

## DRESS CODE

**PHILOSOPHY:** The GAP Program strives to maintain a standard of dress that communicates modesty and discretion without magnifying or bringing undue attention to the individual. Because of this desire and in keeping with an academic and highly-disciplined environment, the GAP Staff has discretionary authority on matters of acceptable or unacceptable clothing while students are enrolled in the GAP Program. We do not believe that clothes automatically make a believer holy. However, we do believe that modesty is a matter of biblical principle, and that discipline in the area of acceptable dress is a necessary part of life preparation regardless, of a student’s future plans.

	Men’s Dress Code	Women’s Dress Code
<b>General</b>	As leaders on the campus, it is important that the male student set the pace by adhering to the detailed dress code. The men should make a special effort to be modest in their dress and not wear clothes that draw attention to themselves. No short or excessively tight fitting clothes should be worn.	In presenting a feminine appearance, modesty is a key of vital importance. Women should not wear tight form fitting clothing of any kind, low necklines or “see-through” tops at any time. Skirts or dresses should not be shorter than the middle of the knee when standing. Slips are to be worn when wearing a skirt or dress. Slits in dresses or skirts must meet the middle of the knee. Sleeveless tops should be modest. Shoulder straps should be at least 3 fingers in width.

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<b>Class Dress &amp; Ministry Dress</b>	<p><i>Overall Appearance should be neat &amp; clean.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Casual pants such as khakis, corduroys, jeans or cargo pants, shorts are acceptable.</li> <li>Casual shirts</li> <li>Casual shoes or sandals</li> <li>Neat fleeces or jackets are permitted as the temperature dictates.</li> </ul> <p><b>Not Permitted:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tattered or torn pants</li> <li>Bare feet</li> <li>Mismatched clothing</li> <li>Bandanas or hats</li> <li>No pajamas or sleepwear</li> </ul> <p>*This may vary depending on ministry event</p>	<p><i>Overall Appearance should be neat &amp; clean.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Casual pants, capris, skirts or long (Bermuda Style) shorts, no shorter than a palm width above the knee.</li> <li>Casual tops</li> <li>Casual shoes which include sandals or flip-flops.</li> <li>Neat fleeces or jackets are permitted as the temperature dictates.</li> </ul> <p><b>Not Permitted:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tattered or torn pants</li> <li>Spaghetti straps, tank tops &amp; off-the-shoulder shirts.</li> <li>Bare feet</li> <li>No pajamas or sleepwear</li> <li>No words or logos across the butt of pants</li> </ul> <p>*This may vary depending on ministry event</p>

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<b>Hair</b>	<p><i>Please consult the Director before you make any drastic changes in style as they reserve the right to ask students to make any necessary adjustments.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Haircuts should be traditional &amp; conservative.</li> <li>• Hair is not to hang down over the eyes, ears or top of the collar.</li> <li>• Students are not allowed to bleach or color their hair other than a natural color.</li> <li>• "Mohawks" are not permitted.</li> <li>• Sideburns should not be longer than the bottom of the earlobe.</li> <li>• Mustaches &amp; Beards, if worn, must be neat and trimmed.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hairstyles should reflect a feminine appearance and should not be distracting.</li> <li>• Extreme styles and coloring (other than the realm of natural colors) are not allowed.</li> </ul>
<b>Jewelry</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Earrings, body-piercing, tongue rings and/or body modifications are not permitted at any time during enrollment in the GAP Program.</li> <li>• Bracelets are allowed provided they are neat.</li> <li>• Students are <b>not permitted to be tattooed</b> at any time during their enrollment.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Four earrings per ear are the maximum number allowed.</li> <li>• Body piercing, tongue rings, and/or body-modification are not allowed and jewelry resulting from body piercing should be removed.</li> <li>• Students are <b>not permitted to be tattooed</b> at any time during their enrollment.</li> </ul>
<b>Formal Dress (Church)</b>	<p><i>Appearance should be neat, clean &amp; unwrinkled.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dress pants/slacks</li> <li>• Dress Shirt, Tie</li> <li>• Dress Shoes, Socks</li> </ul> <p><b>Not Permitted:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cargo pants and jeans</li> <li>• Bandanas or hats</li> <li>• Miss matched clothing</li> </ul>	<p><i>Appearance should be neat, clean &amp; unwrinkled.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dresses or skirts</li> <li>• Tops or Sweaters</li> <li>• Dress shoes or dress sandals</li> </ul> <p><b>Not Permitted:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Casual sandals, flip-flops</li> <li>• Cargo skirts, denim skirts,</li> <li>• Denim jackets or hats</li> <li>• Miss matched clothing</li> </ul>

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<b>Casual Dress (Free Time)</b>	<p><i>Neatness and modesty are very important.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jeans</li> <li>• Shorts must be long enough to reach the extended fingertips.</li> <li>• Tank Tops and T-shirts should not be tight or excessively loose fitting around the arms.</li> <li>• Anything torn or tattered is not to be extreme and must be modest.</li> </ul>	<p><i>Neatness and modesty are very important.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jeans</li> <li>• Shorts must be no shorter than the palm width above the knee.</li> <li>• Tank tops must be layered.</li> <li>• Anything torn or tattered is not to be extreme and must be modest.</li> </ul> <p><b>Not Permitted:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No boxer shorts, cutoffs or midriff are allowed.</li> </ul>
<b>Swimwear</b>	<p><i>All swimsuits must be modest!</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fingertip length - not tight fitting.</li> <li>• Shirts must be worn to and from swimming and sunbathing areas.</li> </ul>	<p><i>All swimsuits must be modest!</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• One-piece</li> <li>• Cover-ups and shorts must be worn to and from swimming and sunbathing areas.</li> </ul> <p><b>Not Permitted:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• French-cut styles</li> <li>• Tankinis</li> <li>• No strapless</li> </ul>
<b>Athletic Wear</b>	Appropriate, modest, activity specific dress is expected	Appropriate, modest, activity specific dress is expected
<b>Misc</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bicycle shorts (lycra spandex) may be worn underneath shorts that meet the finger-tip length rule.</li> <li>• Shoes are required at all times.</li> <li>• Undershirts are not to be worn except as an undergarment.</li> <li>• Flannel pajama style pants should not be worn outside the dorm.</li> <li>• Men's pants must be worn at the natural waistline.</li> <li>• Underwear must be covered!</li> <li>• Clothing which displays inappropriate messages including that which contradict the philosophy, goals and spirit of SCORE Intl. (i.e., music groups, etc) and controversial issues should not be worn.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bicycle shorts (lycra spandex) may be worn underneath shorts that meet the finger-tip length rule.</li> <li>• Shoes are required at all times.</li> <li>• Flannel pajama style pants should not be worn outside the dorm.</li> <li>• Clothing which displays inappropriate messages including that which contradict the philosophy, goals and spirit of SCORE Intl. (i.e., music groups, etc) and controversial issues should not be worn.</li> <li>• Extremes in fashion and hairstyle, as well as an unkept or sloppy appearance, will be discouraged, addressed and considered inappropriate. Our goal is to represent and reflect our Savior while pointing all to Him in every area.</li> </ul>