



The elementary level dress code is provided to encourage proper hygiene, maintain safety and discipline, and prevent disruption of or distractions from the educational process. Student dress and grooming are expected to be in keeping with the accepted community standards such as cleanliness, health, and appropriate appearance.

A student may be required to change into appropriate dress if his/her appearance is determined to be distracting or disruptive to the instructional process of the school. Examples of clothing that may be considered disruptive are:

- hats, caps, bandanas (boys and girls) in the building
- short shorts
- open mesh or fishnet or any see-through blouses or shirts
- cut-off or halter tops
- sundresses or tops, shirts, or dresses resembling sundresses in design (i.e. no “spaghetti straps”) unless a shirt with sleeves is worn under or over the item of clothing

[For clarification: Sleeveless attire is allowed but shoulders MUST be covered. “Spaghetti straps” or “tanks tops” are NOT allowed.]

- large and/or loose fitting sleeveless shirts (i.e. tank tops)
- slide-type, flip-flop type, or any other shoe or sandal without a heel strap (for safety reasons)
- baggy or sagging trousers
- clothing with provocative pictures, slogans, or suggestive language
- clothing with drug related themes
- clothing with alcoholic or tobacco products
- mini- skirts
- shiny tight-fitting leggings worn as slacks
- shiny tight-fitting shorts

Other guidelines:

- no earrings or studs to be worn by males; girls should not wear large dangle earrings or fake or sculptured nails (for safety reasons at play)
- no chains dangling from clothing
- Baseball/soccer/basketball/football uniforms, karate/ dance /tumbling/ gymnastic/ cheerleading attire should not be worn to class. (The elementary school does not sponsor any team or group.) Special exceptions will be made for school-wide theme days.
- Hair should be clean and not obstruct vision, or be extremely distracting.

Please call the school before wearing an article of clothing if there is a question concerning the appropriateness of the clothing, (903)482-8805