




Young Women's STEAM Academy at Balch Springs  
2024-2025 Student Dress Code



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	Pants & Skirts	Shirts
 <p><b>Color:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ 6th grade: Gray</li> <li>■ 7th grade: Black</li> <li>■ 8th grade: Purple</li> <li>■ 9th grade: Lavender</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Pleated or Flat-Front Pants</li> <li>● Skirts</li> <li>● <i>No Jeans or Jeggings</i></li> <li>● <i>No Joggers</i></li> <li>● <i>No Cut off shorts</i></li> <li>● <b>Color:</b></li> <li>● Solid Black Pants</li> <li>● Solid Black Skirt</li> <li>● Purple Plaid Skirt</li> </ul> <p><i>(Available at Affordable Uniforms only- optional)</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Polo</li> <li>● Button-Down w/ Collar</li> <li>● Turtleneck</li> </ul> <p>*Shirts should fit properly – not oversized, tight, or revealing.</p> <p>School crests applied to shirts are encouraged - available only at Affordable Uniforms.</p> <p>*Undershirts if visible must be solid, school colors.</p>
Outerwear and Shoes		
	<p><b>Cardigans &amp; Jackets</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● ONLY Purple, black, or gray cardigans and jackets are allowed (Solid color or YWSA) <b>No jean jackets.</b></li> <li>● Sweater vests are allowed, but only with the YWSA logo. Only Purple, black or gray</li> <li>● All outerwear must be accompanied by a school shirt underneath.</li> <li>● All Jackets or Sweaters must have front zipper or buttons with <b>NO HOOD.</b></li> <li>● <b>NO Pullover SWEATSHIRTS.</b></li> </ul> <p><b>*All Prohibited Jackets will be collected, and students will receive violations*</b></p> <p><b>Shoes</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● No open toe shoes or open heels</li> <li>● No sandals</li> <li>● <b>NO CROCS</b></li> </ul>	
Backpacks, Pencil Pouches, Purses		
 <div data-bbox="97 1428 730 1491" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>For more details: <a href="http://www.dallasisd.org/backpacks">www.dallasisd.org/backpacks</a></p> </div>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 1 Mesh or Clear plastic backpack only.</li> <li>● 1 Clear athletic bag (If needed)</li> <li>● 1 Clear pencil bag</li> <li>● 1 Purse must not be more than 8.5 inches long and 5.5 inches tall to be carried in the backpack.</li> </ul> <p><b>**Backpacks and purses out of compliance will be taken up to maintain school safety.</b></p>	
Grooming & Additional information	Other	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● No visible tattoos.</li> <li>● Offensive slogans / symbols, or suggestive / controversial designs are not allowed in any form.</li> <li>● Inappropriate attire will be collected - when possible - at metal detectors.</li> <li>● Students will be given an opportunity to get in compliance.</li> <li>● Headbands &amp; hair bows must not cover entire head</li> <li>● No hats, scarves, bonnets, or hoods.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● No permanent markers/pens or sharpies.</li> <li>● No glass containers including perfume, cologne, or coffee drinks</li> <li>● Reusable water bottles must be empty. Disposable drink bottles must be unopened.</li> <li>● No blankets or stuffed animals. No stuffed animal backpacks.</li> <li>● No balloons or gift bags</li> <li>● No aerosol spray (including deodorant)</li> <li>● Cell phones must be turned off and cannot be visible</li> <li>● AirPods/Headphones must NOT be visible in the halls</li> </ul>	

The goal of the dress code policy is to promote a safe, civil, and academically productive school environment for all students. Whether or not a student is dressed appropriately or properly groomed shall be left to the discretion of the principal or her designee. **Prohibited items will be confiscated at entry and returned at the end of the day.**