



*Ocean Bay Middle School
Achieving Excellence Together
Student Dress Code*

Students, parents, and staff are reminded of the importance of hygiene and appropriate dress for school and its effect upon the learning environment.

- Attire must comply with requirements for health and safety.
 - Attire must not be immodest, obscene, profane, lewd, vulgar, indecent or offensive.
 - Shorts, skirts, skorts, and dresses should be mid-thigh length to assure modesty when the student is seated or engaged in school activities.
 - Jeans with holes must meet the same mid-thigh length requirement.
 - Form fitting pants (example: yoga pants, leggings, workout pants) must not be see through. Shirts must cover the waistband of the pants when students are seated.
 - Undergarments must be covered by outer clothing and not visible to others. Tops must not reveal cleavage. Swimming attire, pajamas, and bedroom slippers may not be worn.
 - Attire must not display evidence of membership or affiliation with a gang in any sense of the term.
 - Clothing and jewelry containing images of weapons, alcohol, tobacco (cigarettes or chewing tobacco), drugs, drug paraphernalia, sexual innuendos, or any images or words/phrases deemed inappropriate in nature may not be worn. Any clothing or jewelry
 - containing derogatory, threatening, or violent images or words/phrases may not be worn.
 - Hats, headgear, and sunglasses may not be worn in the building.
 - Pants and other garments are to be worn appropriately. Buttons are to be buttoned, zippers zipped, snaps snapped, and straps secured as designed.
 - Pants are to be secured at the waist, preferably with a belt, not down on the hips or below with underwear exposed.
 - All tops must have a shoulder strap of at least 3 inches in width. Tank tops or sleeveless shirts that expose the side of the body are not allowed.
 - See-through clothing, strapless tops, or clothes exposing the mid-section are not allowed.
- Violations of the dress code will be referred to administration and the parents will be called to bring a change of clothes to the school. Meanwhile, the student will wait in In School Suspension (ISS) until the dress code violation is corrected. The ISS location is a supervised classroom where the student can complete classwork until clothing can be corrected.

Violations of the Dress Code will be dealt with on a case by case basis. On the third dress code violation, the student will receive a discipline referral and a consequence will be given.