

STUDENT DRESS CODE

Students at West Greenville are expected to arrive each day prepared to focus on their education. Accordingly, our students will wear uniforms at school and at designated school-sponsored events. The uniform and dress code are designed to present a neat and equitable appearance.

Students in Grades 6-10 (or 16 years old or younger) MUST wear:

- Solid white, black, or blue shirt with collar.
- Shirts worn under uniform collared shirt must also be solid white, black, or blue.
 - No designs or prints on sleeves.
- Solid colored tan, black, or blue knit pants:
 - O NO JEAN/DENIM MATERIAL.
 - o No more than two inches larger than the student's waist.
 - o Solid tan, black, or blue athletic (sweat and other knit) pants are acceptable (no stripes)
 - No excessively baggy or excessively tight pants.
- Tan, black, and blue plain pullover/zip-up sweater/sweatshirt
 - o No hood, no designs, no logos, and no stripes
- Athletic shoes.
 - o No boots, flip-flops, slides, crocs, etc.

Examples of **Acceptable** Uniform Attire













Examples of **Unacceptable** Uniform Attire













Additional Guidelines and Uniform Exceptions

Students who have earned a Gold Ticket (5 consecutive days on Level 3), students who are an upperclassman (11th or 12th grade based on required credits), or students 17 years of age or older may wear non-uniform clothing. **Both Uniform and Non-Uniform clothing must adhere to guidelines below:**

• All clothing must provide adequate body coverage. Clothing that inappropriately exposes body parts during normal school activity (e.g. raising hand) will not be permitted.

- Underclothing must be covered at all times. This includes bra straps/sides and boxers.
- Clothing should fit appropriately. Excessively baggy trousers or excessively tight pants/dresses/shirts/shorts are not permitted.
- Skirts, dresses, and shorts must be at least three inches above the knee in length.
- Leggings, yoga pants, jeggings, and pants that have holes exposing skin above the knee are not permitted.
- Hats, sunglasses, hair curlers, skullies, do-rags, or head-scarves are not permitted.
- Clothing or jewelry that displays profanity, suggestive phrases, alcohol, tobacco/nicotine, drugs, or other inappropriate phrases or symbols is not permitted.
- No smart watches.
- Extraneous articles hanging from clothing, such as chains, are not permitted.
- For safety purposes, full coverage footwear must be worn at all times. Thong sandals, slides, cleated shoes, backless footwear, slippers, and shoes with wheels are not permitted.

The dress code will be enforced using the following process:

- Student will be issued change of clothing for the day, to be turned back in at end of day.
- If student refuses to change into school-issued clothing, parent will be contacted and requested to either pick-up student or bring change of clothing.
- Student will be kept in in-school-suspension until their parent can either pick them up or bring a change of clothing. Student will not earn points for appropriate behavior until they are appropriately dressed in school uniform and have returned to class.

Students who have earned a Gold Ticket reward will be given a signed/dated gold colored ticket. Your student should be able to show you their Gold Ticket so you can verify any days they may be allowed to dress in non-uniform attire.

The administration will make the final judgement on the appropriateness of clothing and/or appearance and reserves the right to prohibit students from wearing any articles of clothing or other items that lead to or may result in the disruption of or interference with the school environment.

If you need assistance with providing your student a uniform, please inform our office and we will have the Social Worker contact you directly.