



Michigan Dress Code

The following dress code has been developed for all students, advisers, alumni, and guests attending any Michigan FCCLA activity.

One of FCCLA's primary goals is to prepare its members to enter the workforce, which includes how to dress properly in employment situations. Delegates at every activity are always representing Michigan FCCLA; therefore, it is necessary for delegates to be in appropriate attire at all times. It is important to remember that evaluators, sponsors, and vendors develop an impression of Michigan FCCLA based on its members' appearance and conduct at these conferences.

General Sessions/STAR Event Competition/Workshops

Females: Official FCCLA blazer is encouraged, but not required for Michigan FCCLA Conferences*
Red, black or white polo or dress blouse with either short or long sleeves
Black dress slacks or pants
Black skirt, or black dress no shorter than 2 inches above the knee
Black dress shoes

Males: Official FCCLA blazer is encouraged, but not required for Michigan FCCLA Conferences*
Red, black or white polo or collared shirt with either short or long sleeves
Black dress slacks or pants
Black dress shoes

Exception: Culinary Arts participants must wear chef's attire for competition, and may also be worn to sessions.

Advisors, Chaperones, Guests:
Business professional attire

State Leadership Conference Banquet

Males: Dress pants or slacks, dress shirt with tie; optional sport coat or suit

Females: Semi-formal dress (*although the banquet is a special time, you do not need to purchase a prom-type dress*)
Skirts and dresses must be no shorter than 2 inches above the knee

Not Acceptable for Any Attendees at Anytime During Conferences

- Denim, flannel, or chambray fabric clothing of any kind
- Athletic wear, including tank tops, sweatpants, sweatshirts and athletic shoes
- Cargo pants
- Shorts
- Skirts and dresses shorter than 2 inches above the knee
- Backless, see-through, tight-fitting, spaghetti straps, strapless, low-cut blouses/tops/dresses
- Spandex, midriff tops and bathing suits
- Flip flops
- Hats (when indoors)
- Night wear (pajamas) should **NOT** be worn outside of your hotel room
- Any clothing with printing that is suggestive, obscene or promotes illegal substances

***Starting with the 2018 FCCLA National Leadership Conference, a FCCLA blazer from the official supplier is required for all students during sessions, exhibits, workshops and STAR Event competition. Refer to the National FCCLA dress code for more details.**