

FISD Student Dress Code

2019-2020

Frankston Independent School District's dress code is established to teach grooming and hygiene, prevent disruptions, and minimize safety hazards. FISD has the responsibility of maintaining an atmosphere conducive to learning and does so by providing not only a secure educational environment, but also standards of acceptable behavior and appearance among students. Campus administration have the right to appraise ANY fashion or fad to determine whether it is appropriate school attire. This dress code is subject to change. In such an event, notification will be provided.

It is the responsibility of students and parents to be knowledgeable of the dress code, so that they comply with the following standards:

General

- Clothing, makeup, jewelry, patches, tattoos, or designs on clothing must not reflect or suggest in any manner drugs, alcohol, tobacco, sex, vulgar language, gang affiliation, violence, death or satanic ideology.
- See-through, provocative, or excessively tight or loose clothing, shorts, pants, shirts or skirts are not permitted.
- Gauges are not allowed.
- Excessive or distracting make-up, hair color, or conspicuous fads are not permitted.
- Students must wear appropriate undergarments. Undergarments shall not be visible.
- Teachers/coaches/sponsors may define appropriate dress for school-sponsored trips.
- The student's condition of cleanliness and personal hygiene shall be such that it does not offend or distract other students or adults.
- Sleepwear and blankets are not permissible attire at school.

Shirts and Tops

- All shirts must have sleeves. No cold-shoulder or off-shoulder tops.
- All tops must be long enough to cover the midriff completely when arms are raised.
- Low-cut clothing is not permitted. Cleavage should not be visible.

Pants, Shorts, Skirts, and Dresses

- Dresses and skirts must be knee length or must extend to the end of the fingertips if worn with non-see through (opaque) leggings or tights. The same standard applies to slits or slashes in dresses or skirts.
- All shorts must extend at least halfway between the top of the knee and the end of the fingertips.
- All dresses must have sleeves – no strapless dresses permitted.
- Form fitting pants are only permitted with tops that extend to the end of the fingertips. Form fitting pants include, but are not limited to, jeggings, leggings, and yoga pants.
- No holes, cuts, or tears above the knee.
- All shorts, skirts, dresses, jeans, slacks, and athletic pants must be appropriately sized.

Footwear

- Elementary students must wear closed-toe shoes. Athletic shoes are recommended.
- Flip-flops and sandals are permissible ONLY for secondary schools.

Hair & Head Covering

- Caps, hats, hoods, or head coverings are not permitted inside the buildings.
- Hair shall be groomed to stay out of the student's eyes.
- Hair shall be a natural hair color.
- Symbols, words, or slogans cut into the hair are not permitted.
- Any hairstyle deemed by the campus administration as distracting is not permitted.