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Dress Code for Desert Star High School 2025-2026

Desert Star High School does not require uniforms on campus. DSHS does encourage Scholars to take pride in their attire as it relates to the school setting. Scholars should dress in a manner that, in addition to the following guidelines, takes into consideration the educational environment, safety, health and welfare or safety of others.

Scholar dress shall:

- A. Not present a hazard to the health or safety of the Scholar or to others in the school.
- B. Not materially and substantially interferes with schoolwork, creates disorder, or disrupts the educational program.
- C. Scholars must wear a shirt with appropriate bottoms such as jeans, pants, trousers, skirt or the equivalent (dress, leggings, shorts). Clothes should be clean, neat, and acceptable. ***Pajamas or clothing with pajama material are prohibited on campus.***
- D. All bottoms jeans, pants, and trousers must be secured at waist level. Sagging is prohibited. Jeans, pants, trousers, skirts or equivalent bottoms are not to have rips or tears that expose undergarments and/or are located mid-thigh or higher. ***The bottom of a Scholar's shorts or skirt must not be significantly shorter than mid-thigh.***
- E. All clothing must be sufficient to conceal any and all undergarments. Clothing must not be see-through and must cover a Scholar's undergarments, chest and torso, when standing or sitting. No skin will show between the bottom of the shirt/blouse and the top of the pants or skirts at any time. All sleeveless shirts must have straps at least one inch wide. ***Prohibited tops include, but are not limited to, crop tops, tank tops, strapless/tube tops, low-cut clothing, clothing with slits, undershirts, or tops and outfits that provide minimum coverage.***
- F. Shoes must be worn at all times. Closed-toe shoes are to be worn for any type of physical activity, such as physical education, weight training, athletics, etc.
- G. Subject to the above, Scholars 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.
- H. 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. Hats and sunglasses may be worn outside.
- I. Scholars 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.
- J. Obscene language or symbols, or symbols of drugs, sex, or alcohol, on clothing are prohibited.
- K. Spiked or studded clothing, jewelry, and/or accessories are prohibited.
- L. Body piercings are permitted but may not be inappropriately displayed. Piercings may not include non-commercial or hazardous jewelry such as spikes, studs, nails, or safety pins.
- M. Scholars who participate in extracurricular activities, including athletics, band, choir, etc. are subject to the standards of dress and defined by the sponsors of such activities.
- N. Scholars who participate in physical activity classes, such as physical education (PE) and/or weight training, will be required to wear a physical activity uniform.
- O. Scholars who attend field trips and college campus visits will be required to wear an approved Titans logo shirt.
- P. All Scholars are encouraged to participate in "Titan Thursday" and gameday spirit attire which can include wearing a Titans logo spirit/club/team shirt, temporary school themed hair color and face painting.

Exceptions for special activities or health considerations may be pre-approved by administration. **School administration retains the final discretion to determine that the garment or accessory meets dress code guidelines.** Some exceptions may be made for extracurricular uniforms, formal attire, and/or spirit days.