

## Student Dress Code

A safe and disciplined learning environment is essential to a quality educational program. District-wide standards on student attire are intended to help students concentrate on schoolwork, reduce discipline problems, and improve school order and safety. The Board recognizes that students have a right to express themselves through dress and personal appearance; however, students shall not wear apparel that is deemed disruptive or potentially disruptive to the classroom environment or to the maintenance of a safe and orderly school.

Building principals, in conjunction with student councils and school accountability committee, shall develop and adopt school-specific dress codes that are consistent with this policy. Each school will publish its dress code annually in the student handbook.

Each building policy must describe items of clothing that are unacceptable for the school environment and specific consequences for non-compliance with the dress code.

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LEGAL REF.: C.R.S. 22-32-109.1 (2)(a)(I)(J) (*board duty to adopt student dress code*)

CROSS REFS.: IMDB, Flag Displays  
JBB\*, Sexual Harassment  
JIC, Student Conduct  
JICDA, Code of Conduct  
JICF, Secret Societies/Gang Activity  
JICH, Drug and Alcohol Involvement by Students  
JICI, Weapons in School  
JK, Student Discipline  
JKD/JKE, Suspension/Expulsion of Students (and Other Disciplinary Interventions)