

Graduation Attire Requirements

SENIOR GIRLS

Baccalaureate Ceremony:

Two-piece Suit (any color except solid black) – skirt no shorter than 2-3” above knee
Short matching or white gloves
Coordinating hat
Dress Shoes *

Ribbon Ceremony, Rose and Sabre, Awards Ceremony

Street length PURE white dress (Not ivory or off white) **
Short white gloves
White or Nude dress shoes (please consider comfort as you will be wearing the shoes several times)

Commencement:

Pure white formal dress (Not ivory or off white) ***
Long white gloves
White or Nude Dress Shoes

*Dress shoes should be conservative. Heel height should be comfortable and such that steps are easily negotiated. No flip flops: if the shoes are sandals with heels, straps are highly recommended.

**Girls wear this dress on stage and other places where they will be higher than the crowd. The length should be right above the knee cap or longer. Spaghetti straps are acceptable if the graduate’s body type allows. No halter or strapless dresses are allowed. We ask that dresses be pure white because ivory and cream colors are very obvious in the beautiful color pictures of the event. Please be certain that the dress is not so thin as to be “see-through” (or assure that appropriate undergarments are worn to mitigate the effect of very thin material).

***A conservative, debutante-type dress is appropriate. Low backs and revealed cleavage are not acceptable. Sequins should be kept to a minimum; the dress should be suitable for daytime wear. Straps must be one inch wide (they can be added after purchase if necessary). Spaghetti straps, strapless or halter style dresses are not acceptable. We ask that dresses be pure white because ivory and cream colors are very obvious in the beautiful color pictures of the event.