

STUDENT CONDUCT
DRESS CODE

FNCA
(REGULATION)

DRESS AND
GROOMING

The District dress code and uniform policy is established to teach hygiene, instill discipline, prevent disruption, avoid safety hazards, teach respect for authority, and prepare each student for future employability. Any clothing or grooming that, in the principal's judgment, may reasonably be expected to cause disruption or interference with normal school operations will not be allowed. All students must meet school policy with regard to health, cleanliness, and appearance. Any attire or hairstyle (including color) that is, in the judgment of the principal, causing a disruption to the school process will not be allowed. Additionally the following are prohibited:

Gang related wear or material based on a list of items prepared at least annually by the high school principal. The principal will distribute or post the list of prohibited clothing and other prohibited items and materials.

Facial jewelry (facial piercings) other than earrings; earrings and studs may be worn only in the ear lobes.

Spiked jewelry.

Caps, beanies, or do-rags (beanies will be permitted for cooler outdoor weather and caps for sun; they are not to be worn indoors). An exception will be granted for head coverings worn as a result of genuinely held religious beliefs.

Chain accessories.

Hoop earrings for boys.

Hoop earrings for any student during physical education.

Bandanas.

Dark glasses inside unless prescribed by a doctor.

Bicycle shorts, spandex, torn or ragged clothes or clothes with holes in them, etc. are considered inappropriate for school. Clothing items with sexual, sexually-suggestive, or profane pictures, or symbols, or alcohol-, tobacco- or drug-related pictures or slogans advertising or promoting such items are not permitted.

ELEMENTARY AND
MIDDLE SCHOOL
UNIFORM
REQUIREMENTS

Short- or long-sleeved shirts of navy blue, Columbia blue, or light blue, or white polo shirts with a collar may be worn. Sweatshirts and sweaters may be worn, but must be of the appropriate school color.

Carpenter, cargo pants, pants with loops, pockets on the sides, or with decorative trim are not acceptable. Trousers are not to be "sagging" or exceedingly large. Gang-type dress, leggings, sweat-

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pants will not be allowed. Belt buckles with gang logos, initials, etc. are not to be worn. Every student will wear a belt with his or her shirt tucked in.

Closed shoes are required for the elementary grades.

Middle School students may wear sandals, but no flip flops will be permitted.

FOR BOYS

Khaki or navy blue uniform pants or shorts are required; however, navy blue denim jeans shall be permitted.

FOR GIRLS

Khaki or navy blue uniform pants or shorts are required; however, navy blue denim jeans shall be permitted. Also permitted for girls are khaki or navy blue Capri pants or skorts. Skorts and shorts must be at the appropriate length when arms are extended at the student's sides.

FUNDING

The District's public funds shall not be used to purchase uniforms without specific approval by the Board. The funding sources for providing uniforms for students in financial need may include:

1. Donations, gifts, and/or grants;
2. Funds generated at the campus level by students, staff, PTA's, and/or business/community partners;
3. Campus uniform exchange and supply; or
4. Any source approved by the Board.

VIOLATIONS

If there is a violation of the requirements, the student shall be given an opportunity to correct the problem. If not corrected, appropriate discipline procedures shall be followed in all cases in accordance with the Student Code of Conduct. Repeated dress code offenses may result in more serious disciplinary action as established in the Student Code of Conduct.

HIGH SCHOOL DRESS
CODE

FOR GIRLS

Spaghetti straps, undershirts, fish net, muscle shirts, tank tops, tube tops, or halter tops are not to be worn even if covered by a blouse. Shirts may not show the midriff, cleavage, or bare back. No transparent material is permitted for tops.

No pants with open side seams are permitted. No hip-huggers are allowed; jeans must come to the waistline. No transparent material is permitted for pants.

Shorts and skirts may be worn, but must be at the appropriate length when arms are extended at the student's side.

Sweatpants may be worn, but the waistband may not be rolled down.

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Sandals may be worn, but no flip flops are permitted.

FOR BOYS

All shirts must have sleeves; no muscle shirts or tank tops are permitted.

Pants or shorts must be of regular fit and appropriate size for the wearer, not more than two sizes larger than the waist. No "baggy" nor "sagging" pants are allowed.

VIOLATIONS

If there is a violation, the student shall be given an opportunity to correct the problem. If not corrected, appropriate discipline procedures shall be followed in all cases in accordance with the Student Code of Conduct. Repeated dress code offenses may result in more serious disciplinary action in accordance with the Student Code of Conduct.