

MONITOR Modes:

Class Acts For '87



MOST SCHOOL SPIRITED: Lively fall fashions for spirited students in brights and bold stripes. His cotton rugby by City Streets is available in a variety of colors and stripes, and is worn with Levi's stonewashed jeans. Her sporty outfit is by Hunt Club. The "88" logo sweater in red with multi-stripes is teamed with pleated prewashed jeans. Available in select JCPenney stores.

MOST FLIRTATIOUS: Tough and tender acid washed denim for Fall flirtations. She wears acid washed overalls by Shades and colorful plaid flannel shirt by Hunt Club. He'll be irresistible in an acid washed jacket by Snafu and jeans by Levi's. Available in select JCPenney stores.

This fall, back-to-school does *not* mean back to basics. Fashion pieces predominate the season's campus wardrobes, as comfortable separates emerge in "Euro-prep" designs both for men and women.

The look is preppy, the effect is more modern, and the selection is more versatile! Suiting up for autumn '87 means slipping into fashions that meet your style and many moods.

The hottest word in campus couture is definitely denim especially in stone and acid-wash jeanswear (done on black as well as blue indigo).

Color is very important this fall, particularly above the waist. Shades are less aggressive than in seasons past and are more often mixed—with at least two solids working together or one predominant hue worn with an accent. Traditional neutrals (black, white, grey, beige) are combined with the deepest classics (ink blue, forest green, mustard, regal purple) in both subtle and dramatic patterns.

Women's tops will be larger, bottoms narrower. Knit tops continue to be a strong fall trend for men, while trousers remain comfortably full-cut, tapering slightly at the leg to a modified straight cut.

The campus style is still layered, and it's fun! A unique look is created in how the sweat-shirt is layered over the tee shirt or blouse, whether the shirt-tail hangs or not. Sometimes dressier items are worn with the acid-wash denim.

The fashion message on campus this season is clear: casual flair, clearly striking.