



Menachem Av 5776
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Dear Parents,

I hope this letter finds you well.

The times we live in are constantly posing new challenges and struggles. What used to be a struggle only for girls, has now seeped into our boys' "world". Contemporary "Fashion" has become an issue and nisayon for today's talmidim as well. I would like to ask for your help in addressing the area of the dress code in our Yeshiva. Loud colored shoes and shirts, and **tight fitting pants** have become more and more popular today. This does not conform to the dress code of our Yeshiva.

Our Yeshiva has a dress code policy in which we expect our Talmidim to wear dark shoes, dark dress pants (loose fitting), and white or light colored shirts. A copy of the policy is attached to this letter. During this time of year, when it is common to shop for clothing, we ask that you help us in this area to ensure that your sons attend Yeshiva dressed properly and in a dignified manner reflective of a Ben Torah. We request that you pay attention to your son's manner of dress and ensure that he comes to Yeshiva dressed appropriately.

We appreciate your continuing help and partnership as we strive to be Mechanech our children and maintain an atmosphere of Kedusha.

Wishing you all a wonderful summer.

Sincerely

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Menahel



Dress Code

A Talmid who comes to Yeshiva looking like a Ben Torah, has taken the first step to do his best.

- A hat and jacket is required for all T'filos. (a suit type jacket is required)
- **Talmidim are expected to wear light and conservative colored dress shirts without pronounced patterns.** Shirts are to be tucked in at all times and in all places of the Yeshiva except the gym.
- **Dark colored (dark blue, black, dark grey) dress pants.** Khaki and tight fitting pants are not acceptable.
- **Black Shoes (not dark sneakers or clogs)**
- Socks must cover the ankles
- **Sweatshirts with logos or with a hood may not be worn in Yeshiva.**
- Personal grooming and facial hair must be with the utmost Kovod of a Ben Torah
- Yarmulkas must be of appropriate size and good taste