

## DRESS CODE



Students shall dress and groom themselves in an appropriate manner. At all times their dress and grooming shall reflect a professional learning environment. Dress and grooming which is not in keeping with established health and safety standards are not acceptable. The following types of apparel are not appropriate for school and **will not** be allowed:

1. Appropriate student school attire covers torso (including no visible cleavage, stomach and lower back) and buttocks when standing or sitting.
2. All undergarments must be covered.
3. Skirts/shorts/dresses/jeans with holes must be appropriate for the school setting. *A measurable guideline for appropriate short/dress/jeans with holes length is mid-thigh; however, clothing deemed disruptive or distracting may not be allowed.*
4. Tube tops, halter tops, tank tops, beachwear, racer back shirts or any top that exposes the stomach or back. Tops of all types must be at least (3) fingers across the shoulder.
5. Any article of clothing that contains vulgarity or suggestive wording.
6. Any article of clothing that advertises or promotes the use of tobacco, alcohol or drugs.
7. Wearing or displaying items which can be associated with fraternities, sororities, secret societies, gang or gang-like affiliations.
8. Hats, coats, gloves, hoods, bandanas, or mittens during the day.
9. Bare or stocking feet.
10. Personal appearance deemed to be distracting, provocative or sexually suggestive such as sleepwear or inappropriate body markings.
11. Clothing which is sexually suggestive.
12. Any appearance which is deemed to infringe upon the rights and freedoms of staff or students.