

Responsibility for acceptable conduct and dress rests primarily with the employee. Employees shall be professionally attired and groomed while discharging their professional responsibility to the District.

Male staff should wear neckties in most situations. Because blue jeans are often considered relaxed wear they are not to be worn, except in unique circumstances such as janitorial, bus drivers, kitchen duties and in circumstances where an employee has an assignment which is better served by wearing blue jeans. Other exceptions include dress for a specific activity or class. For example, physical education, a field trip to river, shop work or other similar activities. In general, clothing is to be modest and appropriate for the occasion/job. Excessive or extreme styles should be avoided.

Building principals and supervisors shall develop guidelines for employee dress for the occasional “spirit day” or special events activities. However, nothing should compromise the employees need to be professionally attired.

Further guidelines to the Staff Dress Code will be at the discretion of the building/school principal, or supervisor. Staff not complying with appropriate and professional dress will be dealt with on an individual basis by the principal or supervisor.



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