

Hook Jr High School Dress Code Policy 2020-2021

Girls (G), Boys (B), Girls and Boys (G/B)

In order to promote a positive learning environment, all students are expected to “dress for success.” Students are to be in correct dress code at all times on campus and at some off campus school related functions. Enhanced dress code must be worn on field trips. Parents are asked to understand the dress code, and support its enforcement to support learning. The following standards are designed to promote learning and safety for all students.

Shirts (G / B)

- Unaltered solid green, yellow, white, gray or black color polo. Polo may be short or long sleeve, of the appropriate size and fit for the student. Polos must be free from any design or logo (HJHS logo allowed).
- Nothing underneath polo shirts except one solid colored black or white, short or long-sleeve under shirt. No print or embroidering on the undershirt.
- A solid colored dress shirt in green, yellow, white, gray or black, in the appropriate size and fit for the student which may be accompanied with a solid colored or conservative print tie.
- School sponsored t-shirts, college t-shirts and sweatshirts may be worn in lieu of Polo.
- **HJHS sports jerseys or PE shirts may not be worn in lieu of dress code polo or dress shirt.**

Pants and Shorts (G / B)

- (G / B) Students must wear plain pocket, front or pleated cotton /polyester /twill /dress /suit pants or shorts (such as Dockers or Dickies) in the following solid colors: khaki or black. Corduroy, denim/jeans or denim/jean-like, or knit material is not allowed.
- (G/B) Pants/shorts must not be cut-off or rolled-up.
- (G) Solid uniform jumpers and polo dresses may be worn in khaki and black.
- (G) Pants, shorts, skirts or dresses must be worn appropriately at the waist, be of appropriate size, must fall just above the student’s kneecaps or below (no more than 3 inches above the knee cap), without holes, tears or frays.
- (G) Solid colored black or gray knit leggings/tights, without holes or tears, can only be worn with appropriate length skirts/skorts. Other clothing must not be visible under pants or skirts.
- **HJHS PE shorts may only be worn during PE class.**
 - **Sweats, Athletic pants, or pajama pants are not permitted**

Shoes and Socks (G / B)

- Closed-toed shoes must be worn (flats only). Shoes must be laced up, with tongue inside, and tied securely.
- No slippers, sandals, or sliders allowed.

Belts (G / B)

- Solid colored black or brown belts may be worn but may not extend down the front of pants.
- Belts are to be worn in the belt loops of pants only.
- Belt-buckles must not be oversized and must be school appropriate.

Cold Weather Wear (G / B)

- A solid colored solid green, yellow, white, gray or black cardigan sweater; vest; hoodie; or sweatshirt. Logos

and printing must be school appropriate. If sweatshirts are worn over the top of the school shirt, the collar of the school shirt must be visible.

- Heavy winter coats do not need to be solid in color and may not be worn inside the classroom.
- Solid or printed scarves may be worn appropriately tied around the neck with no inappropriate language or images.

Jewelry and Make-Up (G / B)

- No oversized (no bigger than a quarter in diameter) hoops, spiked, or dangling earrings beyond the earlobe are permitted for safety reasons.
- Other jewelry must be conservative and appropriate for school or will have to be removed.***
- Chains of any kind are not permitted.
- No stickers, temporary tattoos or writing is allowed on body or clothing.

Head Coverings (G / B)

- HJHS or plain-solid colored green, yellow, white, gray or black visors, beanies, fedoras, caps are allowed on campus for the purposes of sun protection. No other head coverings are permitted.
- Solid colored scarves and may be worn.
- Hats, beanies, or hoods of any kind may not be worn during class time.

Jean Day(G/B)—Occasionally, we will have “jeans days.” The following guidelines are to be followed on “jeans days.”

- Jeans, capris and denim Bermuda shorts (knee length) are permitted on jean days.
- Jeans and denim shorts must not have holes or be torn or frayed.
- With the exception of jeans, students must follow the regular enhanced dress code (must wear polos or HJHS approved enhanced dress code tops.)

Casual Dress Days—Occasionally, we will have “Casual Dress days.” The following guidelines are to be followed on “casual dress days”:

- Jeans, pants, Bermuda shorts, or skirts, following the enhanced dress code criteria regarding fit and length (free of holes and tears). Colored jeans are okay.
- T-shirts or other casual shirts/blouses are permitted provided they are modest and do not make reference to gangs, drugs, alcoholic beverages, tobacco, offensive activities, derogatory words and/or phrases, or sexually explicit content. “Double meaning” t-shirts are not permitted.
 - All clothing must not reveal undergarments (including bra straps) and must not be revealing or distracting.

- No spaghetti-strap or rope style strap tops, no backless or strapless tops, no see-through clothing, no bathing suits, tank tops or tank dresses.
- No pajamas or pajama type clothing.

Distracting Clothing

No clothing or jewelry that is determined by any teacher or staff member to distract from the learning process is permitted. Clothing and accessories must be free of suggestive words, phrases, or double meanings.

***** Administration reserves the right to determine what constitutes appropriate dress.*****

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