Weaver Academy for Performing and Visual Arts and Advanced Technology

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Discipline Procedure

Students and parents are required to sign the Weaver Academy Student Agreement included in this handbook.

Each disciplinary case will be resolved on an individual basis. Consequences for inappropriate behavior in the classroom will be handled first by the classroom teacher.

Dress Code

Students will be expected to keep themselves well-groomed and neatly dressed at all times. Any form of dress or appearance considered destructive and detrimental to the purpose of the school will not be permitted. This includes but is not limited to clothing that has violent, hateful, racially inciting, suggestive and offensive words, phrases, or graphics. Clothing cannot disrupt the learning environment.

It is important that our dress code and administrative enforcement should not reinforce or increase marginalization or oppression of any group based on race, gender, ethnicity, religion, sexual orientation, household income, gender identity, or cultural observance.

Students <u>must</u> wear clothing that covers "private" body parts with an opaque fabric. *Undergarments* should not be visible.

Must wear:

- Shirt: fabric in the front, back, and on the sides under the arms.
- Pants/jeans of the equivalent (for example: skirt, sweatpants, leggings, dress, or shorts)
- Shoes.

The following items of clothing have been determined to be <u>unacceptable</u>:

- Clothing that exposes undergarments
- Halter tops
- Midriff shirts
- Tube tops
- Pajama attire
- Attire with profanity, suggestive slogans, references to alcohol, drugs, or tobacco products
- Attire that causes a disruption to the learning environment

Students wearing inappropriate clothing will be required to change immediately into appropriate clothing or call home for it. Students with repeated dress code violations will receive disciplinary action.

Consequences for Violating Dress Code

1st offense: Parents/guardians contacted and student remedies dress violation.

2nd offense: Parents/guardians contacted, student remedies dress violation, and lunch detention assigned.

3rd offense: Parents/guardians contacted, student remedies dress violation, and ISS assigned.