

ATU C&I Dress Code Policy

It is the intent of the Curriculum and Instruction Department to promote professional development for our students that will not interfere with or detract from the school environment, nor disrupt the educational process, and will set positive examples for students and future teachers. In general, students are expected to dress in a professional style.

In order to facilitate these goals, all students in the program must comply with the following guidelines:

FEMALE

MALE

<p><u>Suggested Attire:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Skirts—knee length • Dresses—knee length • Slacks—non-denim Khaki pants • Dress pants/Pants suits • Sweaters/Jackets • Dress blouses—not see through or showing mid-section • Shirts/Crewnecks—non T-shirt material. Not deep V-neck • Knee length shorts (for those teaching PE)* 	<p><u>Suggested Attire:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shirt, tie, and dress pants (recommended for first day) • Sport coat or blazer • Slacks—non-denim Khaki pants • Polo-type shirts • Button-down shirts • Turtlenecks, sweaters • Shirts/Crewnecks—non T-shirt material • Knee length shorts (for those teaching PE)*
<p><u>Inappropriate Attire:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Athletic Shorts • Sweat pants (for those teaching PE)* • Jeans • Nylon jogging suits • Bare or exposed midriffs • T-shirts (except for campus-sponsored spirit days or college days) • Tank tops/Halter tops • Mesh or sheer tops • Tennis shoes (for those teaching PE)* • Flip flops • Spaghetti strap tops or dresses • Hat or caps • Visible tattoos • Body piercing (other than earrings) • Yoga pants or spandex • Wrinkled/torn clothing <p>*Follow school policy for PE teachers</p>	<p><u>Inappropriate Attire:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Athletic Shorts • Sweat pants (for those teaching PE)* • Jeans • Nylon jogging suits • Tank tops • T-shirts or T-shirt material (except for campus-sponsored spirit days or college days) • Mesh shirts • Sleeveless shirts • Flip flops • Tennis shoes (for those teaching PE)* • Hats or caps • Visible tattoos • Body piercing • Yoga pants or spandex • Wrinkled/torn clothing <p>*Follow school policy for PE teachers</p>
<p><u>Grooming Expectations:</u></p> <p>Pay attention to details such as: hygiene, hair including facial hair, make-up, and nails.</p>	

Enforcement: Field Based Supervisors and University Supervisors are responsible for ensuring that their students are in compliance with the dress code. Students should direct questions concerning this dress code and what is appropriate to their teacher, building administrator, or University Supervisor. Any student dressed inappropriately will be sent home to change and will be responsible for making up any lost time. In addition, the student may also be subject to disciplinary action for non-compliance with ATU Teacher Education Program dress policy if this issue is not corrected immediately.