

2020-21 Dress Code (from the Student Handbook)

DRESS CODE GUIDELINES

- ☒ Tops must have a sleeve that comes off of the shoulder. No sleeveless, straps or bare midriff tops are permitted. Shirts and tops must extend over the waist; no skin may be exposed at the belly/waist line; shirts may not be see-through.
- ☒ Clothing with holes 6 inches above the knees is prohibited.
- ☒ Students must wear shoes to school, and at all school related functions.
- ☒ Underwear, boxers, or bras without complete covering are prohibited. Sagging pants that expose underwear are not allowed. All pants must be worn at the waist.
- ☒ All shorts, dresses, or skirts cannot be shorter than 6 inches above the knee.
- ☒ No head coverings of any kind are allowed.
- ☒ Bandanas are not to be worn or displayed on campus or school activities.
- ☒ Sunglasses are not allowed.
- ☒ Prohibited tops: strapless garments, tube tops, bare back tops, see-through tops or garments, shirts tied at the midriff, one shoulder strap tops, and muscle shirts. Students may not wear clothing that is either revealing or provocative.
- ☒ All items that advertise or encourage the use of drugs, alcohol, or tobacco are prohibited.
- ☒ Belt or wallet chains are prohibited.
- ☒ Spandex, leggings, and biker shorts are permitted at school if worn with shirts and tops that extend over the waist when arms are raised.
- ☒ Students are prohibited from wearing attire that may be used as weapons, such as chain belts, wallet chains, and apparel with spikes.
- ☒ Clothing articles shall not convey messages (writing, pictures, symbols, or logo) that are crude, vulgar, obscene, gang-related, and sexually suggestive or other things deemed inappropriate for school.

EXAMPLES OF INAPPROPRIATE CLOTHING & ATTIRE

- Sagging or low riding pants or slacks
- Pajamas or house slippers
- Crop tops
- One-shoulder strap tops
- Strapless garments
- Bare midriff tops & shirts
- Tube tops
- Bare back tops
- Spaghetti straps
- Head coverings (any kind)
- Chains (any kind) belts or wallet
- Bandanas worn or displayed
- Revealing shorts, skirts, or shirts
- Sunglasses

NO WARNINGS WILL BE ISSUED. STUDENTS FOUND IN VIOLATION OF DRESS CODE WILL BE REMOVED FROM CLASS. PARENTS WILL BE NOTIFIED. DRESS CODE VIOLATIONS WILL REQUIRE DISCIPLINARY ACTION:

- ☒ **1st offense:** Counseling, review of dress code, parent contact, and retained in ISS until appropriate clothing is provided by parent/guardian.

☒ **2nd offense:** Counseling, review of dress code, parent contact, ISS lunch detention, retained in ISS until appropriate clothing is provided by parent/guardian.

☒ **3 or more offenses:** Counseling, parent conference, Saturday School, and retained in ISS until appropriate clothing must be provided by parent/guardian.

School officials will act as the judge of the appropriateness of clothing. Students found in violation of the dress code are subject to disciplinary measures as outline in the student Code of Conduct to include suspension from school activities, sports, or events.