



Coastal Homeschool Athletic Association  
UNITY- CHARACTER- HONOR

## CHAA APPEARANCE GUIDELINES

The most valuable asset belonging to CHAA is its reputation. Our reputation among the schools we play is determined by not only our competitive play, but our behavior and our appearance. “You only get one chance to make a first impression.” Most schools have dress codes that limit individual expression in appearance during school activities. CHAA desires to put forth a positive statement with our appearance and, most of all, our character. In our appearance, we want to refrain from drawing attention to ourselves or from detracting from the TEAM.

All CHAA Athletes, Commissioners, Coaches, Board Members, and all others who represent CHAA are encouraged to dress in a manner that could not be considered offensive or morally suggestive but would, in every way, glorify our Lord Jesus Christ and would represent CHAA without reproach.

All CHAA Athletes will be expected to abide by the following guidelines when attending all CHAA functions, sporting events, fundraisers, or whenever representing CHAA.

Commissioners and Coaches are encouraged to provide guidance to student-athletes with regard to dress and appearance for all CHAA sporting events, practices, traveling for sporting events, fundraisers, and whenever representing CHAA.

The CHAA Board reserves the right to make final determination of what appearance is considered unsatisfactory, whether addressed in these guidelines or not.

### **Male Athletes**

- Uniform shirt-tails must remain tucked /untucked while in uniform, consistent with the requirements of the sport.
- When taking the court/field “warming up” for a game, all team members should be consistent with the uniform.
- Team members must not remove any part of their uniform until they leave the court/field unless receiving treatment for injury.
- Hair must be maintained in a “clean cut” look. (Each commissioner will set hair guidelines for his/her own sport.)
- No visible tattoos or piercings.
- No visible undergarments.
- Caps to be worn front and centered.

**Female Athletes**

- Uniform shirt-tails must remain tucked /untucked while in uniform, consistent with the requirements of the sport.
- When taking the court/field “warming up” for a game, all team members should be consistent with the uniform.
- Team members must not remove any part of their uniform until they leave the court/field unless receiving treatment for injury.
- Hair must be maintained neatly.
- No visible tattoos or piercings (with the exception of pierced ear lobes for female athletes).
- No earrings or jewelry at practices or games.
- No visible undergarments.

I have read and agree to the CHAA Appearance Guidelines. (Circle One) Yes No

Player Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_