

DUNCANVILLE ISD STUDENT DRESS CODE



General Guidelines

The Board of Trustees delegates to the principal the authority to make final determinations as to whether clothing or grooming is or is not within this Code. The ruling of the building principal regarding compliance/non-compliance with this Dress & Grooming Code and corresponding consequences assigned for violation of the Code is final and may not be appealed to the Superintendent, his/her designee, or the Board.

The District prohibits pictures, emblems, or writings on clothing that are lewd, offensive, vulgar or obscene, or that depict or advertise tobacco products, cult or gang-related, alcoholic beverages of any kind, drugs, or any other controlled substances, and prohibits any dress or grooming that in the principal's judgment is startling, unusual, or immodest.

Tops

- All shirts must have sleeves that cover the shoulders and be constructed of a solid material.
- Sheer/see-through material is not allowed.
- Shirts must be long enough to reach below the top of the pant/skirt.
- All shirts/blouses must cover cleavage, the entire back, and midriff/stomach.
- Crop tops, spaghetti straps, tube tops, camisole tops, and any shirt that DOES NOT reach below the top of the pant/skirt and/or cover the midriff/stomach are not allowed.

Bottoms

- All bottoms including pants, shorts, skirts/dresses, skorts, rompers, and jumpers must be made of solid material and reach at least to mid-thigh or longer.
- Distressed jeans or bottoms are allowed. Leggings are required underneath distressed jeans or bottoms if there are holes/rips above the knee.
- Holes or rips should not be any larger than the palm of the student's hand.
- Sagging of any bottoms is not allowed.
- Yoga pants, stretch pants, spandex leggings/jeggings, Spanx, or similar clothing items are not permitted unless overlaid with a shirt/blouse that covers the student's legs to mid thigh or longer.

Shoes

- Suitable footwear shall be worn at all times.
- All footwear must be soled and must have a back.
- Crocs shoes that are closed toe with a back are allowed.
- Athletic shoes are required for PE, recess and any other physical activity or sport.
- Flip flops, shower shoes, beach thongs, house shoes, and shoe heeled higher than 2 inches are not allowed.
- Heelys, shoes with wheels, and shoes with spikes are not allowed.
- Open toed shoes are not allowed.

Jewelry, Headwear and Grooming, and Other Items

- Students' hair shall be clean, neat, and well-groomed.
- Hair styles or color shall not, in the opinion of administration, cause a health or safety hazard or cause a disruption of the educational process.
- Facial hair should be neat, clean, closely trimmed, and not be a distraction to the learning environment.
- For safety reasons, all students shall refrain from exhibiting eyebrow, lip, nose, or other facial piercings.
- Facial/Body piercings or body piercing spacers, gauges, cones, and similar items are not allowed.
- Pajamas and sleepwear are not allowed.
- Dark glasses (sunglasses) are not permitted in the building unless there is a written request of a physician and/or with the permission of the principal.
- Garments with hoods may not be worn with the hood over the head inside the building.
- Hats, caps, bandanas, headscarves, bonnets, or other headwear are not allowed on campus during school hours. The principal may grant an exception for medical or religious reasons.