



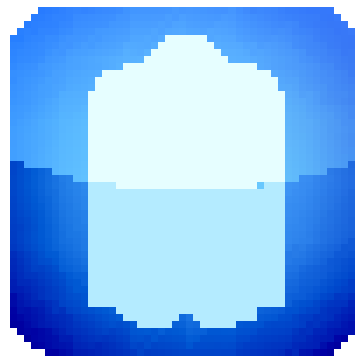
C.E. King High School

2016-2017 Dress Code

The district's dress code is established to teach grooming and hygiene, instill discipline, prevent disruption, minimize safety hazards and to teach respect for authority. The administration of each school shall have the discretion to determine if a student's attire, hair, and/or grooming is acceptable and within appropriate health and safety standards.

The district prohibits any clothing or grooming that, in the principal's or assistant principal's judgment may reasonably be expected to cause disruption of or interference with normal school operations. The policy governing campus dress and grooming shall be enforced uniformly and fairly by the faculty and the administration. It shall be the responsibility of the professional staff to determine the appropriateness of proper dress for all school occasions. Parents will be notified of inappropriate dress. All dress code regulations will be enforced. Each campus will determine appropriate disciplinary actions for students who do not abide by the district's dress code policy. There will be no absences due to dress code violations. Parents will receive a listing of consequences for dress code violations from each campus in which they have children enrolled. Those consequences can include, but are not limited to, verbal warnings, after-school detention and Saturday detention.

Because the code will be strictly enforced this year on all campuses, we suggest that you keep your receipts when purchasing clothes for this year in case an item is inappropriate. If in doubt, ask the campus principal.



Standardized Dress Regulations

Each student will wear standardized dress at all times with the exception of designated days. Campuses may designate special days where changes to the basic standardized dress code may be allowed in accordance with district guidelines. Shirts are to be buttoned in the accepted manner. Proper undergarments must be worn at all times. All garments must be hemmed with no ragged edges, frays and must be appropriately sized. Sunglasses, hats, caps or other head coverings may not be worn on district transportation or worn in school buildings. No sheer/see-through garments will be allowed.

Campus administrators can make adjustments to the dress code during the year to deter gang identification or to address other safety issues.

Allowable items for all campuses

The following clothing items will be considered appropriate at all campuses in Sheldon; exception will be noted in individual sections.

- Boys and Girls: pants, shorts, shirts and belt.
- Girls: standardized dress will also include skorts, jumpers and skirts.
- Tight-fitting clothing of any type is not acceptable.
- Clothing may not contain any writing, patches, emblems or logos that contain or make reference to alcohol, tobacco, sex, vulgar language, lewd behavior, weapons or racial/gang symbols which could cause disruption or detract from the learning environment.

Colors and regulations

1. Sweaters, sweatshirts and light jackets:

- Sweaters and sweatshirts may be pullover or button-front. Sweaters and sweatshirts must be appropriately sized; regular shirt with collar must be visible under both.
- Jackets, sweaters and hoodies may be any color or style. Hoods are allowed but may not be worn on the head during the school day.
- Hoodies/ sweaters may not extend below wrist length.
- Jackets, sweaters and hoodies may not be worn in a way that reflects gang affiliation.



2. Shirts :

- Must have a traditional collar, be long or short-sleeved and be of the pullover or button up shirt of any color (solid colors not required).
- Spirit shirts can be worn any day of the week. The spirit shirt must be a campus approved spirit shirt for the school that student is attending. School spirit shirts (blue, red, or white only) can be a t-shirt style.
- Sleeveless, low cut, revealing, tank tops, spaghetti strap, ripped/torn, or excessively baggy, tight shirts are not allowed.
- Shirts do not have to be tucked in but may not extend below wrist length or they must be tucked in
- Shirts must cover midriff areas as the student performs regular activities or movements.
- Undershirts may be any color.
- The top button may be buttoned only if wearing tie or bow tie.

3. Pants, (Includes: jeans, dress pants, shorts and capris)

- Must be solid blue, solid black or solid khaki, including olive.
- All pants, including shorts and Capri's are to be worn at the waist and not below the hips. They must be appropriately sized. Note: No more than two fingers extra width at the waist is allowed for growth.
- Pants, capri's and shorts must be traditional in appearance; stretch pants, spandex, sweat pants, overalls/coveralls, athletic shorts, lounging pants, drawstring waists, etc. are not allowed.
- Pants must fit at the waist. Pants may not be worn below the waist revealing skin or undergarments (no sagging).
- Capri's are allowed for female students but must not be so tight that undergarments lines are visible.
- Pants may not be torn or frayed.

4. Skorts, skirts and jumpers:

- Shorts and skirts must extend to the bottom of the fingertip when arms are relaxed at the side.

5. Belts :

- Must be worn at the waist if belt loops are present.

6. Hair:

- Must be neat, clean, well groomed and not obstructing the vision of the student.
- Males are to be clean-shaven with no mustaches or goatees.
- Sideburns may be no longer than the bottom of the ear lobe and not flared at the bottom. Hair shall be no longer than the bottom of the ear lobe on the sides, eyebrow length in the front and middle of the neck in the back on male students.
- Hairstyles shall not protrude over two inches from the skull. Designs, names, initials, or other distracting styles (e.g. Ponytails, Mohawks) etc. will not be allowed in any hairstyle.
- Non-naturally occurring hair colors, e.g. orange, green, purple, etc. are unacceptable. Hair must be in compliance.

7. Shoes:

- Grades 9-12 will be allowed to wear rubber flip flops (with no lights), sandals and backless shoes. No house shoes of any kind are permitted. Acceptable shoes must be worn at all times.

8. Tattoos and jewelry:

- Visible tattoos are not allowed.
- Earrings on boys are considered inappropriate for school and are prohibited. No student will be permitted to wear non-traditional objects in or on other body parts (nose, eyelids, lips, tongue, etc.).
- Tongue piercings are both safety and educational issues. To prevent detection, children who violate the tongue piercing rule will avoid participating in class, which will adversely affect their education.
- "Grilles" are silver or gold removable caps for teeth. They fit in the mouth like dentures and are worn as ornamentation by students. "Grilles" are prohibited, and cannot be worn by students.
- Prohibited items will be confiscated and sent to the office. Parents may pick them up at the end of the school day. Habitual offenders may be subject to other disciplinary action that may include, but are not limited to, after school detention, Saturday detention, In-School Suspension or Out of School Suspension.

9. Identification Cards:

- ID cards must be visibly displayed by all students above the waist via a lanyard or a clip at all times.
- ID cards may not be altered or defaced.
- The first ID card will be given to the student at no cost. If a student loses their ID card they must pay \$5 per additional ID.