## MANSFIELD CHRISTIAN SCHOOL Dress Guidelines for Teaching Faculty, Office Personnel, and On-Campus Volunteers

It is our desire at MCS that our faculty, office personnel, and on-campus volunteers maintain a professional appearance that is consistent with our expectations for students. Employees and volunteers should dress to model conservative values that promote a serious atmosphere for learning as we focus on spiritual and academic objectives.

## **Guidelines for Women**

- Skirts and tops, dress pants, crop pants, dresses
- Skirts and dresses must be modest and to the knee in length.
- Dresses and pants should be loose fitting and modest.
- Low cut tops and sleeveless tops are not permitted. Flames t-shirts are permitted only on Flames Fridays in elementary. Crew neck tops should have a modest neckline.
- Dress shoes, casual leather shoes, and dress sandals (no flip-flops). Athletic or tennis shoes are not permitted; however, early childhood teachers may wear athletic shoes when activity appropriate.
- Modest accessories; pierced jewelry is limited to the ear.
- Since tattoos are not permitted for students, they are strongly discouraged for the adults oncampus. Any tattoos should be covered at all times. Teachers may not get new tattoos after gaining employment at MCS.
- No denim or jean material in any form
- No Capri pants

## **Guidelines for Men**

- Dress shirts, ties, socks, dress shoes
- Dress pants or crisp casual pants
- Full button front, collared dress shirts and ties should be worn each day unless not activity appropriate or permitted otherwise by the principal.
- Dress shoes and coordinating socks. Sandals and tennis shoes are not permitted.
- Clean shaven or trimmed facial hair
- No pierced jewelry
- Modest hair styles
- No denim or jean material in any form
- No Capri pants or pants not falling to the ankles
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\*Specific exceptions are made for some positions requiring other attire. Seek administrative (supervisor) approval.