

FROM THE DIRECTORY

UNIFORM POLICY

FBCS has a designated uniform which can be purchased at Shreveport Gymnastics, 4727 Line Avenue, 869-1206, or at Sports World at 8809 Jewella Avenue, 686-1880. There are also some items available in the used uniform room of Dodd Hall. Call the school office for information on purchasing used uniforms. Uniform information is also available on our web site – www.fbc.school.org. Please label all of your children's uniforms, sweatshirts, lunchboxes, etc.

2009-2010 APPEARANCE GUIDELINES

Official uniforms will be worn on all regular school days.

Students should leave personal vehicle each morning appropriately dressed. If not, they will be asked to return to their vehicle until their clothing is correctly worn.

Official uniform is described in handbook provided to parents. The uniform must be clean, properly fitting and with no holes. Uniform shirts must be tucked in with belts and waistlines showing. T-shirts worn under uniform shirts must not show any designs or patterns.

Hair may not be of unnatural color or style. Length should be above eyebrows for all and above ears and collars for boys. Girls are allowed ribbons and bows of school colors. No hair wraps or bandanas.

CONSEQUENCES FOR UNIFORM/DRESS VIOLATIONS

Elementary uniform violations will result in loss of recess time.

In middle school, an infraction will be issued for each uniform/dress violation.

Three (3) infractions equal one Wednesday afternoon detention with Mr. Anderson from 3:15 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

- These infractions include all dress and behavior violations and tardies in any classes periods 2 – 7.
- Six first period tardies equal one detention.
- Infractions start over each semester.

FAILURE TO ATTEND THE ASSIGNED DETENTION ON THE DESIGNATED WEDNESDAY WILL RESULT IN A ONE DAY SUSPENSION FROM SCHOOL. (Only a signed doctor's excuses or a death in the family will postpone your detention!)

After three detentions, the next infraction equals a ONE DAY SUSPENSION FROM SCHOOL!

**First Baptist Church School
Dress Code Policy 2009-2010
Girls Grade 1 – 5**

SHIRT

White sailor blouse with navy or plaid tie

White plain turtleneck (long sleeve) with shorts or slacks only; may also be worn under jumpers

White polo

- Short or long sleeve
- FBCS logo or no logo
- Must be tucked in at waist and belt or waistband must be visible depending upon shirt worn

PANTS/JUMPER/SKIRT/SHORT/SKORTS

Navy slacks with belt

Navy shorts with belt

- FBCS logo or no logo at all

Plaid bib jumper

Navy skort

Plaid skirt (**5th grade only**)

- Length must be no more than 4 inches above middle of the knee when kneeling.

BROWN OR BLACK BELT

TIGHTS/LEGGINGS

Navy or white tights, white must be opaque

White or navy leggings, stirrup style not permitted

SOCKS

White plain socks

- No emblems or logos
- **Must be visible**
- No seasonal socks unless day before and day of holiday

SHOES

Conservative, neutral tennis shoes (no neon/pastel/bright colors)

- Canvas or leather
- Low quarter style
- Check with Assistant Headmaster before purchasing, if in doubt.

COAT OR SWEATSHIRT

- **Uniform shirt MUST BE VISIBLE underneath coat or sweatshirt**

FBCS sweatshirt or fleece

- Designs sanctioned by FBCS

Solid white, black, gray, red or navy long sleeve sweater/sweatshirt/fleece or jacket

- **No logo**

Pep Squad fleece pullover

- Pep Squad only (style sanctioned by FBCS)

HAIR RIBBONS

Red, white or navy

Holiday colors on the day before and day of holiday

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**First Baptist Church School
Dress Code Policy 2009-2010
Boys Grade 1 – 5**

SHIRT

Red or white polo

- Short or long sleeve
- FBCS logo or no logo
- Must be tucked in at the waist
- Belt must be visible

White plain t-shirt

- No design or print on the t-shirt
- May only be worn under shirt
- Must be tucked in at the waist
- Must not extend beyond uniform shirt sleeve

PANTS OR SHORTS

Navy pants

- Tailored, straight leg, no logo/label (no matter how small)
- Navy shorts

NAVY OR NAVY/RED STRIPED BELT

SOCKS

White plain socks

- No emblems or logos
- **Must be visible**

SHOES

Conservative neutral tennis shoes (no neon/pastel/bright colors)

- Canvas or leather
- Low quarter style
- Check with Assistant Headmaster before purchasing, if in doubt.

