

## STUDENT DRESS CODE

Personal appearance and dress are the responsibility of parent(s)/guardian(s) and the student. Students will be required to adhere to the specified guidelines established by the School Accountability Committee (SAC). The Administration reserves the right to determine whether a student's attire and appearance are appropriate and do not disrupt the educational environment for other students. [AR 521(a)]

1. When shorts or skirts, as opposed to pants, are worn, the length must be at least mid-thigh. Skin above the waistband must be covered at all times. No cleavage may be exposed. No halter-tops, fishnet shirts, see-through or revealing shirts or blouses will be allowed. Tops must have straps that are at least 1 inch wide.
2. Sunglasses may be worn indoors only if there is a verified medical reason.
3. Hats or headwear may not be worn inside the school building during the school day other than for a valid medical, safety, or religious reason. Documentation must be provided to administration prior to wearing of the article.
4. Clothing and accessories that display suggestive, double meaning, hate language (symbols of racism or violence), or drug/alcohol-related words and/or symbols are inappropriate. Also prohibited are apparel, jewelry, accessories, notebooks, or any manner of grooming which because of its color, the way it is worn, its trademark, or any other characteristic, carries known gang connotations or can be used as a weapon. This includes, but is not limited to, chains, spikes, pins, or needles.