

## **CHEC Student Prom Dress Code**

The CHEC Prom is a formal event and requires ladies and gentlemen to dress in modest, formal or semi-formal attire. We have some guidelines to help you choose your attire wisely and appropriately so that you may enjoy your evening. Students will be asked to change or leave prom if your attire does not meet the dress code.

### **Ladies**

#### Acceptable Attire

- Dresses or gowns with a minimum length of no more than four inches above the knee. (Sheer or transparent fabric does not count toward length.)
- Modest spaghetti straps or strapless gowns with a conservative, concealing neckline
- Formal jumpsuits

#### Unacceptable Attire

- Gowns with unlined sheer or transparent fabric that exposes skin (Including mesh, lace, or illusion panels without an opaque lining or slip.)
- Cutouts or openings that expose the midriff or other areas considered immodest
- Plunging necklines (rule of thumb: if you can bend over without needing to cover yourself with your hand, your neckline is appropriate)
- Slits more than four inches above the top of the knee
- Open backs that extend below the waistline
- Jeans, pants, trousers
- Visible tattoos or body piercings
- Menswear
- Midriff baring

### **Gentlemen**

#### Acceptable Attire

- Tuxedos, dress suits, formal military uniforms
- Neckties, bowties, bolo ties
- Collared, button up shirts
- Dress shoes or dress boots
- Jeans only if worn with a suit or tuxedo jacket

#### Unacceptable Attire

- Informal or casual clothing
- Women's clothing
- Visible tattoos or body piercings