

Westbrook Elementary School

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Dear Parents or Guardians,

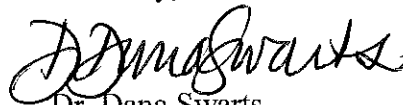
I want to take this opportunity to review the dress guidelines for Westbrook School. I feel school should be an enriching experience designed to bring out the best in students. As part of this objective, appropriate dress and good grooming are important. Of paramount importance in this dress guideline are the health and safety of the students and the avoidance of distractions to the educational process.

The following guidelines for student dress have been deemed reasonable and appropriate and are in effect for the entire school year:

1. The style of clothing must be such that it would not endanger the health or safety of the student or others.
2. Special consideration should be given by each student to personal hygiene such that it would not attract undue attention or be offensive to others.
3. Halters, bare midriffs or short sweaters and blouses may not be worn.
4. Wearing patches or decals, with or without words or sayings, affixed to clothing are not considered inappropriate or unreasonable, unless they are of a suggestive or obscene nature or the cause of a disruption in normal school proceedings.
5. Footwear must be worn at all times. Some platform shoes, clogs, and high heels are unsafe. In order to participate safely in our recess program, a sneaker-type shoe must be worn.
6. In warm weather, shorts that are no more three inches above the knee may be worn.
7. Muscle shirts/tank tops and mesh shirts are not permitted.
8. Hats may not be worn in the building, except on designated days.
9. Any apparel which refers to alcoholic beverages or narcotics are not appropriate.

Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any questions, please give me a call.

Sincerely,



Dr. Dana Swarts
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