

Regulation

MARKAM PLACE DRESS CODE

Students are expected to dress neatly and appropriately for school. Dress or appearance that distracts from the educational process is not permitted and students unsuitably dressed may be requested to return home to change into appropriate clothing or may result in parents/guardians having to bring a change of clothing to school.

The following dress code has been developed in accordance with district:

- A. Clothing with inappropriate language or messages (implied or stated) and images, are not acceptable.
- B. Only mid-thigh, walking shorts are permissible (after spring break). No spandex, boxer-type, running or short-shorts are allowed.
- C. Short miniskirts are not permitted.
- D. Pants must be worn at waist level.
- E. Shoes must be worn at all times. No backless footwear is permitted (including flip flops).
- F. Hats, caps or head coverings are not permitted inside the school.
- G. See through shirts, shirts that expose midriffs, bare shoulders or tops with spaghetti straps are not permitted.
- H. Gym clothing is allowed during gym class only. Pupils wearing shorts must bring an additional pair to change into for gym.
- I. Sneakers with wheels or "heelies" are not permitted under any circumstances.
- J. Leggings should be worn with a skirt, dress or shorts that are appropriate length.

Students that are not in compliance with the school dress code will be sent to the main office. Along with acquiring appropriate clothes, a disciplinary consequence may be enforced.

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