

PCS Dress Code Guidelines for Formal Dances

In addition to the dress code guidelines found in the PCS Family Handbook, the following rules apply:

ALL

- *Clothing must fit in a way that is modest and not so form-fitting that it clearly reveals body contours or undergarments.*
- *Clothing must provide adequate coverage of the midriff and back; completely open-back or backless garments are not permitted, and no cut-outs or crop tops are permitted.*

BOYS

- *Dress pants*
- *Button-down shirt or sweater*
- *Ties are optional*
- *Boys may also wear nice jeans. No sweat pants or shorts*

GIRLS

- *Tops/Dresses must have a modest neckline - no low-cut or plunging necklines are permitted.*
- *Strapless or spaghetti-strap dresses are acceptable, provided the dress fits snugly and does not need to be consistently pulled up in order to stay modest.*
- *The bottom hem of skirts/dresses must be within 3 inches of the top of the knee. Slits in dresses must not be higher than 3 inches above the knee.*

Please note: If an outfit doesn't meet the dress guidelines, students will be given the opportunity to adjust it so that it meets the expectations. This may include adding a jacket, shawl, or leggings, or pinning clothing to make an outfit more modest. If an outfit cannot be adjusted to meet the guidelines, the student will not be admitted to the dance.