

HSMS DRESS CODE



Yes, we're required to have a dress code!

Disclaimer

Schools are legally required to contain a dress code. School staff and administration have tried their best to create one that is age appropriate and gender-equal while addressing current fashion trends.

******Compliance with the dress code should not require having to adjust how your clothes fit. In other words, if you have to constantly pull, tug, adjust, stand a certain way, or zip up a sweatshirt to meet the guidelines, then the garment should not be worn.******

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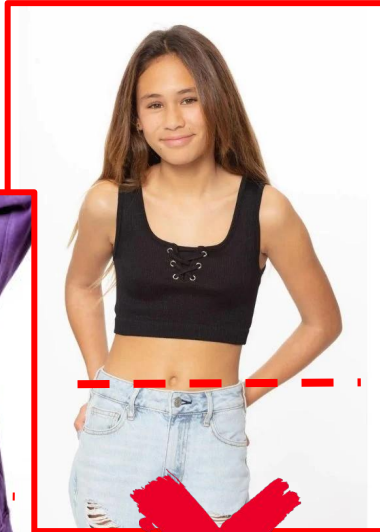
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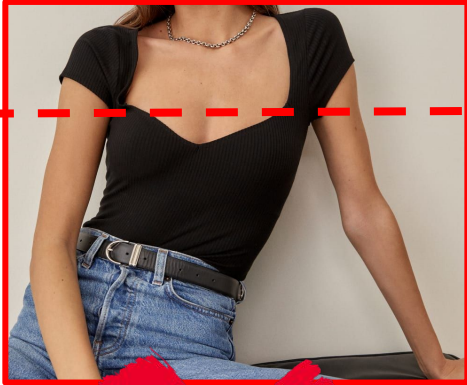
Shirt Length

Shirts should be at least long enough to reach the top seam of your pants when worn in a neutral stance/position. Using sweatshirts cover garments that do not meet dress code guidelines are NOT a solution.



Necklines on shirts

The neckline of shirts must be no lower than the crease of your armpit.



Tanks tops and straps on tops

Tank tops are allowed - including those with spaghetti straps - but must have two straps (strapless tops are not allowed**) and may not have excessively large or modified arm holes.**



Sagging and Ripped Pants

Jeans or pants should fit to the waist or hip area and not be excessively ripped, and the rips shouldn't be higher than the start of a pants inseam.



Short/skirt length

Shorts/skirts should be sufficient in length to cover a student's backside at all times, never exposing a student's undergarments



Material should be low enough to cover the inside pockets.



Hats, hoods and other headwear

Per Education Code all hats are **allowed to be worn outside** provided they are free from writing and/or images that violate the dress code. Baseball caps, visors, headbands, or hoods are **not allowed in classrooms**.

