



# *Visitation School*

## Graduation Dress Guidelines

In the Visitation tradition, our graduates wear **white** dresses.

We ask that the dresses be appropriate for afternoon wear in modesty and style.

### **Dresses must...**

- be simple.
- be either floor length or tea length.
- hemmed **no more than 4 inches above the ankle** (if tea length).
- not be a halter top style.
- have straps at least **2 inches wide**.
- not have slits above the knee.
- not have cut-outs.
- not plunge lower in the back than where the bra band is (or would be).
- not reveal any cleavage, the dress should hit at the highest point on the breast bone.
- only white shoes, sandals must have an ankle strap. See below.
- No necklaces of any kind may be worn because they will interfere with the presentation of the crescents.

To ensure that each graduate's chosen dress complies with all of the required guidelines, seniors must obtain approval by one of the members of the Graduation Committee before April 13, 2022.

### **Graduation Shoes Guidelines**

- White
- Flat or high-heeled
- Shoes must be easy for the graduate to walk in.
  - Heels should not be too tall.
  - Shoes should not slide off the back of her heel.
- No flip-flops.
- Sandals are permitted as long as the shoes have a strap in the back.
- Open-toed shoes are permitted.
- Wedges with cork soles are permitted.

While we understand that finding white shoes can be quite difficult as styles and trends change, other shades or colors of shoes are not in keeping with our tradition.