

Horizon Middle School

DRESS CODE-STUDENTS

The district's dress code is established to teach grooming, hygiene, instill discipline, prevent disruption, avoid safety hazards, and teach respect for authority. Teachers and staff must check dress code first period and enforce the dress code throughout the day. If a student is out of dress code after the first period, students must have an office dress code pass that they have been addressed to that is time and date stamped for that day. If a student does not have a pass, please send the student to the front office.

- Student hoodies, sagging pants, and untucked shirts should be addressed by the classroom teacher; these students are not required to go to the front office.
- Defiant/repeated dress code violations, please follow BRF procedures.

First period teachers must ensure students adhered to the campus dress code.

The school uniform is required to be worn during normal school hours or while attending school-sponsored or school-related activities **on** or **off** school property.

Dress Code violations are considered a Minor Offense, **Level I**. However, repeated violations are considered Serious Offenses, **Level II**. Teachers must follow the BRF/Student Code of Conduct procedures when dealing with dress code violations and other discipline issues.

Note:

- Preferred colors for polo shirts for HMS will be black, gray, and white. Yet other district colors are allowable. Hawk pride is continually shown each day by the wearing of these colors.
- Students are to be encouraged to wear a college/AVID/Military support t-shirt on Thursday and a school spirit shirt only on Fridays. Athletes may wear athletic uniform tops on game days. Other campus sponsored clubs and organizations will need prior approval to use apparel.
- Shorts are to be no shorter than three inches above the knee.
- Polos and Spirit shirts should be tucked in at ALL times...
- ONLY natural hair color is allowed.
- Jackets and sweaters must have zippers - NO HOODIES or PULLOVER SWEATERS allowed.
- Disciplinary action for dress code violations will be taken after the first day of school. Students new to HMS will be given 10 school days to comply with the dress code.

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