

# AOA Boarding Student Information and Forms 2009-2010

## Boarding Student Checklist

*Please keep this sheet for reference*



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### **DRESS CODE**

The Daily Dress Code for Grades 6-12 for school is as follows:

- Solid color polo style shirts in navy blue, gray or white with embroidered AOA logo (available for purchase only in Phoenix Spirit Shop)
- Solid navy blue sweaters with embroidered AOA logo
- Dockers-style pants in solid khaki or navy blue – **no cargo pants**
- AOA plaid skirt or Khaki skirt – no shorter than 2" above the knee (can be ordered through AOA)
- Socks, tights or knee socks must be worn (color must be solid white or navy blue)
- Brown or black dress shoes. Brown or black leather belt must be worn if pants have belt loops
- No excessive makeup; no body, tongue or plug ear piercing, no visible tattoos.
- Hair must be one natural color and neatly styled. Boys' hair should be cut so it does not touch the shirt collar or cover the eyebrows. Boys must be clean shaven.

### **DORMITORY INFORMATION**

- Boarders must make their own beds each and every day and keep their rooms clean and neat at all times. Boarders will also participate in general dorm cleanup as required.
- Boarders are expected to be respectful of other boarders and the residential staff. Boarders must sign out and sign in whenever leaving and returning to the dorms, and let house parents know their whereabouts.
- Boarders are responsible for their own laundry. Washers and dryers are available in each dorm at no charge. Irons and ironing boards are also available.
- Boarders have access to microwaves and refrigerators in dorm kitchens but are not permitted to use stoves.
- All dorms have internet access for personal computers. In addition, all dorms have a school computer and printer available for personal use by the boarders.
- Shopping is available in the area to purchase any items that may be needed.

### **ITEMS YOU WILL NEED (please label all of your belongings):**

#### **For your room:**

- A small lockable box for money and valuables. *Please leave any precious, irreplaceable items at home.*
- Linens for a twin mattress: sheets, pillowcases, blanket and/or comforter, pillow. **For safety reasons, electric blankets and electric heating pads ARE NOT PERMITTED!**
- Towels, toiletries, hairdryers, curling irons, laundry basket, laundry detergent, small trash can
- Small clock radio or an alarm clock, desk lamp
- Container with an airtight lid for snacks

#### **Clothes:**

- Daily Dress Code items specified above
- Casual clothing for after school and weekends. Occasionally a "Jeans Day" will be scheduled. Clothing that is appropriate for these days will be explained to the students in advance.
- One or two dress outfits (dresses and/or skirts for girls and dress pants, white shirt and ties for boys) for special school events.
- Appropriate outerwear for cold weather – raincoat and/or umbrella, winter coat, scarf, hat and/or mittens.
- Bathrobes and slippers

#### **Optional Items:**

- Personal computer and surge protector – internet access is available in all the dorms
- Your musical instrument (all dorms have pianos)
- Bicycle

### **ITEMS YOU CANNOT BRING:**

- "Hot Pots", hot plates, microwave ovens or portable refrigerators for dorm rooms
- Candles, incense burners
- Electric blankets, electric heating pads