

DRESS AND GROOMING-LISD DRESS CODE

A student's appearance has much to do with the way the student feels about himself or herself. Appearance also affects the way in which students respond to each other, to staff, to their own success, and has a great deal to do with the learning atmosphere of the school. Because of this, Lufkin Independent School District has established the following standardized dress code for students.

PK – 5 th Grade	6 th – 8 th Grade
SHIRTS	SHIRTS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any solid color allowed Must be short or long sleeved polo-style knit with collar A single (appropriate) logo is allowed Solid color turtle neck or long sleeved shirt may be worn under polo- style shirt 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Can be any solid color Must be short or long sleeved polo-style knit with collar A single (appropriate) logo is allowed Solid color turtle neck or long sleeved shirt may be worn under polo- style shirt
PANTS	PANTS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be solid color khaki, navy, or black (twill like material) Pants must fit securely at the waist, tailored with straight legs and properly hemmed or cuffed (“sagging” NOT allowed) NO denim jeans, sweatpants, jogging pants, warm-ups, leggings or spandex blend allowed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be solid color khaki, navy, or black only (twill like material) Pants must fit securely at the waist, tailored with straight legs and properly hemmed or cuffed (“sagging” NOT allowed) NO denim jeans, sweatpants, jogging pants, warm-ups, leggings/tights or spandex blend allowed (no tight clothing)
SHORTS / SKORTS	SHORTS / SKORTS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be solid color khaki, navy, or black (twill like material) Shorts/skorts must fit securely at the waist and must be properly hemmed or cuffed (“sagging” NOT allowed) Shorts/skorts must be knee length or longer NO cut-offs (sweatpants included), stretch knit, silky knit, spandex or denim shorts/skorts allowed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be solid color khaki, navy, or black only (twill like material) Shorts/skorts must fit securely at the waist and must be properly hemmed or cuffed (“sagging” NOT allowed) Shorts/skorts must be no shorter than 4” above knees NO cut-offs (sweatpants included), stretch knit, silky knit, spandex or denim shorts/skorts allowed
SKIRTS / JUMPERS	SKIRTS / JUMPERS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be solid color khaki, navy, or black (twill like material) Skirts/jumpers may be straight, pleated or full Skirts/jumpers must be knee length or longer Stretch knit or spandex material NOT allowed Solid colored collared uniform dresses are allowed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be solid color khaki, navy, or black (twill like material) Skirts/jumpers may be straight, pleated or full Skirts/jumpers must be walking length or longer (no shorter than 4” above knees)
SHOES	SHOES
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any color tennis shoes (laced or Velcro or Sperry's) are allowed Backless tennis shoes, Mary Jane's, crocs, heeies (even with wheels removed) are NOT allowed Boots with a rubber sole allowed (heeled boots NOT allowed) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any color shoes are allowed Backless shoes, slippers or house shoes are NOT allowed
COATS / SWEATERS	COATS / SWEATERS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any color acceptable 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any color acceptable
SWEATSHIRTS	SWEATSHIRTS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be a solid color 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Can be any solid color

LUFKIN HIGH SCHOOL DRESS CODE

CLOTHING ITEM	COMMENTS	
Dress, skirts, all split garments, shorts	With arms held at sides, fingertips cannot extend past hem or split; no excessively tight clothing	
Tank tops	Midriffs must be covered at all times	Must be three inches in width at shoulder
Pants/shorts	No holes permitted	Must be fitting at the waist. (“sagging” NOT allowed)
Shirts/pants	No see-through or provocative clothing	No tight clothing (i.e. leggings, tights, shorts or pants)
Shoes	House shoes are not allowed	

All schools in the district adhere to the following dress codes requirements:

- Hats, caps, rakes, picks, hoods, bandanas are **not allowed**.
- No excessive or distracting makeup.
- The students are not to wear apparel promoting or relating to tobacco, alcohol, including beer and whiskey, or drugs.
- Any symbol, gang reference, emblem, picture, word or slogan, including sexually suggestive or racially related items are not allowed.
- No dark glasses/sunglasses unless medically prescribed with a note on file from a physician.
- Clothing must be worn in the manner for which it is intended. Apparel designed as underwear may not be worn as an outer garment.
- Students must wear appropriate undergarments that are not visible to others.
- Shoes must be worn at all times on the school campus.
- No house shoes, pajamas, sleepwear, or blankets.
- Students will be permitted to wear earrings. For safety purposes, no oversized earrings will be allowed. No facial jewelry or tongue rings will be allowed.
- Hair is to be worn in a moderate style. No extreme style will be permitted.
- Inappropriate tattoos must be covered.
- All students are required to have a student identification card. Students must carry their ID card with them at school and school events. When requested by a staff member, students are required to show their ID card. Failure to do so will result in disciplinary action. Student ID cards are provided during student registration. Replacement cost for a lost ID card will be \$3.00. ID cards are required in the attendance office, library, cafeteria, and school events. In addition, ID cards are required when checking out textbooks and purchasing items such as event tickets and yearbooks.

It is impractical to list every possibility of dress and grooming. It shall be the responsibility of the professional staff to determine the appropriateness of attire for all school occasions. If the principal determines that a student's grooming or clothing violates the school's dress code, the student will be given an opportunity to correct the problem at school. A parent or designee may be required to bring an acceptable change of clothing to the school. Repeated offenses may result in more serious disciplinary action in accordance with the Student Code of Conduct. [For further information, see policies at FM and FO.]