

Meriwether County School System's Dress Code

The Meriwether County School System developed the dress code policy. The following policy allows students to dress for success while attending Meriwether County schools:

The Meriwether County School System's dress code will consist of the following for Pre-K through 12th grade:

- Shorts need to be to the top of the knee.
- Skirts need to be to the top of the knee.
- Dresses need to be to the top of the knee.
- All tops need to have a neckline no lower than the armpit.
 - No halter-tops, tank tops, tube tops, strapless shirts, or spaghetti straps, etc.
 - Shirts cannot be see-through.
- No bra straps showing at any time.
- No leggings/jeggings.
- No Yoga pants or joggers/athletic shorts.
- No undergarments may be showing.
- No pajamas
- No body cleavage or midriff may be showing.
- No holes or tears in jeans, shirts, dress, or any garment worn on the body.
- Hats and caps need to be removed upon entering the building.
- Sweatshirts, light sweaters, and light jackets are highly encouraged during the colder months. No bulky jackets or jackets with more than two pockets will be allowed. This includes the inside and outside of the jacket.
- Hoods may not be worn to cover any parts of one's head.
- Any clothing with inappropriate (profane, vulgar, sexual, racial, ethical, alcohol, drugs and tobacco, gang related signs or words, sayings, slogans or graphics will not be allowed.
- **No SAGGING.** Pants must be worn up on the waist.
- No solid colors can be worn for an entire outfit. For example, students will not be able to wear all red, blue, white, or black. Students cannot wear a red shirt, red pants, and red shoes. This could be considered gang affiliation.
- No flip flops, slippers/house shoes, heels above 3 inches
- Sandals can be worn; however, they must have a strap on the back.
- No blankets
- No excessive tight or form fitting clothing.

Meriwether County School System's Board of Education reserves the right to add to the policy when clothing trends bring about additional concerns. Furthermore, the principal has the authority to add to the policy if an item causes a disruption.