



## DRESS CODE COMPLIANCE

TAFE Conference & Competitive Events 2022-2023

<b>General TAFE Conference Dress</b>	<p><b>All competitors, judges, door monitors, timekeepers, runners, and teacher leaders in dress code.</b></p> <p>If you are neither competing nor working at the events, but you are in the conference area, you must be neatly groomed and in business casual dress.</p> <p>You <b>cannot</b> be in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Pajamas</li><li>• Swim Attire</li><li>• Shorts</li><li>• Jeans</li><li>• Athletic Attire</li><li>• T-shirts</li></ul>
<b>Competition &amp; Awards Recognition Dress</b>	<p><b>All students and teacher leaders should be in business professional dress.</b></p> <p><i>NOTE: Students should be aware that when competing - points may be deducted for what the judge considers to be inappropriate or non-businesslike appearance. (Examples of this may include visible tattoos, facial piercing, hair styles or colors, etc.)</i></p>
<b>TAFE Social Activities</b>	<p><b>You may wear your conference t-shirt or other TAFE shirt and nice jeans without holes.</b></p> <p>Note: Cover-ups must be worn over swimsuits when not in water related areas.</p>

### Females

- Dressy/Modest Shirt/Blouse with Sleeves (button-up, collared, polo, or shallow neckline is acceptable)
- Dress slacks or skirt/dress (with slits or length no higher than the knee) – No tight-fitting skirts
- Optional sweater or jacket
- Dress shoes (no full open-toed shoes, no athletic shoes including designer athletic, flip flops or sandals) (maximum 3" heel)
- No backless, see-through, tight-fitting, spaghetti straps, midriffs, strapless, low-cut, bralettes, etc. attire allowed.

### Males

- Collared shirt
- Dress slacks or khakis
- Optional: necktie, suit jacket, blazer, sweater, cardigan, or vest
- Dress shoes (no athletic shoes including designer athletic shoes, flip flops, or sandals)

### All

- Clean and neatly groomed (wrinkle-free/non-overly tight)
- Conference name badge worn for competition & awards
- No shorts are allowed at any TAFE Area or State Conference

**STUDENT MEMBER ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

I acknowledge I have read and understand fully the compliance requirements of the TAFE Dress Code and Event-Specific attire as listed above. I also understand the association expects me to comply with these guidelines so I will have the opportunity to not only participate in region and state TAFE events but to compete as well. I understand if I am not in dress code for competition, I will not be allowed to compete.

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**TAFE Member *Signature***

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**TAFE Member *PRINTED Name***

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**Date**

**TEACHER LEADER ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

I acknowledge I have read and understand the compliance requirements of the TAFE Dress Code and Event-Specific attire as listed above for me as well as my students. I also understand TAFE expects me, as a teacher leader, to consistently enforce these guidelines for my students as well as adults representing our school. I agree I want to be an exemplary teacher leader and I will dress in compliance with the expectations set forth by the TAFE Board of Directors. I will also ensure TAFE members and adults under my supervision remain in compliance with these standards as stated.

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**Teacher Leader *Signature***

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**Teacher Leader *PRINTED Name***

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**Date**

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**School Campus Name**

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**School City Name**

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**Region #**

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**A signed copy of this form must be in the possession of your Teacher Leader at all times whether you are competing or not. These will not be turned in but held by the teacher leader in case there is a question about compliance.**