



# Plato Learning Academy

*“Working Collaboratively, Thinking Critically, Achieving Academically”*

## 2020/2021 Dress Down Days

Dear Plato Families:

On the final Friday of each month, we will be hosting a Character Counts driven Dress Down Day. Students are welcome to dress down and incorporate the color associated with the Pillar of the month. There will be, on occasion, other opportunities for your student to dress down as well. The following information pertains to **all** dress down days.

In order to participate, students must pay \$1 to their homeroom teacher at the beginning of class. Any student who arrives out of uniform and does not pay the fee will be in violation of our uniform policy. Please see the SCC for additional information.

We ask that you adhere to the following guidelines when participating in **any** dress down day.

- Jeans are permitted.
- Jeans with holes or rips on the legs are permitted but must have clothing underneath them.
- Jeggings, leggings, tights, or any other form fitting pants are not permitted.
- All shirts must have sleeves. Tank tops, off-the-shoulder, or cut-offs are not permitted.
- All shirts must completely cover the student’s torso. Midribs are not permitted.
- Shorts and skirts are permitted as long as they are at least finger-tip length.
- Coats, jackets, and hoodies are not permitted.
- No hats, bandanas, or do-rags are permitted.
- Clothing cannot reference any gang affiliation, drug/alcohol use, or any other adult themes.

The following are scheduled monthly dress down days along with the color that students must incorporate in order to participate.

- September 25th – Trustworthiness / Blue
- October 30th – Fairness / Orange
- November 20th – Respect / Yellow
- January 29th – Citizenship / Purple
- February 26th – Caring / Red
- March 26th – Responsibility / Green
- April 30th – Plato Pride
- May 28th – Your Choice

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By signing below, I acknowledge that I have received, read, and acknowledge the information concerning dress down days. I understand that if my child is out of compliance, he/she will need replacement clothing and/or picked up from school. Additionally, I understand that my child will not be permitted to participate in subsequent dress down days.

Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Homeroom: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_