

VENANGO TECHNOLOGY CENTER

SECTION: PUPILS

TITLE: DRESS AND GROOMING

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221. DRESS AND GROOMING	
<p>1. Purpose</p>	<p>The Joint Committee recognizes that each student's mode of dress and grooming is a manifestation of personal style and individual preference.</p>
<p>2. Authority SC 1317.3 Title 22 Sec. 12.11</p>	<p>The Joint Committee has the authority to impose limitations on students' dress in school. The Joint Committee will not interfere with the right of students and their parents/guardians to make decisions regarding their appearance, except when their choices disrupt the educational program of the center or constitute a health or safety hazard.</p> <p>The Joint Committee prohibits backpacks at the Venango Technology Center.</p>
<p>Title 22 Sec. 12.11</p>	<p>Students may be required to wear certain types of clothing while participating in technical education programs, extracurricular activities, or other situations where special attire may be required to ensure the health or safety of the student.</p>
<p>3. Delegation of Responsibility</p>	<p>The building administrator or designee shall be responsible to monitor student dress and grooming, and to enforce Joint Committee policy and center rules governing student dress and grooming.</p>
<p>Title 22 Sec. 12.11</p>	<p>The Director or designee shall ensure that all rules implementing this policy impose only the minimum necessary restrictions on the exercise of the student's taste and individuality.</p>
<p>Pol. 325</p>	<p>Staff members shall be instructed to demonstrate, by example, positive attitudes toward safety, neatness, cleanliness, propriety, modesty, and good sense in attire and appearance.</p>

References:

School Code – 24 P.S. Sec. 1317.3

State Board of Education Regulations – 22 PA Code Sec. 12.11

Joint Committee Policy – 325