

## **Dress for Success at Zeta**

#### Why does our dress code matter at Zeta?

At Zeta, families entrust us with their students every day. Maintaining a high level of professionalism demonstrates to families that we take this responsibility seriously and are deserving of their trust. Professional attire sends a visual message to our families, our students, and others that we are trustworthy professionals. Our students show up each day in uniform, ready to learn. Likewise, as adults at Zeta, we must be role models for our students at all times, including in our attire.

#### What is our general dress code at Zeta?

Our general dress code is **business casual**, as defined in greater detail below. Note that all teammates are expected to follow professional dress during remote days as well.

Meets our Dress Code	Does not Meet our Dress Code
Professional-looking trousers, dress pants, dress skirts, dress shirts (ties optional), blouses, sweaters, dresses, suits, polos, sports coats or an official Zeta polo shirt or jacket	Any type of tight or revealing clothing: skirts or dresses that are higher than 2 inches above the knee; spaghetti straps; strapless, low-cut, or midriff-baring tops or dresses; sheer clothing; immodest necklines
<ul> <li>Dress shoes and dress socks are the standard footwear.</li> <li>Heels or dress shoes (including flats) are appropriate.</li> <li>Note that when touring / shadowing / working in our schools, single-color sneakers are acceptable</li> </ul>	Jeans; leggings; shorts; sweatpants  Denim; sweatshirts; clothing with rips or tears; T-shirts  Flip-flops or open-toed sandals



# **DO WEAR**



**Dresses** 



Suits



**Dress Pants** 



**Skirts** 





**Dress Shirts (Optional Ties)** 



**Sports Jackets** 



**Polos** 



**Blouses** 



**Professional Shoes** 

# **DON'T WEAR**











**Jeans or Shorts** 

**Short Dresses or Mini Skirts** 





**Leggings or Yoga Pants** 

**T-shirts** 



Stained/Frayed/Torn **Clothing** 





**Sweatsuits or Hoodies** 



Denim





**Open-toed Shoes** 



## **Dress Down Days**

Dress down days (e.g., Spirit Days) are fun for all! However, even on dress down days, it is important to look professional. Think of dress down days as the ability to wear neat jeans (no holes or significant fraying), but you should still have a professionally acceptable top (e.g., blouse/button down shirt or polo) and appropriate shoes (dress shoes or sneakers). If you are able to go straight to the gym or yoga in your outfit, it would not be appropriate.

### **DO WEAR**



**Casual Pants (Neat Jeans, Chinos)** 



**Dresses or Skirts** 





Casual Shirts (Polos, Button-downs, Blouses)





Appropriate Shoes (Dress Shoes or Solid-colored Sneakers)

### **DON'T WEAR**



**Athleisure** 



**Sweatsuits or Hoodies** 



**Pajamas** 



Torn or significantly frayed jeans

#### **Additional Information**

- Themed costume ideas are permitted on **Spirit Days**.
- Zeta t-shirts are permitted on **Other Dress Down Days.**