



**PROVIDENCE ACADEMY
PROM EVENT
2023**

**Prom Information
Behavior & Attire
Requirements**



Purpose

The Purpose of this presentation is to outline and clarify the formal dress and behavior expectations for Providence Academy 2023 Prom



**Providence Academy
students and their
guests must meet
these expectations in
order to be admitted
to Prom**



If, after reviewing this information you have questions, about any of the information or expectations, please contact

Mrs. Gregg
Mr. McElroy
or
Mr. Jaeger

Providence Academy 2023 Prom

Saturday, May 13, 2023

Edina Country Club

**5100 Wooddale Avenue
Edina, MN**

Dinner and Dancing

**7:00 - 11:00 PM
\$125.00 per person**

Self and Valet Parking Available

Who May Attend Prom

- All students in 11th and 12th grade are encouraged to attend
- These students may invite a student from the 10th grade
- No 9th grade students may attend Prom

Guest Policy

An 11th or 12th grade student may invite a guest from outside the PA community.

All guests must . . .

- Be a currently enrolled 10th - 12th grade student
- Provide a fully completed Guest permission form
- Be approved by the Dean of Students
- Agree to abide by the PA Prom behavior and dress requirements

Event Guests

Students may purchase a ticket for a guest to this event provided that they are of the opposite sex

Prior to Prom ...

BEFORE Prom all attendees must . . .

- Purchase a ticket in the US office
- Ticket fees will be charged to student accounts
- Provide a completed hard-copy of the “Prom Covenant” form (or Guest Covenant) signed by both the student and their parent/guardian
- All forms must be submitted to the US office prior to 3:15 pm on Wednesday, May 10th, 2023

Admission Requirements

When arriving at Prom, all attendees shall

- Arrive at the Prom before 7:30 pm
- Submit to an on-site breathalyzer
- Have their attire inspected
- Sign out with a chaperone if departing prior to 10 pm

Formal Dress Regulations For Ladies & Gentlemen

Guiding Principle

All attire must be in keeping with Providence Academy's general standards of neatness, cleanliness, and modesty



**The purchase of a
ticket and
completion of the
Prom Covenant is
an implicit consent
to the follow
PA's Behavior and
Formal Dress
requirements**



Event
Chaperones
reserve the right
to deny entry to
any attendee
whose attire
does not meet
PA requirements



Students will not have the opportunity to change/modify their outfits at check-in. All should arrive appropriately attired



With the exception of changing from heels to flats, students may not change/modify their outfits at any point once they have been admitted to the event



Ladies Formal Dress Requirements

Dress/Gown

- The front of the dress may rest no lower than 4 inches below the top of the sternum
- The back of the dress may rest no lower than the band of a standard bra
- There may be no visible cleavage



*Photos retrieved from Nordstrom's website
2020

Ladies' Short Dress Guidelines

Short Dresses

- Dress should not exceed 4 inches above the knee
- Should be solid/opaque
- Any lace/sheer overlay is not considered when accounting for the length of the dress
- The wearing of nylons, leggings, tights, etc. does not negate the length requirement
- There may be no visible cleavage



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Ladies' Formal Dress Guidelines

Dress/Gown

- May have a slit in either the front or back that is no higher than 4 inches above the knee
- May not have cut-outs or exposed midriff
- Any lace/sheer overlay is not considered when accounting for panels



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Shawls, Shrugs, & Pashminas

If an outfit relies on a shawl, shrug, sweater or pashmina to meet our formal attire standards, that article of clothing must be worn for the duration of the event.



Gentlemen's' Formal Dress Requirements

**Gentlemen
must wear
either a suit
or tuxedo**



If the suit has
a print upon it,
the subject
matter of the
print must be
PA appropriate



The outfit must include:

- Traditional tie
- Bow tie
- Bolo tie



The outfit must
include:

Belt

or

Suspenders



The outfit must
include:

Shoes
&
Socks





Rule of Thumb

- Match shoes to belt





If you have suspenders, don't wear a belt and vice versa.

