

## **SYVCS Dress Code**

The dress code is intended to enhance the academic atmosphere. All students should reflect safety and modesty in their dress. A well-maintained school dress code builds student confidence and reduces distractions.

1. All students must be in compliance with the dress code policy while at school.
2. If a student is not dressed appropriately and it cannot be corrected at school, a parent will be contacted to bring proper attire.
3. In any matter concerning dress code, the principal or designee has the final authority.
4. All clothing, backpacks, book covers, etc., must reflect appropriate subject matter (no references to alcohol, drugs, vulgarity or obscene language, etc.)
5. Hats must be removed when inside.
6. Shirts must be worn at an appropriate length. Spaghetti straps, cut-out sleeves or cut-off shirts, any exposed back or midriffs are not permitted. Undergarments are not permitted to be showing.
7. Pants/Shorts/Skirts/Skortis must not be ripped or torn. All skirts, shorts and skortis must be of a modest length.
8. Appropriate footwear must be worn at all times with safety being the concern. Girls' heels may not exceed 1 inch. Footwear with wheels or bedroom house shoes will not be permitted unless worn for school council sanctioned events. Proper athletic shoes must be worn during P.E. classes. No flip flops or open toed shoes are allowed.
9. Earrings, necklaces, and bracelets are permitted when student safety is not compromised. No oversized hoops or jewelry that may cause injury.

(Taken from the Student/Family Handbook).