

Dickson County Board of Education

Monitoring: Review: Annually, in April	Descriptor Term: Dress Code	Descriptor Code: 6.310	Issued Date: 02/28/13
		Rescinds: 6.3100	Issued: 07/01/10

1 Students shall dress and groom in a clean, neat, and modest manner so as not to distract or interfere with the
2 operation of the school. These guidelines are mandatory on school premises and buses with the exception
3 of extracurricular activities or special events as designated by the building principal.
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5 The Board recognizes and understands that there is a strong correlation between appropriate attire and a
6 positive learning environment. To help create, not only the best learning environment, but also the safest,
7 these expectations for student dress have been established. Apparel or appearance which tends to draw
8 attention to an individual rather than to the education process and learning environment must be avoided.
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10 The school administration has the right to determine whether the student's attire is within the limits of
11 decency and modesty. In matters of opinion, the judgment of the principal/designee shall prevail.
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13 The Board authorizes a school to go above and beyond these dress guidelines and develop a more specific
14 code. When this is desired, the principal shall solicit input from staff, parents, and students and submit
15 such proposal to the Board in the spring prior to the implementation of such program for the following
16 academic year. (TCA 49-6-4215).
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