



# Luling High School

## 2017-2018 Student Dress Code

Luling HS takes pride in the appearance of its students. The school's dress code and grooming standards have been established to teach grooming and hygiene to prevent disruption, and to minimize safety hazards at school or school related functions. All students shall wear clothing that is neat, appropriate, and modest to the gender of the student.

### *Our Students Dress for Success!*

#### **Dress and Grooming Standards**

The school campus, not unlike a work place, promotes a productive, business-like atmosphere that is conducive to learning. Students should familiarize themselves with these standards, as the dictates of popular fashion may be inconsistent with the following guidelines:

#### **Skirts, Blouses, Sweatshirts, Sweaters, Vest**

- Must touch the belt line with no revealing undergarments
- No oversized armholes, vented t-shirts, spaghetti straps, backless attire and off the shoulder tops
- No clothing with graphics, profanity, or words that relate to alcoholic beverages, tobacco products, weapons, drug use, or anything that could be constructed as provocative or offensive.
- No revealing midriff or undergarments while standing or sitting
- No revealing, low-cut, see-through, or too tight clothing such as spandex/lycra (no cleavage can be exposed)
- No full-length jackets and coats such as those commonly referred to as "trench coats" or "dusters"

#### **Dress, Jumpers, Skirts, Shorts, Skorts, Capris**

- Modest in length (must be at the top of knee)
- No tattered shorts, biker shorts, wind shorts or athletic (basketball) shorts

#### **Pants and Jeans**

- Pants, jeans or shorts must be worn at the hip and must cover undergarments
- No clothing that is too tight such as spandex, lycra, leggings, and/or yoga pants unless worn with a dress, skirt or tunic (using the standards that are applied to shorts, skorts, and skirts)
- Sagging or baggy pants are not allowed
- Students are not to wear jeans that are torn or have holes in them in inappropriate area (using the standard that are applied to shorts, skorts, and skirts)
- No pajama wear of any type

#### **Shoes**

- Unsafe footwear are not permitted (i.e. house shoes, shower shoes, slippers, etc.)

#### **Headwear**

- Caps and/or hats of any kind are not to be worn inside the classrooms
- Any type of head covering is unacceptable including, but not limited to, sweat bands, bandanas, dew rags, and visors
- Hoods may not be worn inside the buildings

#### **Hair**

- For all students, hair, including facial hair (males), will be clean and well groomed and not extreme in style, and/or appearance
- Hair color must be a natural shade

#### **Other Guidelines**

- Garments must be sized appropriately
- Revealing clothing of any type may not be worn
- No clothing or accessories with profanity, obscene patches, references to alcohol, drugs, weapons, tobacco or anything that could be constructed as provocative or offensive
- Any attire that is distracting or causes a disturbance or identifies a student as part of unauthorized group (i.e. bandanas, shoe laces, chains, t-shirts, etc.) is not permitted
- Students may wear earrings but are prohibited from wearing other visible body piercing jewelry. Ear gauging is not allowed under this code. Other facial or tongue piercing shall not be visible or worn in a covered condition.
- Sunglasses may not be worn inside the buildings
- Extreme style of contact lenses are not allowed
- No visible permanent tattoos
- Chains attached to pants or wallets are prohibited

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#### **Interpretative Authority:**

This example and guidelines listed above may not cover every possible instance of appropriate and inappropriate grooming or appearance. The interpretative authority as to what to dress or grooming is inappropriate, disruptive, a hindrance to best learning situations or a detriment to best discipline shall be vested in the principal, assistant, or any other administrative authority in the school system.

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**Non-Compliance of the Dress Code/Grooming Standards will result in Disciplinary Action**