

## Dress Code

Field Elementary School has a dress code. We are **not** a uniform school, but we do expect our dress code procedures to be followed. Students and parents need to be aware of our policy so that we are not placed in a situation where students lose their freedom of dress and we have to consider adopting a uniform policy.

Student dress and personal appearance should neither disrupt nor distract from the educational environment of the school.

- Clothing that interferes with the educational process, is controversial, has obscene slogans, or advertises alcohol, tobacco, or drugs may be not worn.
- Shoes are required at all times. House slippers, **flip-flops**, sandals without a back strap, footies, or footwear that does not provide sanitary and safety protection are prohibited. **This includes “heelies.”**
- All shirts/tops must be appropriate. When raising arms above the head, the shirt/top must cover the midriff area so that no skin is showing.
- Shirts must not be low cut or see-through.
- Shorts and skirts must be an appropriate length- - no shorter than mid-thigh.
- All pants must be worn at the waist, and undergarments may not be visible.
- No chains may be hanging from clothing.
- All hats, scarves, sweatbands, and bandanas must be kept in a designated area in the classroom during the day. (Scarves worn for religious reasons are an exception to this rule.) Hair bands are acceptable only if used to manage hair and not for decorative purposes.
- No mouth jewelry or any jewelry that interferes with the educational process is allowed.
- No attire associated with gang activity may be worn.