

STUDENT DRESS CODE

Student dress and appearance shall not be hazardous to the health or safety of anyone in the school, nor shall it have a negative effect on or be disruptive to the educational process. Such a standard of dress and appearance is in effect at all school-sponsored activities.

ALL STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED TO WEAR THEIR SCHOOL I.D. CARD WHILE ON SCHOOL GROUNDS

THE FOLLOWING ARE NOT PERMITTED

- ◆ Hats, caps or wearing hoods
- ◆ Scarves or head bands
- ◆ Pajamas/bedroom slippers
- ◆ Sleeveless/Off-Shoulder tops
- ◆ Spaghetti strap tops
- ◆ Bare midriff
- ◆ Short Skirts/Shorts
- ◆ Clothing which causes a distraction or disruption to the learning environment
- ◆ Grills (Gold Teeth)
- ◆ Torn Pants/Skirts/Shorts
- ◆ Backless shoes or sandals
- ◆ Sun glasses
- ◆ Non-school related electronic devices
- ◆ mp3 Players, iPods, earbuds
- ◆ Skateboards
- ◆ Permanent Markers
- ◆ Offensive slogans and pictures
- ◆ Gambling devices
- ◆ Oversize neck chains or chains attached to clothing
- ◆ Clothing with Hoodies
- ◆ Wearing apparel which is a safety hazard

NO SMOKING!

Smoking is prohibited on our campus, and at all school activities. On July 1, 1996, the State of Florida enacted into law the prohibition of smoking near school property. FSS 386.212 states, "It is unlawful for any person under eighteen years of age to smoke tobacco in, or within 1,000 feet of the real property comprising of a public or private elementary, middle, or secondary school between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and midnight". This law does not apply to any person occupying a moving vehicle or within a private residence. Any person issued a citation pursuant to this law shall be deemed to be charged with a civil infraction punishable by a maximum civil penalty not to exceed twenty-five dollars or fifty hours of community service or, where available, successful completion of a school-approved anti-tobacco "alternative to suspension" program. Furthermore, a law enforcement officer may issue a citation in such form as prescribed by a county or municipality to any person violating the provisions of this law.