

# Schleicher County ISD

## Student Dress Code

2023-24

### Dress and Grooming (All Grade Levels)

The district's dress code teaches grooming and hygiene, prevents disruption, and minimizes safety hazards. Students and parents may determine a student's personal dress and grooming standards, provided that they comply with the following:

- Hair must be clean and groomed.
- Piercings are limited to ears and nose.
- No excessively baggy pants and/or shorts will be worn. "Sagging" is not allowed. Clothing will be no larger than one size greater than the students' actual size. Belts must be appropriate length and worn with belt loops.
- No jeans with holes above fingertip length.
- Shoes designed to have strings must be tied where applicable.
- No hoods, caps or sunglasses will be worn in the school buildings. Students will not be allowed to wear wallet chains or other chains.
- Shirts or tops with a shoulder strap of less than two inches are not permitted.
- Shirts or tops which expose the midriff are not permitted.
- No exposed undergarments of any kind.
- Shorts and skirts should reach to the bottom of the student's fingertips.
- Any type of "legging" must be worn with a shirt/skirt that reaches to the bottom of the students' fingertips.
- No item of clothing will be worn that displays or insinuates obscene, sexual or profane messages, or promotes violence or other illegal activity.
- Hair styles, tattoos, accessories, clothing, or lack of clothing that are extreme or disrupt, distract, or interfere with the learning process will not be permitted.
- Principals retain final discretion and authority in determining dress code violations.

In addition, any item found in violation of the dress code may be confiscated for a period up to one week. School issued clothing may be worn for the remainder of the school day in such cases. 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. If not corrected, the student may be assigned to in-school suspension for the remainder of the day, until the problem is corrected, or until a parent or designee brings 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.

### **Consequences for Dress Code Violations**

1<sup>st</sup> Violation – Warning

2<sup>nd</sup> Violation - After school detention -30 min

3<sup>rd</sup> Violation - After school detention-30 min

4<sup>th</sup> Violation – Principal Meeting - After school det-45 min

5<sup>th</sup> Violation – Parent Meeting - After school det-45 min

After 5<sup>th</sup> Violation – 3 days ISS

**\*\*Consequences will reset each 6-weeks\*\***

