

## **DRESS CODE - LCHS**

Cleanliness of persons and appropriate apparel is expected as a matter of health and aesthetics. The dress of students must be in good taste, appropriate for school activities, in accordance with the school rules, and not be disruptive to the learning environment. LCHS's dress code is designed to reduce the likelihood of distraction or disruption and to maintain an academic focus in the classroom and on campus. Lee County High School does not permit revealing clothing. Administrators have the final authority in all judgments related to dress and hygiene.

Dress code:

- Clothing should cover the body from mid chest to mid thigh, with no exposed skin. For example, all clothing should be non-revealing in the chest area and midriff area whether standing or sitting.
- All shirts must have at least 2 finger width straps
- Undergarments are required but should not be exposed/visible
- Skin tight shorts or pants should be opaque and not see through
- All clothing considered to be sleep attire, including shoes, are prohibited.
  - Pillows and blankets are not appropriate for a classroom setting. Do not bring them.
- Sunglasses, chains, and dog collars are prohibited
- All clothing that references alcohol, drugs, gangs, profanity, sex, or violence is prohibited
- Trench coats and body length coats are not allowed.
- Proper shoes must be worn at all times.
- Any item that is a safety concern or disruptive to the learning environment will be handled appropriately.

\*Teacher discretion in classroom for hats, hoods on sweatshirts, earbuds/headphones, and other apparel

### **APPROPRIATE ATTIRE FOR SOME INSTRUCTIONAL ENVIRONMENTS:**

- For lab classes, such as Chemistry, Anatomy, Physical Science, Biology, Physics, Metals, Ag., and Construction, shoes that cover the feet entirely (no flip-flops, open-toed or backless shoes) and legs should be covered completely. Other specific clothing requirements will be covered in individual classes. Safety glasses are required in lab settings.
- Specific clothing requirements will be given for PE courses at the beginning of each semester.

**CONSEQUENCES FOR DRESS CODE VIOLATIONS:** In all instances a change of clothing will be required. If the student is unable to obtain a change of clothing, he/she may be placed in ISS for the remainder of the day."

1st offense Warning

2nd offense 1 detention

3rd offense 3 detentions

4th offense 1 day Saturday School or ISS + parent contact

5th offense + Saturday School / ISS + parent contact