

2017-2018 Dixie Hollins/Pinellas County Schools Dress Code

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The dress and grooming of Dixie Hollins students shall be neat and clean, promoting a positive educational environment. Apparel that disrupts educational activities and processes of the school will result in the removal of the student from the regular school environment until acceptable apparel can be secured for the student. The administration will be the final judge about whether a student's clothing is appropriate for school or whether it will create an environmental climate that is distracting to learning. Assistant Principals, faculty and staff members will enforce the dress code.

Pursuant to F.S. 1006.07, Failure to comply with the dress code will result in the student being sent to the Intervention Center for the remainder of the school day or until the violation is corrected (Before the student is allowed back in the regular school environment).

Requirements for Student Dress Code

- A. All shirts and blouses must cover midriff, back, sides, and all undergarments including bra straps at all times. All shirts, tops, and dresses shall have sleeves and cover the shoulders. **Using a sweatshirt/jacket or other outerwear to cover inappropriate shirts will be considered a violation.**
- B. Shorts, skirts, divided skirts, dresses and culottes are allowed. **They must be mid-thigh length or longer.**
- C. All trousers, pants, or shorts **must totally cover undergarments**, including boxer shorts.
- D. All clothing, jewelry, or tattoos shall be free of the following: profanity; violent images, wording or suggestion; sexually suggestive phrases or images; gang related symbols; alcohol, tobacco, drugs or advertisements for such products.
- E. Safe and appropriate footwear must be worn. Inappropriate footwear includes, but is not limited to, roller skates, skate shoes, and bedroom slippers.

Further Clarification/Other Requirements

- A. **Form fitting leotard/spandex type clothing (including sport bras) are not allowed** unless proper outer garments cover it (appropriate length shirt, skirt or shorts).
- B. See through or mesh fabric clothing may only be worn over clothing meeting requirements.
- C. Clothing must be appropriate size (waist of the garment worn at the student's waist).
- D. Clothing not properly buttoned, zipped, fastened, or with inappropriate holes or tears shall not be worn **(NO HOLES ABOVE THE KNEES)**.
- E. Clothing and footwear traditionally designed as undergarments or sleepwear shall not be worn as outer garments.
- F. Sunglasses may not be worn unless a parent provides a doctor's note to the school.
- G. Bandanas or sweatbands are not allowed to be visible on school grounds during the regular school hours.
- H. **Hats or other head coverings (HOODIES, SKULL CAPS)** may be worn during outside P.E. activities and **may not be worn during any portion of the regular school day** without the expressed permission of the principal.