

NORTHERN LIGHTS ABC DRESS CODE

The Northern Lights ABC School expects the students to have high standards of conduct and appropriate dress and appearance.

The purpose of our dress code is to keep everyone's focus on academics.

Anything that is done or worn for shock value or to attract special attention is not acceptable.

The Principal makes the final decision in these situations.

- Between the hours of 7:40 AM and 2:45 PM all cell phones, and other electronic devices will be turned off and concealed. Otherwise, they will be confiscated. Parents will be responsible for retrieving them from the office.
- Students may not use unnatural hair dye or coloring (pink, purple, blue, green, yellow, orange, etc.)
- Students may not have any visible permanent tattoos or other body art.
- Nail Polish, fake nails, and make-up is not permitted in grades K-5 (except for Thanksgiving Feast). Middle school students may use minimal amount of make-up and only clear nail polish.
- Due to safety reasons, dangling earrings are not permitted for any grade level. No facial piercing of any kind, except in the ears, will be allowed during school hours for students.
- Outer garments, including coats, jackets, hats, hoods, or bandanas may not be worn in the building during class times. Students may wear hoodies as a second layer, provided the hood is not worn up, and the garment is of appropriate size.
- No flip-flops, slides, slippers, platform shoes, or 'Heelys.' Crocs must be in 'sport mode.' Shoes must be appropriate for the weather.
- NO HATS may be worn in the building at any time. This includes headbands which contain cat ears or other animal ears, and unicorn horns are not permitted to be worn in the building as they are distraction to others.
- Clothing will fit properly (not to exceed one (1) size beyond the correct size) without bagging, sagging, or having any modifications. Pants should be able to stay above their hipbones without a belt.
- Undergarments are not to be seen at any time. This includes a bra if a shirt gaps (check when leaning forward) and underwear seen above the top of pants, including when seated.
- T-shirts with sleeves cut off, shirts that are revealing (cleavage), sheer, mesh, or skintight are not allowed. Nor are tank tops, halter-tops, crop tops, or any shirt that leaves the midriff exposed, including when seated. Sleeveless shirts are no narrower than the natural shoulder seam (about 3" wide) will be permitted.
- Clothing may not contain inappropriate messages or logos for drugs, alcohol, tobacco, or sex. Swear words are not permissible.
- All clothing must have finished hems and be free of holes, including jeans manufactured with holes.
- Skirts, skorts and shorts will be no higher than 1" above the knee.
- Printed pajama pants are only permitted on scheduled spirit days. They are not daily school attire.
- No sunglasses or non-prescription glasses will be worn in the building.

Students dressed inappropriately will need to change their clothes. They will sit in the office until proper attire is brought to them. This will be accomplished by having parents bring the correct clothing to school. The student will attend detention to compensate for missed instruction time.

I HAVE READ AND AGREE TO ADHERE TO THESE EXPECTATIONS.

Parent Printed Name

Student Printed Name and Grade

Parent Signature and Date

Student Signature and Date