

What to bring and what to wear information for 2018-2019

Each year we provide a general supply list and tips for dress code for our freshman families. The following is a good general list; each teacher may require a few additional items.

- Backpack
- 2-6 binders (1.5" or 2" wide)
- Tabs for binder
- Loose-leaf paper
- Pencils & Pens
- A highlighter pen
- TI-89 Calculator (with trig functions)
- Locker Shelving (most freshmen share a locker)
- Reusable and well labelled water bottle

Remember to label everything; the amount donated each year from lost and found is significant. Often a labeled lost item will find its way back to the owner.

Each freshman will be issued an iPad over the summer as part of his or her school equipment. The iPad is owned by the school, but loaned to students for their sole use while they are at Jesuit. It is the responsibility of the student to protect the iPad from damage or misuse. A few additional items are necessary for each student to purchase to make full use of the iPad program. Basic iPad accessories will be:

- **Case.** A case is required for each student, prior to receiving the iPad. This case should cover all 4 corners of the device, as corners are one of the most vulnerable parts of the iPad.
- **Keyboard.** A wireless keyboard is required for all students, as it allows for easy touch-typing.
- **Stylus.** A stylus is required for drawing and taking written notes.

We will be distributing a list of recommended iPad-related supplies early in the summer.

Students will also be supplied with the appropriate iPad applications (apps) and eBooks for their courses. Some common apps are supplied with the device. eBooks and class-specific apps will be charged as a class fee.

Please contact the Vice Principal of Professional Development and Instructional Technology or the IT Directory, Craig Huseby (chuseby@jesuitportland.org) if you have any questions regarding the iPad program.

The intention of the JHS dress code is to provide an educational environment conducive to learning and discourage fashion competition, while preparing students for professional lives beyond high school.

The following are key elements of the Dress Code.

- Clothing must not be disruptive to the school environment.
- Students must be clean, neat, and modest in appearance. Clothing is to be in good condition, not ragged, and without patches.
- Students must wear clothing that does not expose cleavage (front or back!)
- No clothing may convey an inappropriate message or be suggestive regarding sex, drugs, alcohol, tobacco products, violence, racism, or gangs.
- Students may not wear leather clothing other than outdoor jackets. Colors and patterns on clothes must be appropriate for the school environment (*e.g.*, only one item of camouflage is allowed).
- Students cannot wear hats of any type, including sweatbands, bandanas, and visors, during the school day.
- Leggings, yoga pants, and jeggings are not appropriate for the school day.
- Backless tennis shoes and backless sole shoes (Birkenstocks) are permitted. Slippers, flip-flops, athletic slides, or other backless sole shoes are not permitted.
- Students may wear Jesuit team jerseys or Jesuit team sweat outfits on pre-arranged days, as set by the coach and Dean, with an approved shirt underneath.
- Dress-Up Days, marked in the student planner and school calendar, have additional guidelines for student dress.
- Clothing cannot mock the dress code.

The dress code is in effect on all school days, including exam days. The school may grant exceptions for religious or health reasons. The administration will be the final judge of student appearance questions not explicitly covered in dress code guidelines. Please refer to the Jesuit High School Handbook, which can be accessed by clicking this link: [2017-18 Student Handbook](#), and addendum [Handbook Addendum](#).

We hope this provides useful information as you prepare to do your back-to-school shopping in August. Please contact one of the Deans of Students if you have any questions regarding the dress code.