



Verde Christian High School

Dress Code Policy 2025 - 2026

9th—12th Grade

Outward appearance is a reflection of inward intent and thought. Through our clothing and hairstyles, we represent ourselves. Students are expected to dress and groom conservatively and appropriately for school and school activities.

To promote a standard of dress consistent with the school's goals for conduct and academic excellence, Verde Christian High School students follow the guidelines below. Dress at Verde Christian High School should bring honor to God, classmates, and VCHS's mission, values, and standards. Each person's dress must comply with the Dress Code and be of such a nature that it is not disruptive to the educational atmosphere. Dress and appearance are reflective of attitude in students.

We desire to partner with families for the best outcomes for your children. We ask for your assistance in ensuring that students first pass your approval before coming to school, please notice what your child is wearing to school. If you aren't sure if it's appropriate err on the side of caution, don't wear it. We believe that rules alone cannot guarantee good dress choices and therefore expect the spirit, as well as the specific Dress Code, to govern each student's manner of dress.

VCHS reserves the right to ask students to change their clothing if the clothing is considered inappropriate.

Uniform Guidelines:

Purchasing Uniforms: Uniforms may be purchased pre-embroidered through **FRENCH TOAST**; link can be found on the VCA school website, and **School Uniforms by Tommy Hilfiger**; link can be found on the VCA school website.

FRENCH TOAST brand polos may be purchased on Amazon in approved colors (White, Black, Navy, Blue, Gray, and Light Pink - for Girls Only). School polos must be embroidered at Ragtime for a fee.

Bottoms can be purchased at any clothing store and should follow Dress Code guidelines for color and style.

Specifics:

All clothing must be neat, clean, in good repair, appropriately sized, and modestly cut.

No see-through fabrics of any kind should be worn.

No undergarments visible at any time.

No form fitting or "skintight" garments may be worn.

Shirts:

Shirts Should be collared polo style or button up with short or long-sleeves and embroidered with school VCHS logo.

Shirts must be long enough that no skin will show when arms are raised, even if untucked.

Purchased from **School Uniforms by Tommy Hilfiger** or **FRENCH TOAST** in approved colors (White, Black, Navy, Blue, Gray, and Light Pink - for Girls Only).

On occasions when VCHS attends formal group events, students are required to wear a button-up shirt featuring the VCHS logo. This shirt is available for purchase through the School Uniforms by Tommy Hilfiger link on our school's homepage.

Cold Weather/Outerwear:

Crew neck sweatshirts may be worn over school polos/button ups with collar showing. Crew neck sweatshirts must be plain and a school approved color (White, Black, Navy, Blue, Gray).

Plain colored (White, Black, Navy, Blue, Gray, and Pink -for girls only) open front/zipper front cardigans and sweaters may be worn open with school polo showing.

Plain colored (White, Black, Navy, Blue, Gray) long sleeve shirts may be worn underneath school polo shirt.

Sweaters/sweatshirts should not be oversized.

Plain colored pullover hoodies are allowed for VCHS Students. Pullover hoodies must have the VCHS Logo on them.

Pants/Shorts:

Acceptable pants include pants, capris, shorts, and blue or black denim jeans.

Acceptable colors: Black, denim blue (dark or light), khaki, navy, and gray.

Shorts must have at least a 7" inseam.

Bottoms not permitted include, but are not limited to bottoms that rip or holes in them.

Sweatpants, pajamas, spandex/leggings, stretchy pants, and athletic or workout clothing may not be worn on school days.

Skirt/Skort/Jumper/Dress:

Skirts must be no shorter than 16 inches and shorts or plain colored tights or leggings must be worn underneath. No fishnet stockings.

Acceptable colors & patterns for Skirt/Skort School approved navy blue, black, khaki brown, gray, or denim.

Accessories:

Hats, hoods, and sunglasses must be removed in class, may only be worn outdoors.

Artwork, designs, stickers, photos, pins, keychains, patches, or any other items attached to clothing, accessories, or school materials should honor the principles and philosophies of VCA.

Shoes:

No Backless shoes or flip flops allowed. Sandals with back straps are acceptable.

Shoes must be appropriately sized.

Noncompliance: If a student's clothing is not appropriate, parents will be contacted to bring appropriate clothing to correct the Dress Code violation. Continued violations could lead to behavioral consequences.