

The District encourages students to take pride in their attire as it relates to the school setting. Students should dress in a manner that, in addition to the following guidelines, takes into consideration the educational environment, safety, health, and welfare of self and others.

- Students must wear a shirt with pants or skirt or the equivalent (dress, leggings, or shorts).
- Clothing must not be see-through and must cover a student's undergarments, chest and torso, when standing or sitting.
- Shoes must be worn at all times. Closed shoes are to be worn for any type of physical activity, such as physical education, et cetera.
- Jewelry shall not be worn if it presents a safety hazard.
- Clothing, accessories and/or jewelry may not state, imply, or depict hate speech/imagery targeting groups based on race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity, religious affiliation, or any other protected classification.
- Students may wear clothing, accessories and jewelry that display religious messages or religious symbols in the same manner and to the same extent that other types of clothing, accessories and jewelry that display messages or symbols are permitted.
- Subject to the above, no hats, bandannas, other head coverings, or sunglasses may be worn in a classroom or school building, except for properly approved occupational safety headgear required for special classes or if authorized by a school administrator or authorized/prescribed by a medical professional.
- Obscene language or symbols, or symbols of drugs, sex, or alcohol on clothing are prohibited.
- Students may not wear clothing, accessories and/or jewelry with images, symbols, slogans, words or phrases that are profane, discriminatory or defamatory or that is worn with the intent to convey affiliation with a criminal street gang as defined in [A.R.S. 13-105](#).
- Hats and sunglasses may be worn outside.

Exceptions for special activities or health considerations may be pre approved by the administrator.

Students who volunteer for extracurricular activities, such as athletics, band, chorus, et cetera, are subject to the standards of dress as defined by the sponsors of such activities.

STUDENT DELIVERIES

Deliveries for students will not be accepted at school (food, floral arrangements, balloon bouquets, etc.)

STUDENT RECORDS

Parents/Guardians have access to their child's school records. School employees respect the privacy of student records and recognize that only important, factual information should be in permanent records. MUSD Policies on access to student records and other information, and parent and student rights, comply with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA). Please refer to the MUSD Course Catalog and Policy 5-303 found in the District's Governing Board Policy Manual for more information about FERPA. A written request must be submitted and approved by the building principal or district administrator at least 24 hours prior to the copies being completed.

TAX CREDIT DONATIONS

Parents, family members, and others can make tax credit donations to the school of their choice to be used for extra-curricular activities. These donations help fund things such as, but not limited to, field trips, sports programs, and art appreciation. If you would like more information, visit the [MUSD website](#) or ask the school office staff.

TITLE I PROGRAM

Maricopa Unified School district must notify Parents/Guardians of students attending Title I School-Wide and Title I Targeted Assistance Programs. Parents/Guardians may request information on the professional qualifications of the student's teacher. The information must state if:

- Teacher meets state qualifications and licensure requirements
- Teacher is teaching under an Arizona Emergency Teaching Certificate
- Teacher has a baccalaureate degree