

As ambassadors for Bible Baptist Christian Academy, students represent the school at all times, to visitors within the building as well as on field trips, at sporting events, and in the community.

BBCA uniforms are supplied by [Bahama Joe's](#) in Savannah. Bahama Joe's offers in-store sizing and ordering as well as online shopping. The store is located at 4755 Waters Avenue, Savannah, GA 31404. Students are required to wear BBCA approved uniforms everyday with the following exceptions: Fundraiser Fridays, some field trips, and picture day. The uniform guidelines are listed below.

### Girls

<b>Skirts</b>	<b>Official school plaid only.</b> Should be <b>no more than 4-inches over the knee.</b> Overly long or short skirts are not permitted.
<b>Jumpers</b>	<b>Grades Preschool 3 – 5th. Official school plaid only.</b> Should be <b>no more than 4-inches over the knee.</b>
<b>Pants</b>	Dress code pants are loose-fitting, tan, chino style only. By that is meant: must have pockets built in, not stitched onto the outside of the pants; no cargo pants; seams are single stitched. No ornamentation of any kind. Leggings/jeggings are not pants and therefore may only be worn under dresses or skirts of regulation length.
<b>Shorts</b>	<b>Tan, chino style shorts, no more than 4-inches above the knee.</b>
<b>Shirts</b>	Bahama Joe's white, button-up blouse with BBCA monogram. White or Navy knit or Moisture Wicking Polo shirt (short or long-sleeved) with embroidered BBCA logo. BBCA embroidered sweatshirt. No oversized shirts. *Shirts must always be tucked in neatly. Beginning with 6th grade, white shirts must be worn with a camisole or plain white t-shirt underneath. <i>Long-sleeve white (or matching shirt color) shirts may be worn underneath school shirts in cold weather.</i>
<b>Shoes</b>	Brown, Black, White, or Navy shoes, with limited accent colors or saddle shoes. No backless shoes. Dressy, black leather boots are permitted with skirt or jumper; <b>no other boots.</b>
<b>Leggings</b>	Solid navy or white leggings may be worn under uniform skirts or jumpers.
<b>Socks</b>	Socks must cover the ankle and be either navy, black, or white. Knee-socks and tights are acceptable.

### Boys

<b>Pants</b>	Dress code pants are loose-fitting, tan, chino style only. By that is meant: must have pockets built in, not stitched onto the outside of the pants; no cargo pants; seams are single stitched. No ornamentation of any kind.
<b>Shorts</b>	Tan, chino style shorts, no more than 4-inches above the knee.
<b>Shirts</b>	Red or Navy knit or Moisture Wicking Polo shirt (short or long-sleeved) with embroidered BBCA logo. BBCA embroidered sweatshirt. No oversized shirts. *Shirts must always be tucked in neatly. <i>Long-sleeve white (or matching shirt color) shirts may be worn underneath school shirts in cold weather.</i>
<b>Shoes</b>	Brown, Black, White, or Navy shoes, with limited accent colors. No backless shoes. No boots.
<b>Belts</b>	Beginning in Grade 3 all boys must wear a dark belt.
<b>Socks</b>	Socks must cover the ankle and be either black or white.

# personal appearance

We expect students to come to school in clothes that are clean and neat, and we expect students to exhibit basic cleanliness and grooming that will not be a health or safety threat to themselves or to other students or staff. While we understand students' desire to express themselves in their clothing and grooming styles, we do not permit students to wear clothing with pictures, emblems, or writing that is lewd, offensive, vulgar, or obscene or that advertises or depicts tobacco products, alcoholic beverages, drugs, or any other substance that students are prohibited from having or using at school. The administrator makes decisions about dress and grooming violations.

## appropriate grooming

- All students will exemplify grooming standards that project a positive image for the student and school.
- Hair must be clean and neatly groomed and worn in a style that does not obstruct view of the face.
- Male students must wear hair at a length that is off the shoulders and well groomed.

