

DRESS, APPEARANCE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY



Policy: Student appearance is a part of school climate, and can help us achieve our goals in numerous ways. Our student attire policy is intended to create a positive environment for education, contribute to the learning and practice of the board's established core values, help students concentrate on school work, reduce discipline problems, and improve school order and safety.

Prohibited

- NO HATS OR OTHER <u>HEAD GEAR</u> that covers the face (includes hoods & wraps covering the full head)
- BANDANAS OF ANY COLOR AT ANY TIME
- CONTENT INAPPROPRIATE FOR SCHOOL
- FACE PAINT (covering entire face)
- SHORT SHORTS
- HALF SHIRTS (Nothing that reveals a bare midriff))

Students should not wear unduly revealing clothing, e.g. see-through shirts, tops cut low at the neck or low under the arms (including muscle shirts), those exposing bare midriffs, shoulders, or backs, pants or skirts worn below the hips exposing the student's underwear or skin.

- SUNGLASSES
- SIDELESS SHIRTS (No open sides)
- ANY GARMENT THAT IS SEE THROUGH, SHEER OR MESH.
- UNDERGARMENTS SHOULD NOT BE SEEN.

All those in violation of dress code will be provided the opportunity to change or add clothing to their dress, wear a BHS t-shirt, or call home to make arrangements with parents to correct the dress violation.

- Additional Progressive Consequences Could Include:
 - o Administrative Warning, Parent Communication
 - Lunch Detention, After School Detention, Saturday School, Parent Conference, Loss of Privileges
- **Note-see calendar handbook for specific details and list of inappropriate items*