

## **KNOWLTON ELEMENTARY DRESS CODE – STUDENTS AND ADULTS**

Clothing must cover the area from one armpit across to the other. Tops must have shoulder straps, no spaghetti straps, or wide openings in the armpit. Shirts should be long enough to not show bare midriffs. Shorts and skirts need to cover all underclothing, no short shorts.

Shoes must be worn and should be safe for the school environment. Exceptions to this would be determined by administration to accommodate specific activities or accommodations. Proper shoes must be worn during physical education classes.

Head gear including hats, hoodies and caps are not typically worn indoors, unless permitted for religious, medical, or other reasons approved by school administration.

Clothing may not depict, imply, advertise, or advocate illegal, violent, or lewd conduct, weapons, or the use of alcohol, tobacco, or drugs. Clothing may not display or imply vulgar, discriminatory, or obscene language or images.

Please remember that proper attire can positively influence the way your child academically and behaviorally approaches his/her school day.

Please make certain that your children are dressed appropriately for weather conditions. With few exceptions, students will need to be dressed so they can go outdoors during recess and lunch recess times. If conditions, or temperatures fall below recommended standards, students will be allowed to stay indoors.

### **HAIR:**

All students will wear their hair in a clean and well-groomed manner. Extreme styles that cause a disruption to learning will be addressed by administration.

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