

TSHS Student Dress Code



Ensuring a positive and respectful learning environment is a priority for us, and adherence to our dress code plays a crucial role in achieving this goal. This year, we will be placing increased emphasis on enforcing the dress code policy consistently. Students found in violation of the policy will be asked to call home and obtain an additional set of clothing to wear to school, change into appropriate attire or may face other consequences as outlined in the Pinellas County Schools – Code of Student Conduct.

Our dress code is designed to promote a safe and focused atmosphere conducive to learning. Students are expected to dress modestly and appropriately for a school setting. Clothing should not be excessively revealing, provocative, or distracting to the classroom or campus in any way. Here are several resources to assist with learning and reviewing the student dress code: [Dress Code.docx](#) and [DressCodeGuidelines.jpg](#)

Students are encouraged to wear:














- ✓ Shirts or blouses which cover the midriff, back, sides and all undergarments always including bra straps.
- ✓ Shorts, skirts, divided skirts, dresses, and culottes are allowed. *mid-thigh length or longer
- ✓ Pants, trousers, shorts must be secured at the waist and cover undergarments.
- ✓ Clothing, jewelry, tattoos shall be free of the following: profanity, violent images, suggestive wording, sexually suggestive phrases or images, gang like symbols, alcohol, tobacco, or drugs including advertisements for such.
- ✓ Safe footwear of student choice
 - No skater shoes, bedroom slippers, roller skates
- ✓ For gym class, weightlifting class, students must wear tennis shoes *safety.

Students are not permitted to wear:

- Spandex pants without proper outer garments covering hips.
- Yoga pants without proper length shirt covering hips.
- See through or mesh clothing: shirts, blouses, dresses, or pants.
- Bandanas
- Clothing traditionally designed as undergarments or sleepwear.
- Clothing not properly buttoned, zipped, or fastened.

PCS policy 5500.04:

<http://go.boarddocs.com/fl/pcsf/Board.nsf/goto?open&id=CBVMH75B4948>

Guideline	Yes 	No 
Any shirt or blouse should cover the back, top of shoulders, and stomach. Halter-tops, spaghetti strap shirts, low-cut tops, or tops that expose the midriff or undergarments are not permitted.		
Shorts and skirts must be no shorter than mid-thigh.		
All pants, shorts, skirts, and shorts must be worn no lower than the hips, no sagging or undergarments showing.		
Hats, caps, bandannas, sweatbands, sunglasses, chains, dog collars, and sharp objects are not to be worn in the school.		
Appropriate shoes must be worn at all times. Slippers are not allowed.		
No sleepwear is allowed.		
Clothing or personal items that are racist, sexist, promote drugs/alcohol/tobacco, or vulgar in interpretation are not allowed.		
Tights or leggings must be worn with a shirt, blouse, or tunic that is long enough to cover one's behind.	