## CCS - Hamilton

## STUDENT DRESS CODE

The school's standard of dress code may be different than any one parent or student's level of acceptance. The CCS dress code serves to provide guidance for you as parents as you determine what your child should wear at CCS. The CCS dress code also establishes guidelines which we respectfully ask you to follow.

Clothing worn at CCS must be tasteful in appearance, suitable for school activities and weather. Student dress should be clean, neat, and modest, reflect simplicity and promote Christian values. Clothing should reflect that students are in a Christian learning environment. Students using our services for the purposes of transportation to or from HDCH are expected to be wearing their HDCH uniform while on the CCS bus. Enforcement of the dress code will be at the school's discretion and students wearing inappropriate clothing may be asked to change (i.e. gym shirt to be worn instead).

# Shirts and tops

- · must have sleeves and a modest neckline
- · must be long enough to cover midriff at all times
- · tank tops, muscle shirts, and spaghetti straps are not permitted
- · sayings, words, pictures, and logos must be positive in nature

#### **Pants**

- · must be worn no lower than the hips and must cover all underwear
- · must not drag on the ground but may be rolled up to accommodate differences in shoe height
- · must not have torn knees, hems or backsides
- active wear is permitted, however, yoga or spandex bottoms must be paired with a long shirt

## **Shorts and Skirts**

- · must be an appropriate length (at least to the tips of the fingers with the arm hanging at the side)
- · must not have frayed edges
- · spandex shorts are not appropriate
- · undergarments should not be visible, regardless of the activity

#### Accessories

- · head coverings must be taken off when entering the classroom
- · for safety reasons, we suggest that jewelry and earrings be close fitting
- · facial piercings are not permitted
- · must not promote an unacceptable life style(i.e. inappropriate music groups, alcohol, etc)

## **Footwear**

- · shoes must be worn with socks
- · shoes must be suitable for school life
- · sandals without socks are appropriate if securely attached to the foot
- · flip flops are not acceptable
- · students will need a pair of non-marking shoes for Phys.Ed. and/or indoor use.

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Your cooperation is appreciated to ensure that your child arrives comfortably dressed in clothing suitable for a day of learning in a Christian school. Concerns and questions should be brought to the attention of the Education Committee.