

21-22 RAWLINSON ROAD DRESS CODE

District board policy states that the board reserves the right to bar from school students whose personal appearance is disruptive to the educational process and orderly operation of the school. Discretion to formulate reasonable dress codes is left to the administration. Rawlinson Road has adopted the following **Standard Code of Dress**:

- 1. During school hours any solid color, collared top may be worn. All tops must be of one solid color and not contain any logos.
- 2. Shirts must have a collar and sleeves. Students must wear golf type or button-down shirts in long or short sleeves. The neck opening must not be a V-opening, but one that buttons, snaps or zips.
- 3. Any shirt worn under the approved tops noted in paragraph 1 must be a solid color with no writing on them.
- 4. ONLY RRMS approved school logos may be worn. Other club or high school (NHS, RHHS, or SPHS) logos may be approved by administration.
- 5. Sweaters, crew neck sweatshirts, and quarter zip pullovers of any solid color MAY BE WORN. NO HOODIES may be worn during the school day. School logos for RRMS, NHS, RHS, and SPHS may be worn. Sweaters must be a solid color and can be a pullover or cardigan type. A collared shirt must be visible underneath the sweatshirt and sweater.
- 6. School approved colors for all pants, shorts, skirts, capris, and skorts must be tan khaki, gray, black or navy blue in color. Any shade of tan khaki is allowed. Cargo pants and shorts are permitted. All pants, shorts, skirts, capris, and skorts must be worn fitting at the waist---NOT BELOW the natural waist. Standard waist logos found on pants are permitted.
- 7. All shorts, skirts, and skorts will be worn no shorter than 4 inches from the top of the knee. If a skirt has a slit, the top of the slit may be no higher than 4 inches above the knee. The following items are NOT appropriate for school: Wind/sweat pants, biker shorts, form-fitting clothes (leggings/jeggings), and tattered or torn clothing.
- 8. Clothing must be worn with appropriate undergarments, and undergarments must not be visible. All clothing must be size appropriate with no bagging, sagging, or oversized clothes worn. Provocative clothing (thin straps, tube tops, low necklines, strapless, too tight, too short, muscle shirts, revealing clothing, tank tops, see-through clothing) is prohibited. No skin can be visible between the pant and shirt at any time.
- Offensive or suggestive writing, pictures, patches on clothing (including outerwear) and belt buckles are prohibited. This includes advertising for alcohol, tobacco, or illegal products or depiction/promotion of racial, sexual, or violent behavior.
- 10. Clothing must be worn as the manufacturer intended.
- 11. No students are to wear bandannas, stocking caps, do-rags, hats or sunglasses at school. Scarves and sweatbands without a logo are permitted.
- 12. Students' hair, including facial hair, must be neat and clean, and well groomed. No hair rollers, picks, or combs are allowed to be worn in the hair at school.
- 13. All students must wear shoes. Shoes designed to be tied or buckled must be tied or buckled. For safety reasons, students will not be allowed to wear shower shoes, bedroom shoes, or high heels more than 2 inches high.
- 14. Visible piercings are limited to the ears and the nose only. Nose piercings are limited to single studs (no rings or hoops).
- 15. Jewelry that can be perceived as a weapon is prohibited. This includes, but not limited to, collars or bracelets with studs or spikes, chains, or any items noted as gang-related, are prohibited. Other accessories that cause a disruption to learning will be determined by administration.
- 16. Hairbrushes, combs, picks and the like should be left in the student's locker.
- 17. All students will adhere to the dress code during the school day, until the student LEAVES CAMPUS.

DRESS DOWN DAY GUIDELINES

In the event we have a dress down day, students must adhere to the following guidelines:

- T-shirts that have written logos or slogans must be appropriate; alcohol or tobacco advertisements on clothing are not permitted.
- Tattered jeans, even if deliberately shredded or torn <u>should not reveal skin, more than four inches above the knee.</u>
- Leggings worn with only shirts or tunics are not allowed. Leggings under a skirt are allowed.
- Jeans and pants must be worn at the waist.
- Shorts, skirts and dresses must not be any shorter than a student's fingertips when his/her arms are held straight at the sides (approximately 4 inches).
- Shirts and tops should cover the chest area completely. Tops or dresses with thin straps or tank tops are not allowed. Must have sleeves.
- No cropped shirts.
- Clothing should be worn with appropriate underclothing and undergarments should not be visible.
- Straight leg jeans are acceptable, but clothing must fit appropriately. Pants or tops that are too tight are not allowed.
- No pajama pants or slippers are allowed.

The RRMS principal may waive any of these rules on special days declaring special rules for that day.

Masks are considered an accessory, so logos are permissible. Offensive writing or advertisement of alcohol, tobacco, or illegal products is prohibited.