

## **NHEA Dress Code**

Our desire is to honor Christ, show respect and leave an excellent impression as we attend field trips to various businesses and offices. The NHEA minimum dress for business visits/tours is “business casual” attire. The coordinator will contact the business beforehand to inquire if a higher dress code is required. If you have any questions, direct them to the activity director before the event

### **1. Guidelines for Field trips to Businesses and Offices.**

- Young men should wear dress pants or khaki pants and a collared shirt tucked in.
- Young ladies should wear knee length skirts or dress pants and a blouse.
- No caps, hats, hoods or bandannas.
- Wear dress shoes or good tennis shoes. No flip flops.

### **2. Guidelines for all other field trips and events.**

Most field trip locations do not have required dress codes; therefore we ask that you and your children meet the standards listed below.

- Shorts, skirts, and pants: The length of shorts should be mid-thigh or longer. Skirts should be just above the knee or longer. Lower garments worn by students must be secured with no undergarments revealed.
- Shirts: No undershirts or tube tops worn as outer garments and no low cut shirts. Shirts should be long enough so as not to reveal midriff.

The coordinator will contact you before the field trip/event if a higher dress code is required. If any participants arrive at a field trip dressed inappropriately, the coordinator will kindly ask them to return home to change before attending the trip.

### **3. Field Day and Kickoff.**

Field Day and Kickoff are unique events that have wet activities such as water balloon wars and waterslides. For these occasions, swim trunks with a dark T-shirt are appropriate for young men. A bathing suit with fingertip-length shorts and a dark T-shirt are appropriate for young ladies.

### **4. Swim Wear.**

We believe that it is the responsibility of each parent to decide what appropriate swim wear is for their own children. Therefore the NHEA does not sponsor beach trips, swim parties, water parks, etc. If parents would like to host such events, they are asked to do so personally and not as part of the NHEA.