

STUDENT DRESS CODE

The responsibility for student dress and general appearance shall rest with individual students and parents. However, the Board of Education requires students to attend school in appropriate dress that meets health and safety standards and does not interfere with the learning process.

The wearing of headwear and outerwear in school is prohibited, except as deemed necessary and/or appropriate by the school administration. The wearing of clothing and attire which have an expression or insignia which is obscene or libelous, which advocates racial or religious prejudice, or is disruptive, is forbidden. For example, clothing or other articles, which are distracting or revealing, are not permitted. These might include, but are not limited to, clothing that is extremely tight or loose, clothing that does not cover the midriff, clothing that contains inappropriate language or graphics, or clothing which promotes alcohol, tobacco, drugs, or material of a sexual nature.

The Superintendent of Schools and other designated administrative personnel shall have the authority to require a student to change his attire should it be deemed inappropriate according to the above guidelines. Implementation of the guidelines shall be consistent in all schools.

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