

Diocese of Baker Dress Code.

We at the Diocese of Baker wish to create a Christ centered atmosphere at our youth and family camps, reflecting Christian morals in the way we act, look, and dress. We hope to help the youth to avoid near occasions to sin by promoting chastity through modest dress. To this end we put forth the following dress code for all campers and staff...

1. **Shirts:** Shirts should be modest. Shirts should completely cover undergarments (this includes bra straps). No spaghetti straps. Shirts should not be low cut (Four fingers from the base of the neck is a good rule of thumb and no cleavage should be showing). Shirts should cover the midriff when the arms are raised to shoulder height or when the person is sitting down.
2. **Spandex and Legging:** Spandex are not allowed as are leggings worn as pants.
3. **Shorts:** Shorts at least need to be as long as the tips of the fingers when the arms are held straight down at the sides.
4. **Swimwear:** Boys: swim trunks or athletic shorts. Girls: one-piece, tankini or a two-piece covered by a dark t-shirt.
5. **Pants:** Sagging pants that show undergarments are not allowed. Pants should not have holes or rips in them.
6. **Skirts:** Skirts need to reach the top of the knee.
7. Nothing worn by campers or staff may convey an inappropriate message or suggest sex, drugs, alcohol, tobacco products, violence, racism, or gangs.

Although we have stated these guidelines we do not limit ourselves to them. If the Camp Director or other staff member deems someone's dress to be inappropriate and/or immodest they will be asked to change.

Sincerely,

Patrick Sharkey

2012 Camp Director Diocese of Baker