

## DRESS CODE:

According to the Wakulla County School Board Code of Student Conduct, a student's mode of dress and grooming in the school shall meet standards of decency, modesty, personal hygiene, and safety, and be conducive to maintenance of a proper educational environment. Accordingly, excessively revealing clothes and costumes or accessories which tend to distract fellow students in the pursuit of their educational activities or disrupt the normal activities of the school will be prohibited. The following specific rules are observed:

1. Any shirt which can not be tucked in and/or leaves the stomach bare is prohibited.
2. Any shirt which does not have at least 2 inches on the shoulder is prohibited.
3. Pants or shorts which are obviously too large or too small for the child and which tend to hang below the waist are prohibited. At no time should a student's mode of dress expose their underwear. If a belt is needed it should be worn.
4. **Tights, yoga pants, leotards/leggings, or any other form fitting pants must be covered by clothing that is approximately mid thigh length when in a standing position.**
5. **Shorts or skirts must be approximately 3 inches above the knee or longer.**
6. Shoes must be worn at all times. Shoes that come off the foot easily are not allowed for safety purposes. Shoes and other articles of clothing which light up are not permitted.
7. **Hats and head-coverings shall not be worn in school.**
8. Shirts with indecent or suggestive wording or pictures are prohibited.
9. Clothing or other accessories that advocate or advertise the use of tobacco, alcohol or drugs are prohibited.
10. Bandannas shall not be worn or displayed in any manner except those approved by the principal or assistant principal.
11. Chains used for belts or wallets are prohibited.
12. No pajamas, nightshirts, bedroom slippers, etc.
13. Holes in pants shall show **NO** skin or underwear from 3 inches above the knee or higher.

***The only exceptions to the dress code will be for Physical Education or the wearing of a uniform designed for athletic purposes.***

Violations to dress code policies may include verbal warnings, parent phone call lunch, or in-school suspension, out of school suspension, etc., according to the frequency and severity of the offense. The only exceptions to the dress code will be for Physical Education or an athletic uniform. The school administration reserves the right to adjust or change any policy if an item is deemed inappropriate for the school environment.

ELECTRONIC GAMES, DOLLS, TOYS, BEEPERS, TRADING CARDS, CAMERAS, RADIOS, TAPE/CD PLAYERS, RECORDED MUSIC, MP3 PLAYERS, IPODS, VIDEO CAMERAS: These or similar items are not to be brought to school unless specifically approved by the principal or designee for educational purposes.

EMERGENCY DRILLS: