

DRESS CODE

The district has certain dress and grooming criteria that must be complied with by students. These dress and grooming standards are intended to encourage good grooming and hygiene, instill discipline, prevent disruption, avoid safety hazards and teach respect for authority. Administrators have the responsibility to determine appropriateness of attire and grooming expectations for the school setting, and to enforce the dress and grooming standards that are established for district students.

- Any shirt with a finished neckline
- Must be appropriately buttoned
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- Jeans (no holes above the knee)
- All shorts, skirts and dresses must be-knee length or longer, to include basketball and/or athletic shorts
- Warm-ups
- Sweats (must fit appropriately)
- Any T-shirt that is not offensive – t-shirts cannot have anything related to drugs, gangs, alcohol, sex, ammunition... Principal's discretion
- Sandals are acceptable
- Shirts do not have to be tucked in – but should be no longer than around the hips
- Leggings may be worn with an appropriate top that ends/falls no shorter than 3 inches above the knee

The Following Items are PROHIBITED:

- Shoes with wheels
- House shoes, shower shoes, or slides
- Sagging (no visible undergarments)
- Sleeveless shirts
- Inappropriate facial piercings or tattoos
- Bandanas, flags, or gang related attire
- No type of head covering, cap or hat, hair rollers or long-handled combs may be worn inside the building (except head scarves for religious purposes)
- Halter tops, exposed midriffs, strapless and/or low cut tops that expose breasts or cleavage, exposed backs, spaghetti straps and see-through clothing are not permitted (undergarments shall not be visible or exposed)
- Clothing that promote violence or reflect gang activity are prohibited. Clothing that is considered offensive, inflammatory or disruptive to the learning environment are prohibited. This prohibition includes, but is not limited to, inappropriate advertising or statements that are offensive or inflammatory, alcoholic beverages, profanity, sex, tobacco, drugs, gangs, guns and other weapons, excessively violent or gory imagery, and the promotion of violence and death.
- Pajamas
- Revealing or excessively tight garments (tops, stretch pants, jeggings and yoga pants) are prohibited.

Identification Badges (Mandatory Grades 6-12)

ID's will be worn and appropriately displayed at all times during the school day and at all school functions. ID's are not to be defaced or have any items placed on the front or the back. Each student will be issued a plastic ID card. The first ID card is issued free. A charge of \$5.00 will be made for replacement cards. This card must be presented to school officials upon request for identification. Students may be asked to produce ID cards in order to purchase tickets to school events, to be admitted to a student function, and to vote in student elections. Students who are unable to produce their ID will be subject to disciplinary action.