

SMITH MIDDLE SCHOOL

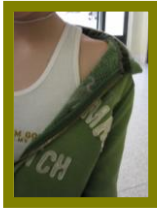


Dress Code Policy

It is the responsibility of parents and students to see to that school dress is appropriate and not disruptive to the educational process. We want students to take pride in their appearance, pride in their education, and pride in their school.



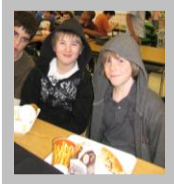
Shorts, skirts, or dresses must fall below mid-thigh. They must be below the student's fingertips when students are standing and their arms are at their sides.



No halter-tops, bare midriffs, tank tops or spaghetti straps tops may be worn by either boys or girls. See-through or open-mesh tops are unacceptable when worn alone. Acceptable tops must have straps that are approximately three fingers wide.



No clothing with inappropriate messages may be worn. This includes but is not limited to sexual reference, profanity, alcohol or drugs.



No hats or head coverings may be worn in school unless religiously mandated.



Coats, jackets and any other outside dress must be left in lockers.



Clothing should be of proper fit and not revealing. Baggy pants, which display underwear, are unacceptable.



For safety reasons, shoes must be worn all times.