

## Student Dress Code: 2019-2020

Students at Washington Park Community School are expected to follow the standards for dress code outlined in the dress code policy. The guidelines were created to promote an appropriate and safe educational environment, while allowing students to dress appropriately, within limits, to facilitate learning. Our mission is education and we expect students to maintain the type of appearance that is not distracting to students, teachers, or the educational process of the school. Parents and children are equally responsible for the appearance of the child and will be notified in writing about changes that are made to the dress code. There is appropriate and inappropriate attire for all of life's activities. The school administration may require students to change any clothing that is deemed inappropriate. For this purpose, the school administrators may ask the students' parents to bring different clothing to the school for the student to change into. Keeping these ideas in mind, please help your child adhere to the guidelines as listed below.

The Administration reserves the right to determine if the students attire is inappropriate and/or unsafe regarding any items that may not be listed above.

<b>Dress/Grooming Category</b>	<b>Specifications:</b>
<p><b><u>Shirts</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Colors: Solid White, Navy Blue, or Light Blue</li> <li>● Short or long sleeved shirts with or without collars.               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Polo, button down, and t-shirt styles are all acceptable</li> </ul> </li> <li>● Solid White, Navy Blue, or Light Blue shirts may be worn under uniform tops</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● No logos or print</li> <li>● No sleeveless shirts, tank tops, "belly" shirts</li> <li>● Shirts may not be oversized, bulky or have embellishments</li> </ul>
<p><b><u>Sweaters</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Colors: White, Navy Blue, Light Blue, Black</li> <li>● May be solid color and/or patterned but must follow the color requirements listed above</li> <li>● Cardigan or pullover</li> <li>● Solid pullover sweatshirt allowed</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● No logos or print</li> <li>● No hoods and/or hoodies</li> <li>● May not be oversized, bulky, or have embellishments</li> </ul>
<p><b><u>Pants, Shorts, Skirts, Skorts, Belts</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Colors: Solid Dark Blue, Black, or Khaki</li> <li>● Belts - solid black or brown with no ornamentation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● No denim jeans and/or</li> <li>● No athletic pants, sweatpants, yoga, stretch pants</li> <li>● Leggings may be worn under skirts</li> </ul>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Shorts and skirts must be mid thigh length or longer</li> </ul>	<p>only and must be dark blue, or black and no patterns</p>
<p><b><u>Shoes</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tennis shoes and/or dress shoes are acceptable on all school days</li> <li>Socks must be worn</li> <li>Tennis shoes are required for participation in Physical Education</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No "Heelies," work boots, hiking boots</li> <li>No platform shoes or heels higher than 1 inch</li> <li>No flip flops, sandals, backless, open-toed, or slides</li> </ul>
<p><b><u>Hair and headwear</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Neatly groomed</li> <li>Natural color</li> <li>Hats, hoods, scarves, bandanas and other similar articles must be removed upon entering the building.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No unnatural colors including but not limited to: blue, red, green, orange, purple, burgundy</li> <li>No extreme hairstyles</li> <li>Facial hair is not permitted</li> </ul>
<p><b><u>Jewelry</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Piercing jewelry may be worn in earlobes only</li> <li>Must be reasonable size as to not pose a safety concern</li> <li>Students may wear one necklace, one bracelet, and/or one ring appropriate to learning environment</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No eyebrow, lip, nose, tongue piercings</li> <li>No piercing jewelry such as ring, hook, stud, spike, chain, spacers</li> <li>Bandages worn to cover piercings is not acceptable</li> </ul>
<p><b><u>Tattoos</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students are not permitted to display tattoos whether temporary or permanent</li> <li>This includes henna, jeweled embellishments, and/or stickers</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If a student has a tattoo that would be visible it must be covered by bandage, sleeve, or other school appropriate method</li> </ul>