Primary School

- Do your own work unless given other instructions by the teacher.
- Use appropriate language at school. Do not use any kind of profanity.
- Listen quietly when the teacher is speaking.
- Follow classroom rules and expectations.
- Keep your hands and feet to yourself.
- Follow the dress code regulations.
- Be polite and courteous.
- Walk in a line with your class in the hallways.
- Pass through the halls quietly and be considerate to others in the halls and classrooms.
- Place all trash in containers and help keep the school clean by picking up any trash you may encounter by properly disposing of it.

#### **ASSEMBLIES**

A student's conduct in assemblies must meet the same standard as in the classroom. A student who does not follow district rules of conduct during an assembly will be subject to disciplinary action.

# **DRESS AND GROOMING**

Students shall come to school looking clean, neat and modest, and wearing clothing and exhibiting grooming that will not be a distraction to other students and the educational environment or be a health and safety hazard to the student or others as determine by a school administrator. The District prohibits pictures, emblems, or writings on clothing that are lewd, offensive, vulgar, obscene, or gang-related, or that advertise tobacco products, alcoholic beverages of any kind, drugs, or any other substance prohibited under school policy. Policy also prohibits any dress or grooming that, in the principal's judgment, may reasonably be expected to interfere with normal school operations. Never permissible in any of the Luling schools are bandanas, head rags, hats, caps, sunglasses, dangling chains or belts, bizarre apparel or anything that in any way is gang-related. However, permissible outside of the school facilities are hats, caps and sunglasses at the discretion of the administration.

# Primary & Elementary Dress and Grooming Code

#### Pre-Kindergarten – Fifth Grade

- 1. No student on or about school property or at any school activity shall wear, possess, use, distribute, display, or sell any clothing, jewelry, emblem, badge, symbol, sign, or other object which is evidence of membership in or affiliation with any gang.
- 2. Hair must be neat and clean. Males may not wear hair length below the bottom of the collar of a dress shirt.
- 3. Any hairstyle, which by its appearance causes a disruption of any kind, as determined by a school administrator, is unacceptable (i.e. mohawks, hair dyed unnatural colors, hair cut designs).

- 4. Shorts should be loose-fitting and must fall no shorter than approximately 2 inches above the kneecap.
- 5. No excessively short or revealing dresses, skirts and shorts will be allowed; such clothes must be worn no shorter than approximately 2 inches above the kneecap. Shorts and skirts must still be 2 inches above the knee even if tights are worn underneath.
- 6. Half shirts, muscle shirts, shirts slit on the backs or sides, crop tops, spaghetti straps, strapless shirts or others which show the midsection (skin) on one's body are not allowed. The shoulder width of sleeveless shirts shall be 2 inches. Boys are to have shirts buttoned within two buttons on a normal shirt. Appropriate undergarments must be worn and covered, including undergarment T-shirts.
- 7. Oversized clothes, sagging, baggy, "see-through", and inappropriately tight-fitting clothes are prohibited. Clothes must be worn at the natural waistline.
- 8. Clothing with conspicuously low necklines or backlines is not acceptable.
- 9. Bare feet, slippers/house shoes or athletic flip flops are not acceptable.
- 10. Students shall not be permitted to wear hats, caps, sunglasses, sweatbands, or other disrupting apparel in any building on campus during school hours.
- 11. Garments that have spikes (including bracelets, necklaces and belts) are not permitted.
- 12. Clothing that displays violence, obscenity, tobacco products, alcoholic beverages, drugs, or any other substances prohibited under school policy are prohibited (i.e. drug symbols or skulls).
- 13. Any other attire that disrupts the educational process as determined by a school administrator is prohibited.
- 14. Boys may not wear earrings. No visible body piercings and tattoos (real or pretend) will be allowed on campus or at any school sponsored activity. Girls are permitted to wear earrings.
- 15. Any shoes with wheels are not allowed on campus.

Students wearing inappropriate clothing will not be allowed to disrupt the teaching and learning environment. Any clothing that administration deems inappropriate will not be permitted in the school environment. If students and/or parents question the appropriateness of the clothing, it should not be worn to school. Additional guidelines may be imposed by the school, advisor, or sponsor of any specific activity or function. All clothing is subjected to administrative approval.

### **ELECTRONIC DEVICES**

Students are not permitted to use any electronic device during the school day without specific permission from school personnel. Electronic devices include, but are not limited to: cell phones, iPods, iPads, tablets, Smart watches, mp3 players, laptop computers, hand-held games, or any other electronic devices. Failure to comply will result in the surrender of the device to school personnel with the following consequences being applied:

1st offense: Device is turned in to the office and returned to the student at the end of the school day.

2nd offense: Device is turned in to the office and will be relinquished only to a parent/guardian. 3<sup>rd</sup> offense and subsequent offense: Device is turned in to the office and will be relinquished to a parent/guardian at the end of the semester.