

ACA Dress Code

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Purpose: Augustine Christian Academy is a workplace for students as well as teachers. Students should dress in a way that demonstrates an attitude of work, and a commitment to goodness, truth, and beauty. Augustine Christian Academy will strive to limit confusion in enforcing the dress code and uniform policy. To help us be consistent in our dealings with the issue of uniforms, the following guidelines will be implemented with regard to dress code and uniform infractions.

Uniform Code	Boys Elementary	Boys Secondary
Hair/Accessories	Only natural hair colors and no outlandish styles. Must be kept cut above the collar, above the middle of the ear and above the eyebrows. Hair must be off of the face and styled behind the ears. No body piercing jewelry allowed.	Only natural hair colors and no outlandish styles. Must be kept cut, above the collar, above the middle of the ear and above the eyebrows; Hair must be off of the face and styled behind the ears. Sideburns may not pass the middle of the ear. No facial hair, including stubble. No body piercing jewelry.
Pants & Shorts	Navy or golden khaki pants (no white, rust or greenish khaki). No patch, flap, or cargo style pockets, no low-rise. Shorts must be longer than 6" from the floor when kneeling.	Navy, Black or Golden Khaki dress pants or uniform style shorts (no white/rust/greenish khaki). Must be relaxed fit pants. No patch, flap, or cargo style pockets, low-rise, skinny fit, ankle fit or bell bottom styles.
Shirts	White oxford, short or long sleeve allowed. Navy or white polo from C&J with school monogram. Must be tucked in at all times	Navy or white polo from C&J with school monogram. White oxford, short or long sleeve allowed. (All shirts must be tucked in and 1 button open only)
Tie	N/A	High Convocation - Brigade of Guards tie from C&J or house tie if Rank 2 or above. Only worn on oxfords, buttoned to the top and tied properly.
Sweater/Blazer	Navy blue school sweater- optional	Solid Navy blue sweater or vest (HS)- navy blue school blazer with logo patch. (JH)- navy blue school sweater
Outerwear	Official school fleece with logo	Official school fleece with logo
Shoes	Black, gray, brown, navy or white only, closed toes. No boots, sandals or backless shoes	Only Navy, gray, black, brown and white closed toed shoes. No boots, sandals, backless, high top shoes (Not above ankle). Dress Shoes
Socks	Only black, gray, brown, navy or white	Only black, gray, brown, navy or white
Belt	Black, gray, brown, white or navy	Black, gray, brown, white or navy
House Rank Pin	N/A	If earned rank, Rank Pin worn on the left side of the blazer.

Uniform Code	Girls Elementary	Girls Secondary
Hair/Makeup/ Accessories	Only natural hair colors. May wear make-up discreetly and tastefully. No body piercing jewelry except one pair of earrings.	Only natural hair colors; No ombre, two toned, or outlandish styles; If cut above the collar must be approved prior to cut. May wear make-up discreetly and tastefully. No body piercing jewelry except one pair of earrings.
Skirts, Jumpers, Pants & Shorts	Navy or golden khaki skirts, pants or jumpers (no white, rust or greenish khaki). Skirts/Jumpers may also be the school plaid. No skorts (shorts in rear and skirt in front), no patch, flap, or cargo style pockets. Skirts may have shorts built in under them.	Navy, Black or golden khaki skirts, dress pants or uniform style shorts (no white, rust or greenish khaki). Skirts may also be the school plaid. No skorts, no patch, flap, or cargo style pockets, no low-rise. Pants must be relaxed slack fit. No pixie/ankle cut, skinny cut, spandex, capri or bell bottom styles.
Shirts	White oxford, short or long sleeve allowed and may have Peter Pan collar. Navy or white polo from C&J with school monogram. Must be tucked in at all times (1 button open only)	Navy or white polo from C&J with school monogram. White oxford, short or long sleeve allowed. (All shirts must be tucked in and 1 button open only)
Tie	N/A	High Convocation Optional- Brigade of Guards tie from C&J or house tie if Rank 2 or above. Only worn on oxfords, buttoned to the top and tied properly.
Sweater/Blazer	Navy blue school sweater - optional	Solid Navy blue sweater or vest (HS)- navy blue school blazer with logo patch. (JH)- navy blue school sweater
Outerwear	Official school fleece with logo	Official school fleece with logo
Shoes	Black, brown, gray, navy or white only, closed toed and no boots, sandals or backless shoes	Black, brown, gray, navy or white only, closed toed; Heels no more than 2", No boots, sandals, backless, or high top shoes (Not above ankle) Dress Shoes
Socks & Leggings	Black, brown, gray, navy or white only. Leggings/Hose and Tights must be a solid color and material (no patterns)	Black, brown, gray, navy or white only. Leggings/Hose and Tights must be a solid color and material (no patterns)
Belt	Black, gray, brown, white or navy	Black, gray, brown, white or navy
House Rank Pin	N/A	If earned rank, Rank Pin worn on the left side of blazer.

Augustine Christian Academy has chosen to go with a school dress code and uniform for the following reasons:

1. To build a sense of unity;
2. To avoid the constant struggle of deciding what "individual styles" may be appropriate at school, and;
3. To maintain a sense of modesty for Augustine Christian Academy and neatness in our dress.