

## PROM GUIDELINES FOR STUDENTS

### Prom Guidelines

1. Prom is for 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grade students.
2. Students may invite a guest.
  - a. Guests may not be 20 or older.
  - b. Students may invite a 10th grader to attend as a guest (9th grade and younger are not allowed to attend).
  - c. If the guest does not attend Faith Academy, he or she must fill out a Prom Visitor Application which can be obtained in the front office. Applications must be submitted to the front office or Student Life Director no later than the Wednesday before Prom. If the application is not received by Wednesday, the guest may not be allowed to attend.

### Prom Rules

1. As a school function, all school rules are in effect even though the dance is not on school property. **Please refer to Faith Academy Handbook Policies.**
2. Once a student or guest leaves the dance he/she **is not** allowed to return.
3. No food or drinks are allowed inside the facility from the outside. Refreshments are available inside the facility.
4. Tobacco products, vapes, non-prescriptive drugs, alcohol, or weapons are not allowed at a FAMF sponsored event.
5. Public displays of affection will not be permitted at any school-related activity.
6. Students and guests are required to sign in upon admission.
7. Only approved guests will be admitted.
8. Parents and students assume responsibility for any accident or property damage while attending and traveling to and from the prom.
9. The administrators and sponsors reserve the right to make any other decisions needed to ensure a safe night for the students and their guests.
10. Administrators and sponsors reserve the right to refuse admittance to any student or guest that is inappropriately dressed. Please refer to the dress guidelines below.
11. Students or guests who do not comply with these rules will be removed from the dance.

### Dress Code

**Boys** are encouraged to dress appropriately with the minimum requirement being dress shirt with tie, dress pants, regular or dress shoes. Dressy turtleneck with a jacket is also acceptable, suit or tuxedo are excellent choices to complement the girls' dresses.

**Girls** may wear dressy or formal dresses and evening or ball gowns that are in keeping with modest standards. To avoid any misunderstanding, we do have the following restrictions: **no low-cut or plunging necklines or open plunging backs (below the bra-line); skirts, dresses and slits should be no shorter than 4 inches above the knee; no inappropriate bare sections; and no extremely tight or see-through dresses. The overall look should be modest.**

Strapless dresses and dresses with spaghetti straps are allowed as long as the dress is still modest in presentation. **No cleavage.** If in doubt, err on the side of modesty. If you have any specific questions, feel free to call or email Kim Hansard to discuss them. These requirements and guidelines will be enforced, and you may be sent home if you do not follow them.