

JEFFERSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT DRESS CODE

Our dress code promotes a safe, respectful, and focused learning environment.

DRESS FOR LEARNING. DRESS FOR RESPECT. DRESS FOR SUCCESS



EXAMPLES OF ACCEPTABLE ATTIRE

SHIRTS

- ✓ Shirts have shoulder straps at least 4" fingers wide, are not low-cut, and cover the midriff.



PANTS, SHORTS, SKIRTS & DRESSES

- ✓ Proper length and fit.
- No exposure of underwear or posterior.
- No holes above the extended fingertips.



FOOTWEAR

- ✓ Shoes must be safe for running and playing.
- No flip flops or slippers.



HOODS

- ✓ Hoods may not be worn in class, assemblies, or any indoor school function.



OVERALL GUIDELINE

- ✓ Clothing should be in good repair and reflect modest taste.
- Be ready to learn and play!



All clothing, jewelry, backpacks, and personal items must be free of images or writing that are crude, vulgar, profane, sexually suggestive, gang related, depict nudity or weapons, or promote drugs, alcohol, tobacco, or prejudice of any kind.



EXAMPLES OF NOT ACCEPTABLE ATTIRE

SHIRTS

- ✗ Low-cut, strapless, off the shoulder, halter top, backless, or shirts with straps thinner than 4 fingers.



EXPOSES UNDERGARMENTS

- ✗ Clothing that exposes underwear or posterior is not allowed.



RIPPED / HOLES ABOVE FINGERTIPS

- ✗ Pants, shorts, or skirts with holes above the extended fingertips are not allowed.



FOOTWEAR

- ✗ Flip flops and slippers are not allowed.



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UNACCEPTABLE GRAPHICS

- ✗ Clothing or items with vulgar, offensive, gang related, weapon, drug, alcohol, tobacco or prejudice messages are not allowed.



ADDITIONAL RULES



Any clothing or accessory that may be deemed dangerous (wallets with chains, steel-toed boots, spikes, studs, long belts, etc.) are unacceptable.



Clothing or accessories that are disruptive to the school environment or deemed offensive by school personnel are prohibited.



Unauthorized Group Apparel is prohibited. This includes symbols, colors, accessories, or clothing that denote membership in an unauthorized group or may provoke violence.



Because symbols and trends change, definitions of unauthorized group apparel may be reviewed and updated as needed.



Violations of any of the above rules may result in disciplinary action.

CONSEQUENCES

DRESS CODE VIOLATIONS

- 1 First Offense:** Student will be required to wear loaner clothes or call home for a change.
- 2 Second Offense:** Parent/guardian contacted. Possible meeting. Detention assigned.
- 3 Third & Subsequent:** Parent/guardian contacted. 10 hours of community service within 30 days.



UNAUTHORIZED GROUP APPAREL VIOLATIONS

- 1 First Offense:** Parent contact, change of clothes or alternative clothing provided, confiscation, possible 1-5 day suspension.
- 2 Second Offense:** Parent conference and 1-5 day suspension.
- 3 Third Offense:** Minimum 5 day suspension and report to law enforcement.
- 4 Fourth & Subsequent:** Minimum 5 day suspension, recommendation for expulsion and report to law enforcement.



THANK YOU FOR HELPING US MAINTAIN A SAFE, RESPECTFUL, AND POSITIVE SCHOOL COMMUNITY!

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Our dress code helps create a **safe, respectful,**
and **focused learning** environment for all!



ACCEPTABLE ATTIRE

Examples of Appropriate Clothing



✓ Shirts cover shoulders and midriff



✓ Pants fit at the waist and are not too baggy



✓ Shorts/skirts are an appropriate length



✓ Clothing is in good repair and modest



✓ Shoes allow you to run and play



✓ Hoods down inside the building



✓ Free of inappropriate graphics or language



NOT ACCEPTABLE ATTIRE

Examples of Clothing That Do Not Follow the Dress Code



✗ Shirts that are low-cut, strapless, off the shoulder, halter top or backless



✗ Clothing with inappropriate words, images or brand references



✗ Exposed midriff



✗ Shorts/skirts too short



✗ Hoods up indoors



✗ Pajama pants (not on spirit days)



✗ Students need to wear shoes that will allow them to run and play. Flip flops and slippers are not allowed.