

Personal Appearance

Section A - Introduction

It is the intention of the Board of Education to provide a learning environment which promotes self-respect, balances social responsibility with self-expression, and is free of distracting, disruptive, threatening, or offensive diversions from the educational process. Clothing worn during the school day must provide reasonable coverage.

Students' personal appearance must meet the following criteria:

1. It is not in violation of any statute.
2. It does not constitute a threat to the safety or health of self or others.
3. It does not reference alcohol, drugs, tobacco, or violence.
4. It is not offensive by the wording or design, or suggestive of a double meaning.
5. It is not gang related in any form or manner.

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