

**Dress Code** – Eisenhower Junior High is a place of learning. Proper dress prepares a student to learn and supports a positive school atmosphere. The Eisenhower Junior High School dress code stipulates:

**1. Appearance should not disrupt classroom activities and/or hinder fellow students' participation in class. The following are prohibited:**

- A. Hats of any kind (beanies, baseball caps, visors, hoods, scarves, etc.), unless for religious or medical purposes.
- B. Clothing depicting, through words or pictures, disrespect towards any race, culture, religion or gender.
- C. Clothing which advertises or depicts drugs, tobacco, alcohol or any illegal activity.
- D. Clothing depicting and/or referring to vulgarity, profanity, sexual behavior, criminal activity, or violence, such as pictures of weapons or violent acts. Pictures/images on clothing must meet dress code standards.
- E. Pajamas and/or slippers.
- F. Bare feet or socks only.
- G. Sagging or bagging pants. Pants and shorts must be worn around the natural waist. underwear, boxers, or shorts must not be revealed.
- H. Jewelry/Ornamentation with spikes, nails, or sharp points worn either on the body or used to decorate clothing, backpacks, and shoes, etc.
- I. Earbuds or headphones worn as accessories and not in conjunction with school-issued technology.
- J. Heavy outerwear other than to and from school. All coats and heavy jackets must be stored in the students' lockers during the school day.

**2. Dress should be modest, clean and safe. Standards of decency and propriety dictate. The following are prohibited at Eisenhower:**

- A. Outer clothing which reveals underwear or bra straps.
- B. Tank tops that expose the ribcage, halter, or midriff. All tops must be at least four fingers wide on the shoulders and cover the navel as well as chest (no cleavage).
- C. Shorts, skirts or dresses must be no shorter than 2" above the knee in length.
- D. See-through leggings (or tights) may only be worn beneath skirts, dresses or shorts that meet the above requirement.

**3. Any clothing identified by the Metro Gang Task force is not permitted. This clothing includes the following, but is subject to change, as the Task Force updates current gang trends:**

- A. Belts which are too long and allowed to hang.
- B. Hats, bandanas, or other objects allowed to hang.
- C. Belt buckles with monograms, initials, and/or designs including pictures.

**Violation of Dress Code:** Students in violation of the Dress Code will be asked to change clothes or modify, if possible, the article(s) of clothing in question. A supply of clean t-shirts and sweat pants will be available if necessary.

*\*\* School authorities reserve the right to determine interpretation of all dress code items listed above. Dress code rules may be modified or added to at any time necessary by school officials.*

**STUDENTS WHO USE EISENHOWER'S CLOTHING AND DO NOT  
RETURN THE BORROWED ITEM(S) WILL BE CHARGED \$10 PER ITEM.**