



## Cleveland Preparatory Academy

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### **Dress Code is as follows:**

**PANTS** – Dress slacks only – No denim (blue jean material), skinny pants or sweat pants. Long pants only. No shorts - even in the summer. Belt loops on the pants are mandatory.

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**SHIRTS** – Dress shirts. All shirts must be fully tucked in and buttoned to the top, according to school policy. \*School administration should be consulted for specific school attire reflective of the school, the school mascot and school colors that may be acceptable pieces of the uniform for scholars.

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**SOCKS** –Solid socks must be worn. \*School administration should be consulted for specific school attire reflective of the school, the school mascot and school colors that may be acceptable pieces of the uniform for scholars.

**SHOES** – Solid black, white or mix of black and white shoes ONLY! \*School administration should be consulted for specific school attire reflective of the school, the school mascot and school colors that may be acceptable pieces of the uniform for scholars.

**BELTS** – Solid belts– The buckle should be small and should not say anything. MANDATORY - The pants must have belt loops.\*School administration should be consulted for specific school attire reflective of the school, the school mascot and school colors that may be acceptable pieces of the uniform for scholars.

**JEWELRY** - Scholars are permitted to wear studs for earrings (one per ear) and wristwatches are permitted; otherwise no other jewelry (including body piercing jewelry) of any kind, is permitted.

**TATTOOS** - Fake or Real – Are considered inappropriate and are unacceptable.

**HAIR**- The style is a parenting decision but the inclusion of items into the hair must meet the following restrictions; the items may not be removed for any length of time during the day. The item must be very secure and if the beads or other small items begin to fall the student will be asked to remove the rest, place them in a bag and take them home. If the hair includes any items or symbols that can be interpreted as advocating anything the item must be removed. Students may not groom themselves at school.

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Hairbrushes, combs and other items used outside of the restroom will be confiscated. Only the natural hair color is allowed.

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Hairbrushes, combs and other items used outside of the restroom will be confiscated. All students must wear their natural hair color. This means no bright reds, purples, blondes, or other colors that completely contrast the natural hair color of the student will be permitted.

KEYCHAINS - The keychain should be under the shirt, in the pocket completely. The keys or chain should never be visible at school.

MAKEUP - No makeup of any kind is permitted including glitter. Even bringing the items unopened and unused is grounds for disciplinary action. All lotions and lip balm must be applied in the restrooms and not during instruction.

UNDERCLOTHES - Any underclothing that can be seen including but not limited to, boxers, briefs, white tees, sleeveless undershirts, is grounds for suspension. All underclothes should stay under the clothing of the child at all times.

SWIMSUITS - All swimsuits must be pre-approved by an administrator. OTHER - All other items must be authorized in writing by the Principals.

During enrollment, parents must sign a contract stating that they understand that no child may ever be out of uniform without written permission from the school for any reason. There is no valid excuse for students to come to school without being fully compliant with the dress code.

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### Physical Education Class Dress Code

All grades: Tennis shoes must be worn on scheduled physical education days.

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