

STUDENT DRESS CODE AND UNIFORMS - Grades 7 - 12

All students must dress in compliance with the student uniform policy.

Students shall dress in such a manner that clothing or appearance is not a source of distraction and does not endanger their safety, health, or physical well being, or that of others. Students should be well groomed, clean, and neat, and dressed in a manner conducive to learning. Final interpretations of appropriate dress and grooming will reside with the building principal.

Shorts are permitted FOR ELEMENTARY STUDENTS ONLY from the first day of school through September 30th, and again, from May 1st through the last day of school. **SHORTS ARE NOT PERMITTED AT ANY TIME FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES 7-12.**

The school uniform policy prescribes the following:

1. Slacks and Skirts
 - A. Must be solid colors.
 - B. Skirts must be of reasonable length so as not to be considered a distraction.
 - C. Jeans are not permitted, except on out-of-uniform days
 - D. Sweat pants and other athletic wear are not permitted unless they are Titan spirit wear.
 - E. Yoga pants are not permitted
2. Shirts, Sweatshirts, Sweater Vests, and Sweaters
 - A. Shirts must have a collar.
 - B. Sweatshirts/hoodies are acceptable with collared shirt underneath; hoods must remain down.
 - C. Any artwork (logo, insignia, emblem, etc.) must not include inappropriate content as described below.
3. No clothing or tattoos may bear insignia that are:
 - A. Indecent or obscene
 - B. Suggestive of violence, including gang identification
 - C. Threatening or demeaning
 - D. Promote alcohol, tobacco or drugs
 - E. Likely to interfere with the educational process
4. Any jewelry that poses a risk to the student or others is not permitted.
5. Articles of clothing meant to be worn outdoors rather than indoors, with the exception of sweatshirts/hoodies, may not be worn during the school day and should be kept in the students' lockers or assigned areas.

6. Hats, head coverings, headgear, scarves, headbands, bandanas, pins, gloves, mittens, and/or sunglasses are not to be worn; medical and religious exceptions will be made. Heavy chains, studded bracelets, dog collars, and other articles that may be judged to be potentially dangerous to the students and/or could be used as weapons, will not be permitted.
7. Book bags, backpacks, and large utility bags will not be allowed in classrooms and must be kept in school-provided lockers or in areas designated by the principal or other staff members.
8. The final interpretation of appropriate dress, grooming, and uniform standards rests with the building administrator.

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