

NCMHS STUDENT DRESS CODE

IT'S ALL ABOUT BEING REBEL READY!! Students are to dress in apparel that is modest, tasteful, and that does not interfere with or distract from the educational process or rights of others. Students and their clothing should be neat, clean, and well-groomed and must meet the following guidelines:

1. Attire must not be destructive to school property.
2. For health reasons, shoes must be worn.
3. Only tops designed to be worn outside of pants, shorts or skirts shall be worn in that manner.
4. Pants, shorts and skirts must be worn at the waist. No "sagging" is permitted.
5. Headwear or hair rollers are prohibited in the building.
6. Body piercing jewelry cannot be worn except in the ears.
7. Shirts, sweaters, jackets, and other tops worn over leggings must be no shorter than four inches above the knee. Skirt length should be no more than four inches above the knee.
8. Sunglasses are prohibited in the building unless they are prescribed.
9. Bare midriffs, see-through garments, white undergarment type T-shirts, bare backs, halter tops, tank tops, tube tops and cutoffs cannot be worn. There are to be no holes or tears in clothing on school campus.
10. Loose-fitting shorts may be worn by students that are no more than four inches above the knee when standing. All shorts must be hemmed. Cutoff shorts, rolled-up jeans, sweats, athletic or spandex shorts cannot be worn. No other article of clothing can be worn beneath the shorts for viewing.
11. Obscene, profane language or provocative pictures on clothing or jewelry are prohibited.
12. Satanic, cult or gang related symbolism in any form is prohibited on school campuses.
13. Drug related symbols in any form including advertisements or promotion of alcohol or tobacco are prohibited on school campuses.
14. Principals, after consultation with their School Improvement Committee, have the discretion to adjust the dress code to fit unique situations as long as the decision does not interfere with the requirements of Title IX.
15. A teacher will also be allowed to restrict manner of dress or length of hair when it pertains to the health and/or safety of a student in that teacher's specific area. (EX: wearing hair up during labs)

Addendums to Caddo Student Dress Code (*Revised June 2015*)

*The items added in italics below are a result of an administrator meeting with parents and students. Some items that we have been having issues with have been modified with the belief that ALL students will follow the guidelines.

1. No house shoes, shower shoes, or slippers are to be worn. *Athletic slides are acceptable.*
2. All shirts must be buttoned unless the exposed undergarment is suitable for outerwear.
3. No hats/bandanas/hoods/head wraps are to be worn in the building during the school day. *Headbands no wider than 1" are acceptable.*
4. Prescriptions for eyeglasses with tinted lenses must be on file in the attendance office.
5. Tank tops, cutoffs, spaghetti straps, sleeveless shirts, and tattered clothing are prohibited.
6. No form fitting shorts, pants, skirts, or dresses may be worn. All shorts and skirts must be hemmed or cuffed. No athletic shorts, spandex shorts, biker shorts, wind shorts, or boxers are to be worn. Nothing should be showing through from underneath the shorts. Flesh must not be exposed more than four inches above the knee (front and back) in a standing position. No mini-skirts or hot pants are to be worn. *Jeggings have pockets on the back and ARE allowed. Leggings do not have pockets and are NOT allowed unless the shirt or dress measures at least 4 inches or longer from the knee. "Joggers" are the fashionable pants that are fitting with the cuffs at the bottom and ARE allowed. Jogging pants are baggy and slouchy with or without an elastic hemming and are NOT allowed.*
7. There are to be no holes or tears in clothing. *Jeans that have small areas of texture made by the manufacture are acceptable within reason.*
8. No pajamas or sleep wear are acceptable at any time.
9. *We recognize the latest fashion of the sheer or crocheted blouses and sweaters. They may be worn with a wide tank only and must be worn at all times. (undergarments should never show).*
10. *Button up, colored sleeveless blouses are acceptable. (NO tanks, razorbacks, spaghetti straps, or regular sleeveless t-shirts. Undergarments should never show)*