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Dear parents,

The Lakewood High School students and staff are proud of our modified dress code. It helps create an environment conducive to lifelong learner and minimizes the distractions throughout the school day that could come with students coming to school inappropriately dressed. A student's appearance can have a powerful impact on the climate of our school, whether negative or positive. We strive to ensure students' safety and security, as well as maintain a healthy learning environment.

Therefore, students must adhere to the Lakewood High School modified dress code requirements shown below. These requirements are to be followed by both female and male students, except where difference are noted.

The Lakewood Administration thanks you in advance for your cooperation and assistance.

Masks

Masks are optional beginning with the 2021 – 2022 school year.

Shirts

- T-shirts with Lakewood, ALMA, AMSET, CAT, CJAM, FBLA, KEY Logos only;
- Oxford or Polo, solid colors only NO RED; Logo size no larger than a quarter;
- Long-sleeved or short-sleeved collared shirts, button-up styles, solid colors only NO RED, Shirts must be buttoned (closed below the neck);
- Wednesday AVID Shirts can be worn by students in the AVID program; All other students are expected to be in Lakewood attire;
- <u>Friday</u> <u>College T-Shirt/Sweatshirt Day</u> ONLY College (no sports) Logos will be allowed; If not participating students are expected to be in Lakewood attire;
- <u>Prohibited:</u> Dresses, Sheer or mesh fabrics, tank tops, logos, graphics or text that are not official Lakewood High School imagery.

Bottoms

- Jeans (pants or shorts) blue denim color only;
- Khaki pants (pants or shorts), solid color (tan, beige, navy blue only);
- Pants and shorts must be worn firmly at waist level (no loose waistbands or sagging pants);
- Belts are required for young men;
- Length of shorts must extend from waist to knee;
- Pants and shorts must not exhibit holes, rips, cuts (either by damage or design);
- <u>Prohibited:</u> Skirts, Sheer or mesh fabrics, tank tops, logos, graphics or text that are not official Lakewood High School imagery.

Accessories

- Hoodies with Lakewood High School Logo ONLY;
- Zipper or button jackets clothes worn underneath must be in full compliance with dress code;
- <u>Prohibited:</u> Hats, bandanas, caps, (while on campus), cordless or wireless headsets, earbuds or earphones (e.g. Beats), logos, graphics or text that are not official Lakewood High School imagery.

Athletic Uniforms

• Student leaders who are involved in an active sport season may wear their **FULL LAKEWOOD TEAM WARM-UPS** on the day of a **HOME** competition. While not in season, athletes are to adhere to the Lakewood modified dress code.