Brown, navy, black casual dress shoes

COAT OR SWEATSHIRT

- **Uniform shirt MUST BE VISIBLE underneath coat or sweatshirt**

FBCS sweatshirt or fleece

- Designs sanctioned by FBCS

Solid white, black, gray, red or navy long sleeve sweater/sweatshirt/fleece or jacket

- **No logo**

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Dress Code Policy 2009 – 2010
Girls Grade 6 – 8

SHIRT

White button-down blouse

White or navy polo

- Short or long sleeve
- FBCS logo or no logo
- Must be tucked in at waist and belt or waistband must be visible

SKIRT/SHORT/SKORTS

Plaid skirt

Khaki shorts with belt

Khaki skorts

- FBCS logo or no logo at all
- Length must be no more than 4 inches above the middle of the knee when kneeling

PANTS

Khaki pants with belt

- FBCS logo or no logo at all

BROWN OR BLACK BELT

TIGHTS/LEGGINGS

Navy or white tights, white must be opaque

White or navy leggings, stirrup style not permitted

SOCKS

White plain socks

- No emblems or logos
- Must be visible
- No seasonal socks unless day before and day of holiday

SHOES

Conservative, neutral tennis shoes (no neon/pastel/bright colors)

- Canvas or leather
- Low quarter style
- Check with Assistant Headmaster before purchasing, if in doubt.

Brown or black closed-toe, closed-heel shoe (penny loafer, top sider, Mary Jane)

** No flats, sandals, boots, or crocs*

COAT OR SWEATSHIRT

- Uniform shirt MUST BE VISIBLE underneath coat or sweatshirt

FBCS sweatshirt or fleece or athletic letter jacket

- Designs sanctioned by FBCS

Solid white, black, gray, red or navy long sleeve sweater/sweatshirt/fleece or jacket

- No logo

Cheerleader / Pep Squad fleece pullover

- Cheerleader / Pep Squad only (style sanctioned by FBCS)

HAIR RIBBONS

Red, white or navy

Holiday colors on the day before and day of holiday

PE UNIFORM

Shorts - royal with initials

Shirt - red with initials

Students need to have tennis shoes on PE days.

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Boys Grade 6 – 8

SHIRT

Navy or white polo

- Short or long sleeve
- FBCS logo or no logo
- Must be tucked in at the waist
- Belt must be visible

White plain t-shirt

- No design or print on the t-shirt
- May only be worn under shirt
- Must be tucked in at the waist
- Must not extend beyond uniform shirt sleeve

PANTS OR SHORTS

Khaki pants

- Tailored, straight leg, no logo/label
- No cargo pants

Khaki shorts

- Length must be no more than 4 inches above the knee
- No logo/label

BROWN OR BLACK BELT

SOCKS

White plain socks

- No emblems or logos
- Must be visible

SHOES

Conservative neutral tennis shoes (no neon/pastel/bright colors)

- Canvas or leather
- Low quarter style
- Check with Assistant Headmaster before purchasing, if in doubt.

Brown, navy, black casual dress shoes

COAT OR SWEATSHIRT

- Uniform shirt MUST BE VISIBLE underneath coat or sweatshirt

FBCS sweatshirt or fleece or athletic letter jacket

- Designs sanctioned by FBCS

Solid white, black, gray, red or navy long sleeve sweater/sweatshirt/fleece or jacket

- No logo

PE UNIFORM

Shorts – navy with initials

Shirt – navy with initials

Students need to have tennis shoes on PE days.

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NON-UNIFORM DAY DRESS CODE POLICY

- If designated, the first Friday of each month is non-uniform day. Clothes must be neat and clean with no holes or tears.
- No bare midriffs, see-through garments, undergarment shirts, strapless, spaghetti straps, halter tops, bare back, one shoulder or off-the-shoulder and low cut blouses. No jogging suits or short sets, sweats, tanks tops, low rise pants, cheer shorts or any pants or tops with holes in them. Tops should be long enough so that “no stomach” is showing at any time.
- Students may wear jeans, walking shorts, cargo pants/shorts, Capri pants or uniform shorts or slacks with other shirts or tops. All pants must be hemmed - no cutoffs or wide legs. Pants should be of appropriate length.
- Shoe and sock guidelines are the same as uniform days.
- No caps or hats except on special dress days. No scarves covering the head.
- Obscene or profane language, tobacco and alcohol advertisements, or provocative pictures on clothing is prohibited.
- Students may wear uniform if preferred.

- Parents will be called for violations of this dress code and infractions will be given.

SPECIAL DRESS DAYS

- Boys will wear dress or khaki pants with a collared shirt. Sports jackets are acceptable.
- Skirts and dresses for girls are to be no shorter than 4 inches above the middle of the knee (measured while kneeling).
- Parents will be called for violations of this dress code and infractions will be given.
- Non-uniform dress code applies here as well.

FIELD TRIP DAYS

- FBCS t-shirts or uniforms are allowed on field trips. FBCS t-shirts are to be worn with uniform shorts, skorts, pants or skirt.
- Non-uniform day guidelines apply for overnight trips only.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation in respecting this dress code.