

STUDENT DRESS

Preserving a beneficial learning environment and assuring the safety and well-being of all students are primary concerns of the district.

Students' choices in matters of dress should be made in consultation with their parents.

Student dress shall only be regulated when, in the judgment of school administrators, there is a reasonable expectation that:

- A. A health or safety hazard shall be presented by the student's dress or appearance including possible membership in a gang or hate groups;
- B. Damage to school property shall result from the student's dress; or
- C. A disruption of the educational process will result from the students' dress or appearance.

The superintendent and/or designees shall establish procedures providing guidelines to be included in the student handbooks to students, parents, and staff regarding appropriate student dress in school or while engaging in extracurricular activities.

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| Cross References: | District Policy 3220 | Freedom of Expression |
| Legal References: | RCW 28A.320.140 WAC 392-400-215 392-400-225 | Schools with Special standards Student Rights School district rules defining misconduct |

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