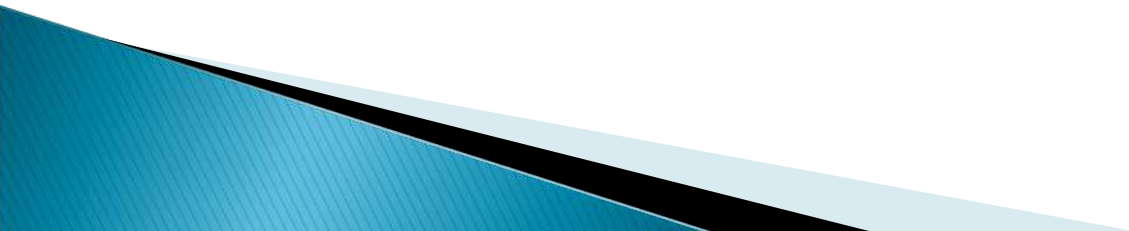


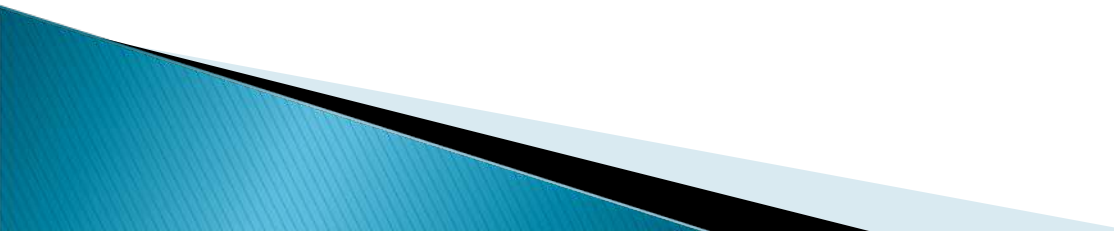
UNIFORMS



SHIRTS

SWEATERS

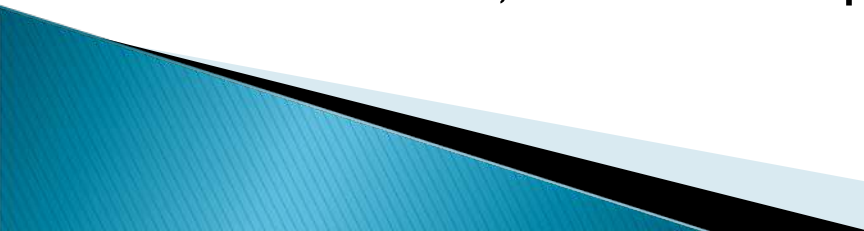
SWEATSHIRTS



Shirts, Sweaters, and Sweatshirts

- ▶ Plain long or short-sleeved shirts with a collar (i.e. no stripes, designs, etc). **Shirts can be solid white, black, navy or a solid color designated by the school (up to two additional colors per school).** Shirts may also have one or two chest pockets.
- ▶ Students may wear plain unhooded sweaters, sweatshirts or vests including those made out of lightweight fleece material over school uniforms. **The items may be solid white, black, navy, khaki, or one of the additional designated school colors. No down vests.**
- ▶ With the exception of school-approved logos (i.e. school name and/or mascot), no insignias, logos, labels, words, or pictures can be on shirts, sweaters, or sweatshirts, windbreakers or vests. Shirts with school approved logos must have collars.
- ▶ Shirts must be appropriately sized and tucked in unless the shirt is designed for outside wear and is no longer than 3 inches below the natural waist.

