

Student Dress Code

In order to foster post-secondary success we expect students to follow dress code guidelines that do not disrupt or distract the learning environment and are similar to what one would expect in a professional work environment. In any work place one would expect to see...

-Clothing that does not expose undergarments in any way at any time.

-Clothing that fits well and does not sag or have large holes that would expose body parts covered by well-fitting clothing.

-Clothing that is not revealing in nature such as shorts and skirts that are at least mid-thigh length or that would reveal cleavage.

-Clothing and accessories that are considered offensive and/or adverse for the environment. (For example - gang, drug, tobacco and/or sexually suggestive to name a few)

-Head, face or hand coverings not related to religious beliefs. (For example - make-up that makes one unidentifiable, gloves or hats indoors, sunglasses, bandanas, etc.)

-Appropriate footwear worn at all times.

-Large clothing capable of concealing items not appropriate for school such as weapons. (For example - trench coats or large jackets)

Dress Code Interventions

Interventions for violations of the dress code will be progressive.

1st intervention-Staff member that addresses the violation will have a conversation with the student about appropriate dress, send the student down to the office for alternative clothing and document the conversation in the contact log in Infinite Campus. The student will trade inappropriate clothing for alternative clothing provided by the school and will be expected to wear the alternative clothing the duration of the school day. The student can return and exchange the clothing at the end of the school day. **If the student refuses to change, parent contact will be made and the student will be treated as defiant according to the student code of conduct.**

2nd intervention - Staff member that addresses the violation will have a conversation with the student about appropriate dress, send the student down to the office for alternative clothing and document the conversation in the contact log in Infinite Campus **and will alert an administrator who will make parent contact.** The student will trade inappropriate clothing for alternative clothing provided by the school and will be expected to wear the alternative clothing the duration of the school day. The student can return and exchange the clothing at the end of the school day. **If the student refuses to change, parent contact will be made and the student will be treated as defiant according to the student code of conduct.**

3rd intervention and subsequent interventions- Staff member that addresses the violation will have a conversation with the student about appropriate dress, send the student down to the office for alternative clothing and document the conversation in the contact log in Infinite Campus **and will alert an administrator who will arrange a meeting between the parent, student and administration or counseling to discuss violations.** The student will trade inappropriate clothing for alternative clothing provided by the school and will be expected to wear the alternative clothing the duration of the school day. The student can return and exchange the clothing at the end of the school day. **If the student refuses to change, the student will be treated as defiant according to the student code of conduct and disciplinary actions will be taken accordingly.**

ID Policy

All students are expected to carry a school issued ID at school during school hours and at school events. Student IDs help to identify students on school grounds, allow students to check out materials from the PVHS library, serve as bus passes and are needed for food services, etc. IDs will be given out free of charge the first time. Students that have lost or damaged their IDs can buy replacement IDs for \$3.00 each in the main office during their lunch or after they are completed with their daily class schedule. Students that cannot afford replacement will work with administration for alternatives to payment such as community service.

Students who are in violation of this ID policy and cannot provide ID upon the request of school staff will follow progressive interventions.

1st intervention-Student will be given a documented warning and issued a temporary ID from the main office.

2nd intervention- Student will be given a documented warning, issued a temporary ID from the main office and a parent/guardian will be notified.

3rd intervention and subsequent interventions- Student will be issued an ID from the main office, a parent/guardian will be notified and the new ID will be charged to the student's account.

Food and Drink policy

The goal of the food and drink policy is to maintain a clean school. Food and drink may be consumed in the classroom when it will not cause a distraction or disruption to the learning environment. Students are expected to ensure that the consuming of food will not cause a disruption or distraction by sharing, not disposing of or bringing overt attention to the food or drink in the classroom. Individual classrooms may have additional specific expectations including no food during lab based lessons in science classrooms or when playing instruments in music classes, for example.