

PAGE Georgia Academic Decathlon

Dress Code

Appropriate attire for **Speech and Interview**, and the **Awards Banquet** is described below. Distracting apparel of any kind is considered inappropriate for all competition events.

The following are suggested and acceptable student dress standards:

Boys: blazer/sport coat, shirt and slacks; sweater, shirt and slacks or jeans without torn or ragged edges. Shoes must be worn.

Girls: Dress or skirt and blouse; blouse and slacks, or dressy jeans without torn or ragged edges. Shoes must be worn.

Team uniforms for both boys and girls are optional. Excessively baggy clothing is inappropriate.

Distracting apparel, **including hats** of any kind, are considered inappropriate. (Any student(s) who wear head apparel for religious reasons or other approved reasons will be exempt from this rule. However, the coach must list the student(s) on the Request for Special Needs/Consideration form by the published deadline.) If violations of the dress code are observed by the test proctor or PAGE GAD officials, the student will be given the opportunity to comply with dress standards prior to the event. Once a student has been allowed to compete in an event, he or she may NOT be disqualified based on dress standard violations but permitted to comply with the dress standards.

Failure to comply with dress standards may result in disqualification from the event, the entire competition and the awards ceremony. The decision of the PAGE Georgia Academic Decathlon State Director is final.