggings worn as pants, athletic shorts, warm-ups, or jeans with rips, holes, frays, or tears
- Shorts, skirts, skorts, and jumpers must be no more than 3" from the top of the knee
- Modesty shorts or tights must be solid white, navy, gray, khaki, or black with no visible writing and must be worn when wearing skirts or jumpers

## **Footwear**

- No sandals, flip-flops, Crocs, shoes with wheels or lights, house shoes/slippers, or skeletoes may be worn at any time
- Knee-high socks are permissible when wearing skirts or dresses, but must be solid white, khaki, navy, hunter green, black, or gray
- Socks must be a solid color and no taller than a crew sock (mid-calf)

## **Headgear**

- Hats, beanies, caps, or any other headgear, INCLUDING HOODS, may not be worn during school hours. Failure to comply with hood regulations will result in the removal of the privilege of wearing any hoodie, hooded jacket, or hooded sweatshirt
- Hair will be of natural colors and must be neat and properly groomed. Unusual or extreme hairstyles, including, but not limited to- vibrant colors, multiple level shaving- are not acceptable

- Boys' hair should not be longer than the top of the collar and the middle of the ear, and should not cover the eyes
- Boys' facial hair of any kind is not permitted
- Girls' hair should not cover the eyes (should be pulled back with clips or bows)
- Bows and headbands will be solid colors unless otherwise approved by administration for class parties or events

## **Accessories**

- Piercings are permitted for **girls only**- one per lobe for grades Pre-K4- 5<sup>th</sup>; two per lobe for grades 6<sup>th</sup>- 12<sup>th</sup> . No facial piercings allowed.
- No gauges
- Natural makeup permitted for 6<sup>th</sup>- 12<sup>th</sup> grade girls only
- Modest, non-distracting jewelry may be worn
- Tattoos (permanent or temporary) must be covered during school and while attending all school-sponsored events