## Students

## DRESS AND GROOMING

In cooperation with teachers, students, and parents/guardians, the principal or designee shallmay establish school rules governing student dress and grooming which are consistent with law, Governing Board policy, and administrative regulations. These school dress codes shall be regularly reviewed.

## (cf. 0420-School Plans/Site Councils)

## Each school shall allow studentstowear sum protective olothing, induding but not limited to hats, for outdoof use during theschoolday. (Edugation-Codo 35183.5 )

In addition, the-The following guidelines shall apply to all regular school activities:

1. Shoes must be worn at all times. Sandals must have heel straps. Thongs or backless shoes or sandals are not acceptable.
2. Clothing, jewelry, and personal items (backpacks, fanny packs, gym bags, water bottles etc.) shall be free of writing, pictures, or any other insignia which are crude,is vulgar, lewd, obscene, profane, or sexually suggestive ${ }_{-}$or which bear drug, promotes the use of alcohol-or, drugs, tobacco-company advertising, promotions and likenesses, or which advocate racial, ethnic or religious prejudice-, or other illegal activity.
3. Appropriate shoes must be worn at all times.
3.- Hats, caps, and other head coverings shall not be worn indoors.
4.- Clothes shall be sufficient to conceal undergarments-atall times.. See-through or fish-not fabries, haltertops; off-the-shoulder or low-cut tops, and bare midriffs and skirts or shorts shorter than mid-thighabdomens are prohibited.
4. Gym shorts may not be worn in classes other than physical education.
5. HairThe dress code shall be clean and neatly groomed. Hair may not be sprayedmodified as appropriate to accommodate a student's religious or cultural observance, health condition, or other circumstance deemed necessary by any coloring that would drip when wet.

Coaches and teachersthe principal or designee. In addition, the principal or designee may impose more stringent dress requirements to accommodate the special needs of certain sports and/or classes.special school activities, physical education classes, athletic activities, and other extracurricular and cocurricular activities.
(cf. 3260-Fees and Charges)
(cf. 6142.7 - Physical Education and Activity)
(cf. 6145 - Extracurricular and Cocurricular Activities)
(cf. 6145.2-Athletic Competition)
No grade of a student participating in a physical education class shall be adversely affected if the student does not wear standardized physical education apparel because of circumstances beyond the student's control. (Education Code 49066)

## (cf. 5121 - Grades/Evaluation of Student Achievement)

## Students shall be allowed to wear sun-protective clothing, including but not limited to hats, for outdoor use during the school day. (Education Code 35183.5)

The principal, staff, students and parent/guardians at each school may establish reasonable dress and grooming regulations for times when students are engaged in extracurricular or other special school activities.-(cf. 5141.7 - Sun Safety)

## Gang-Related Apparel

At individual schools that have a dress code prohibiting gang-related apparel at school or school activities, the principal, staff, and parents/guardians participating in the development of the school safety plan shall define "gang-related apparel" and shall limit this definition to apparel that reasonably could be determined to threaten the health and safety of the school environment if it were worn or displayed on a school campus. (Education Code 32282)

Because gang-related symbols are constantly changing, definitions of gang-related apparel shall be reviewed at least once each semester and updated whenever related information is received. As necessary, the school shall collaborate with law enforcement agencies to update definitions of gang-related apparel.

## Uniforms

In schools wherethat require a schoolwide uniform-is required, the principal, staff, and parents/guardians of the individual school shall jointly select the specific uniform to be worn. (Education Code 35183)

At least six months before a school uniform policy is implemented, the principal or designee shall notify parents/guardians of this policy. (Education Code 35183)

## (cf. 5145.6-Parental Notifications)

Parents/guardians shall also be informed of their right to have their child exempted.

The Superintendent or designee shall establish criteria for determining student eligibility for financial assistance when purchasing uniforms.

Students who participate in a nationally recognized youth organization shall be allowed to wear organization uniforms on days when the organization has a scheduled meeting. (Education Code 35183)

