

Students

Student Dress

In order to maintain an environment conducive to the educational process, the Board of Education prohibits the following from wear during the academic school day:

- a. Footwear which mars floors or is a safety hazard.
- b. Sunglasses, whether worn or carried, unless required pursuant to a documented medical issue.
- c. Spiked or studded bracelets, oversized or multi-finger rings, belts or any other article of attire with spikes or studs attached, or any other clothing item that may present a safety hazard to the student, other students or staff.
- d. Attire or accessories that contain vulgarity or that contain overly offensive or disruptive writing or pictures, which are likely to disrupt the educational environment.
- e. Attire or accessories depicting or suggesting violence so as to disrupt the educational environment or that provokes others to act violently or causes others to be intimidated by fear of violence or that constitute "fighting words", including but not limited to attire or accessories depicting the Confederate flag and/or the Nazi swastika.
- f. Attire or accessories which depict logo or emblems that encourage the use of drugs, tobacco products, or alcoholic beverages.
- g. Shirts and/or blouses that reveal the chest or undergarments.
- h. See-through clothing
- i. Shorts, miniskirts, or pants that reveal the upper thigh or undergarments.
- j. Backpacks and/or book bags are permitted to be carried between classes, but shall not obstruct safe passage in the classroom or in the corridors.

Students who fail to comply with Board policy and regulations concerning student dress will be subject to school discipline up to and including expulsion in accordance with the Board's policy on student discipline.

The administration of each school will provide guidance to students and families related to student dress that is consistent with this policy to ensure implementation.

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