## inappropriate grooming

- Inappropriate hair coloring or bleaching for the purpose of creating extreme differences in color, shade, or tone between the student's natural and original hair color and the colored or bleached color, shade, or tone
- Inappropriate patterns or designs shaved or cut into the hair
- Spikes, mohawks, other sculpted hairstyles, male ponytails, man buns, or excessively long hair
- Metal or plastic combs designed to be used as grooming tools or other objects of like general description may not be worn in the hair
- Males may not have facial hair
- Sideburns may not extend past the bottom of the earlobes
- Any unnatural trimming or clipping of the eyebrows
- **Hair in question will be left to the discretion of campus administration.**

## jewelry

- Boys cannot wear any jewelry but a watch.
- Girl's jewelry must be limited and not obvious.
- Earrings should not be larger than a quarter in diameter and must be worn in the ear lobes only.
- No more than one pair of earrings may be worn at a time.
- No other type of body piercings or body-markings is acceptable.

## appropriate non-uniform attire

- Male students must wear clean clothing (shirt, slacks, jeans, shorts, trousers). Pants must be worn with the waist at waist level. Shirts must be buttoned.
- Female students must wear clean clothing (dress, blouse, skirt, shorts, slacks, jeans). Pants must be worn with the waist at waist level, and shirts or blouses must be buttoned.
- All students must wear clothes that are the appropriate size.
- All students must wear appropriate shoes.
- All students must wear appropriate undergarments.

## inappropriate attire

- Dresses, skirts, or shorts shorter than 4 inches above the knee.
- Cut-off short; jeans or pants with holes above the knee.
- Shirts or blouses that reveal undergarments or cleavage, midriff length tops that leave exposed skin, tank tops or halter tops; suggestive, excessively tight, or revealing clothing.
- Muscle shirts, shirts with oversized armholes, or backless shirts, blouses, or tops.
- Shirts or blouses that are split up the side such that the vent or split is unfinished.
- Clothing made of any see-through material, fish net, or very loosely woven fabric, unless other clothing is worn underneath; shirts that fit loosely around the shoulders.
- Clothing made of Spandex or similar body-hugging fabric or material or leggings that are worn without an

appropriately length top *long enough to cover their bottom.*

- Exposed undergarments.
- Bedtime attire, pajamas, undershirts, or undergarments worn as outerwear.
- Sunglasses, hats, or caps worn inside during school hours (except during Spirit Days)
- Logos, icons, and messages on clothing which are contrary to biblical or BBKA standards.
- Hoodies unless approved school spirit wear

## make-up

Girls in middle and high school are permitted to wear make-up, but it should be limited and not obvious. We do not recommend that elementary students wear make-up.

## outerwear

Jackets, coats, sweatshirts, sweaters, and raincoats are defined as outerwear. Jackets, sweatshirts, and sweaters worn in the classroom may be purchased from **Bahama Joe's**. Spirit wear ***sold by the school*** may also be worn in the classroom. Solid black, navy, red, tan, or gray outerwear is also acceptable. No wording, pictures, or designs. *All outerwear not within codes will have to be taken off as soon as entering the classroom.* **No pullover hoodies unless approved school spirit wear, except as part of the fundraiser Dress Down Friday.**

## footwear

Footwear must be worn at all times. For the safety of your child, athletic shoes must be worn at P.E. class. Black, navy, white, or brown shoes with limited accent colors or saddle shoes are required for school. No boots, except dressy, black leather with skirts or jumpers. **Flip flops and open back shoes are not permitted.** Socks are not required to be worn with sandals.

## extracurricular activities

Students participating in extracurricular activities (soccer, gymnastics, etc.) should wear loose-fitting, athletic shorts (shorts must be no more than 4-inches above the knee). Athletic tights are not allowed.

## Friday & Home Game dress down

On Fridays, BBKA hosts a fundraiser allowing students to dress in casual clothing for a one dollar (\$1) donation. It is optional and children may attend school in their normal uniform on Fridays. Students also have the opportunity to support our JV and Varsity teams by dressing in **school spirit wear** on home game days! If your child chooses to participate in either of these opportunities, one dollar should be sent in with your child to turn into his/her teacher.

Any student who does not adhere to dress code guidelines will forfeit his or her right to the privilege and will be required to wear school uniform clothing.

## Spirit Week

During Spirit Week, students are encouraged to dress in the suggested daily theme; however, clothes should remain modest and within the dress code guidelines. There is no cost to dress down.

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## dress code violations

A staff member who notes repeated Dress Code violations will report warnings to the Administrator.

Any subsequent violation of this policy will result in a student being sent to the office (or home) to wait for or to receive a change of clothing. A student who continually violates this policy is subject to In-school Suspension, Probation, Suspension, or Expulsion.