DRESS CODE

All students are expected to dress appropriately for school and school functions.

A student's dress and appearance shall:

- Be safe, appropriate and not disrupt or interfere with the educational process.
- Recognize that extremely brief garments including but not limited to short shorts, tube tops, net tops, plunging necklines (front and/or back) and see-through garments will not be tolerated.
- Ensure that under-garments are completely covered with outer clothing.
- Require footwear at all times which must be appropriate for student activities.
- Exclude headwear in the building except for a medical or religious purpose.
- Exclude "dog" neck and wrist collars.
- Exclude items that are vulgar, obscene, and libelous or denigrate others on account of race, color, weight, age, national origin, ethnic group, religion, religious practice, disability, sexual orientation, and/or gender identity.
- Exclude any garment that endorses the use of alcohol, tobacco or illegal drugs and/or encourages violence.
- Exclude the wearing of long coats.
- Exclude sleepwear and blankets.

Each building principal or his or her designee shall be responsible for informing all students and their parents of the student dress code at the beginning of the school year and any revisions to the dress code made during the school year.

Students who violate the student dress code shall be required to modify their appearance by covering or removing the offending item and, if necessary or practical, replacing it with an acceptable item. Any student who refuses to do so shall be subject to discipline. Any student who repeatedly fails to comply with the dress code shall be subject to further discipline, up to and including out of school suspension.

Exceptions may be made for school sanctioned events such as spirit week, etc.

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