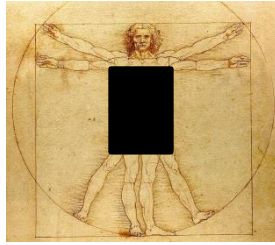


RSA Dress Code: Student Rights and Responsibilities

As a student, you have the right to learn in a pleasant and safe atmosphere. It is your responsibility to do your best at school. It is up to each of you to help make each day a good one. You are an important part of the school community. Take pride in your school and help keep it one of the best in California.



(Cover The Core)

Dress Code, Personal Appearance, Personal Property

RSA is committed to protecting the health, safety, and welfare of the students and the Board believes that appropriate dress and grooming contribute to a productive learning environment. Inappropriate apparel includes clothing that compromises safety or disrupts the school environment and instructional process. Students not following dress code will be asked to call home for a change of clothes or will be provided clothes to wear from items donated to the office.

For optimal learning, the school requires the following criteria for personal dress and appearance:

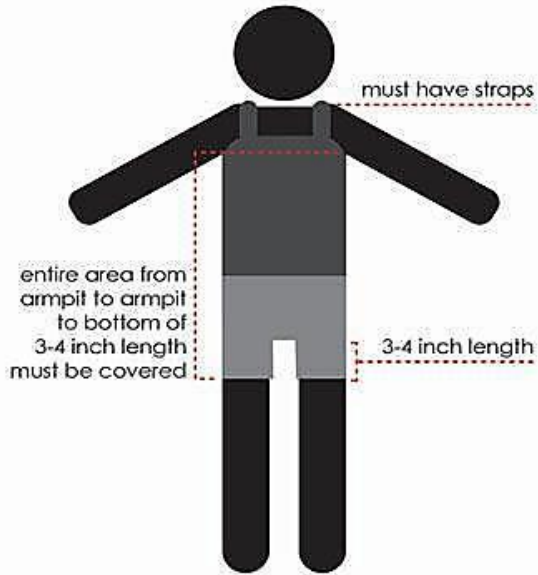
1. Clothing must cover areas from one armpit across to the other armpit, down to at least 3 to 4 inches in length on the upper thighs (see images on next page). Tops must have at least a one inch strap. **Under garments may not be seen.** Shorts may not have holes or frays above the 3-4 inch length.
2. Clothing with inappropriate logos, sayings or pictures (i.e., alcohol, drugs, tobacco, weapons, sexual implications, hate speech) is not to be worn at school because they can cause a substantial disruption to the learning environment of the classroom. Gang affiliated attire is not allowed.
3. Clothing must be neat, clean, and appropriate for class.
4. Pants must not have **excessive** rips, holes or frays or have holes above 3-4 inch length. (see images on next page)
5. Clothing must be appropriate for activity and movement.
6. Sunglasses are to be worn outside only.
7. Hair color and style, make- up, jewelry and clothing must not disrupt learning. Spiked jewelry accessories of any kind are not allowed.
8. Shoes must be worn and should be activity specific. **No slides or flip flops.**
9. Hats may be worn, bill forward only, and must not have inappropriate logos/sayings. Hats/hoodies/beanies must be removed indoors. Faces must be visible at all times – no zipped hoods above the neck.
10. Headwear for religious, medical or other reason approved by administration is permissible.
11. See through clothing of any kind must have under clothes that "cover the core."
12. All forms of tattoos or body art must be kept covered.
13. Makeup must be minimal and applied at home.
14. For student safety, only pierced ears with appropriate earrings are acceptable. Facial jewelry must be minimal in quantity and size.
15. Flip flops are unsafe on playground and not permitted at school.

Consequences for Dress Code Violations

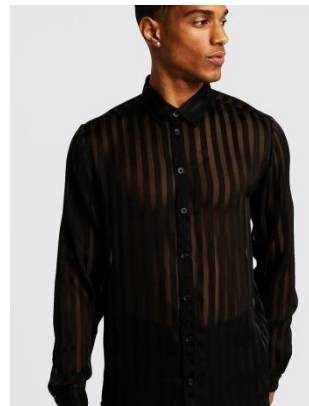
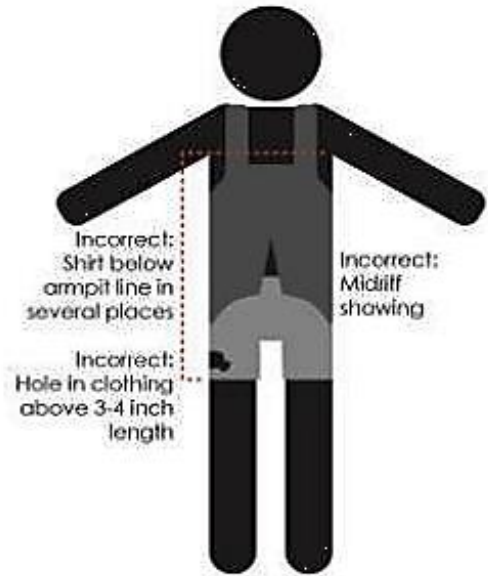
Students who violate RSA School Dress Code will be sent to the office to make arrangements for more appropriate clothes. Repeated violations will be considered defiant behavior and the student will be disciplined accordingly. The school dress code applies at all school functions and events, unless otherwise noted. Volunteers and visitors are asked to model the RSA dress code.

Administration will have the final determination whether a student's attire/accessories is appropriate. If there is a question as to whether articles of clothing or accessories are appropriate, ask school administration before it is worn to school.

Appropriate



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