

AMS Dress for Success Expectations

All Azalea Black Knights, staff, and students are required to meet uniform and dress code standards every day. The following is the Dress Code Policy for Students of Azalea Middle School and will be enforced as per School Board Policy.

- **Polo and Dress Shirts:** All shirts must be **solid** in color. They must fit neatly and not be oversized (cannot extend below the wrists when arms are held at the side) or undersized (must extend below the waistline). We prefer all shirts to be tucked inside. *The expected dress code shirt must be visible.*
- **Colors:**
 - Gold/Yellow, White, Black (Monday-Thursday)
 - Any color Azalea Middle School (AMS) Polo or AMS crew shirt on Spirit Fridays
 - Fluorescent colors are not permitted.
- **Logos:**
 - Must be small (quarter size), no larger than 1 inch by 1 inch
- **Also acceptable:**
 - School-approved Azalea Middle School Spirit and Club shirts may be worn on Fridays (or other designated days).
 - College shirts may be worn on College Day, the 1st Friday of every month.
- **Pants/shorts/skirts:** All bottoms must be **solid** in color. They must be neat in appearance (un-torn), worn at the waist (belts are recommended) with no exposed skin or underwear (F.S. 1006.07), and must be knee length at minimum (shorts, dresses, skirts). The bottoms may not be torn or have rips in fashion. Spandex, oversized bottoms, or form-fitting bottoms are not permitted. Skintight skinny jeans and form-fitting are not permitted. Athletic, jersey, sweatpants, nylon, or knitted types are not permitted, except being in Gym (PE) class.
- **Colors:**
 - Khaki or black ONLY
- **Also acceptable:**
 - Blue jeans are allowed on Friday only as long as they are neat in appearance - blue, full length, and un-torn/un-ripped/no holes/frays. No midriff or rear skin should be shown when the student is standing or sitting.
- **Footwear:** Safe and appropriate. Shoes must have a heel strap or closed back. Closed-toe shoes are preferred.
- **Crocs and slides are not acceptable footwear and will not be permitted on campus.**
- **Outerwear:** Plain sweatshirts, sweaters, and jackets that are solid in color (white, black, gold/yellow, dark blue, dark green, or grey). No designs/logos larger than 1 inch by 1 inch.
- **Outerwear with a hood is not acceptable outerwear and will not be permitted on campus.**
- **Belts:** Belts are recommended when wearing shorts, skirts, pants, and jeans with belt loops, to assist in keeping bottoms at the waist. Current school board policy must be followed for appropriate images, etc.
- **Exceptions:** Students may wear their uniform shirts on club or game days, as designated by their coach or club sponsor. Students involved in cheerleading, band, chorus, and athletics may wear their group uniforms on approved designated game days. Cheerleaders

will not wear their cheer skirts during the school day. On approved designated days, attire must be according to the district dress code policy.

- **Additional Notes:**

- Black shorts, knee length minimum, and a white T-shirt are required for physical education. Tennis/gym shoes must be tied or strapped. *Undergarments must not be visible.*