

## Wagoner High School Dress Code

Generally, students should regard neatness and cleanliness in grooming and clothing as important. Dress or grooming which is in any way disruptive to the operation of the school will not be permitted. It is the philosophy of the Wagoner Board of Education that student dress should reflect a business, rather than a leisure atmosphere.

Revealing or sexually provocative clothing of extreme style may not be worn. Students must be in dress code when they arrive at Wagoner High School.

Principals, in conjunction with sponsors, coaches, or other persons in charge of extracurricular activities, may regulate dress and grooming of students who participate in a particular activity, if the Principal reasonably believes that the student's dress or grooming creates a hazard, or may prevent, interfere with, or adversely affect the purpose, direction, or effort required for the activity to achieve its goals.

**If a student's dress or grooming is objectionable under the above provisions, school administrators, teachers, sponsors, or other staff designees shall take appropriate disciplinary action. Students who violate provisions of the dress code shall be disciplined according to policies described in the student handbook. In extreme cases, students may be suspended from school until the violation is corrected.**

1. ALL students must wear their student Wagoner Public Schools Photo Identification Badge, displayed from a lanyard worn around the neck and in front of their clothing, and visible at all times.
2. Clothing must conceal undergarments which are inappropriate for public view, at all times.
3. Hats, caps, sunglasses, or other head coverings, (including bandannas, head scarves, hoods or "hoodie tops", doo rags, etc.) are NOT to be worn in the building. They are to be left in the student's locker during the school day.
4. Tops: shirts, blouses, tops of any kind must have a regular sleeve – short or long. Tops do NOT have to be tucked in, however they MUST cover the chest, back, sides, and belly areas at all times. The top should be long enough to be tucked in.
5. Students must dress in their proper size clothing. (For example: sleeve length, waist size, leg lengths and widths, and width of trousers, jeans, etc. must be sized appropriately to the student's body size – **NO Sagging or Bagging is allowed**; this includes items which are too tight fitting as well as too loose.
6. Bottoms: All pants, jeans, skirts, or other bottoms must be no shorter than at the MIDDLE of the knee length at all times. Sweats/wind suits/warm-ups and athletic shorts are NOT acceptable school wear. No chains or other objects hanging from pants. No pajamas or pajama/sleeper pants, or other flannel-type bottoms are allowed.  
\*\* Exceptions may be made for physical education, athletics, or other special occasions as pre-approved by the site principal or his/her designee.
7. Dresses must be no shorter than mid-knee length. Slits in dresses and skirts must not extend above the knee.
8. Fabrics in all garment types may not be mesh, see-through, have holes, or tears.
9. Students must wear shoes at school; house shoes of any type are prohibited at all times.

10. No trench coats. Jackets/coats and hoodies/sweatshirts are allowed with the following guidelines: All must be the proper size for the student; all must be unfastened; coats and jackets are to be no longer than fingertip length; school ID's must be visible at all times; and teachers have the right to not allow jackets/coats and hoodies/sweatshirts to be worn during their class time. (Amended 2/6/08)

11. Lettering, signs, slogans, jewelry, or other accessories that promote gangs or gang-related activities or which are obscene, including items of sexual content, overtones, or innuendos, which promote violence, illicit or illegal behavior or activities, including alcohol, tobacco, and/or drug representations or advertisements are prohibited at school and school activities.

12. Hairstyles, jewelry/body jewelry or piercings and makeup – these and other accessory fashion styles or items should not cause a distraction in the school environment with exotic colors, height/width, length, or cause a health or safety hazard for the student or other students.

13. Expectant students will be required to follow the school dress code until they have reached the third trimester as determined by their physician through written documentation. At that point in their pregnancy, students have the option of wearing appropriate maternity clothing or continuing to follow the school dress code (meaning NO sweat pants, wind suits, pajama bottoms, etc.)

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