Shirts, Sweaters, and Sweatshirts

- ▶ Shirts shall be long enough to cover the midriff when sitting or standing; shirts must cover the chest and back so the chest and the back of the body are not inappropriately exposed.
 - ▶ Undergarments may not be visible at any time. **However, students may wear plain T-shirts or camisoles under collared shirts which are plain white, black, navy or one of the additional designated school colors.**
 - ▶ No see-through or mesh clothing that will reveal the body.
 - ▶ Clothing shall be worn appropriately (not inside-out or backwards; no rolled up pants legs, etc.).
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Polo Shirt



Oxford Shirt



Turtleneck





Oxford Shirt



Polo Shirt



Polo Shirt





Unapproved Logo



Stripes





Button-front*



Zip-front*



Crewneck*

*These items must be worn over a collared shirt.





V-neck*



V-neck &
Button-front*



Vest*

*These items must be worn over a collared shirt.



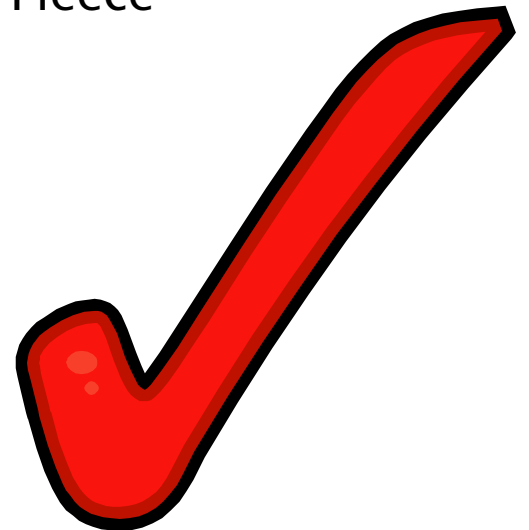


Sweatshirt*



Half-zip Fleece*

*These items must be worn over a collared shirt.





Hooded
Sweater



Hooded
Sweatshirt



Down Vest



PANTS
SHORTS
SKIRTS
SKORTS
JUMPERS
CAPRIS



Pants, Shorts, Skirts

- ▶ Colors: solid khaki, black, or navy
- ▶ **NO denim of any color allowed.**
- ▶ Must be free of graphics and embroidery. With the exception of small labels, they may not have insignias, logos, words, or pictures.
- ▶ Shorts, skirts, skorts and jumpers shall be modest and of sufficient length (i.e. no shorter than three inches above the top of the knee when standing).
- ▶ No pants or shorts with pockets halfway down the legs (i.e. cargo).

Pants, Shorts, Skirts

- ▶ Clothing must be appropriately sized. No baggy or sagging pants or shorts are allowed. No “low rise” clothing is allowed. Pants must not be worn with the waistband below the hipbone.
- ▶ No see-through or mesh clothing that will reveal the body.
- ▶ Clothing shall be worn appropriately (not inside-out or backwards; no rolled up pants legs, etc.).
- ▶ **IF belts are worn, they must be solid black or brown belt with a plain belt buckle that is not oversized. All belts must be buckled.**



Pants



Pants





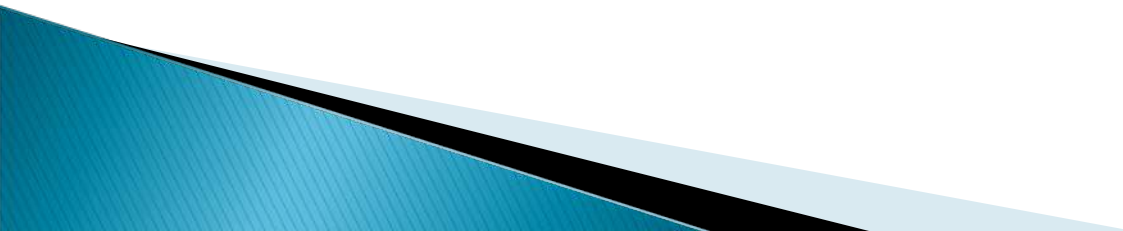
Capri Pants



Shorts



Shorts





Jumper –
Collared shirt
must be worn
underneath.



Skirts





Cargo Pockets



Blue Jeans





Cargo Shorts

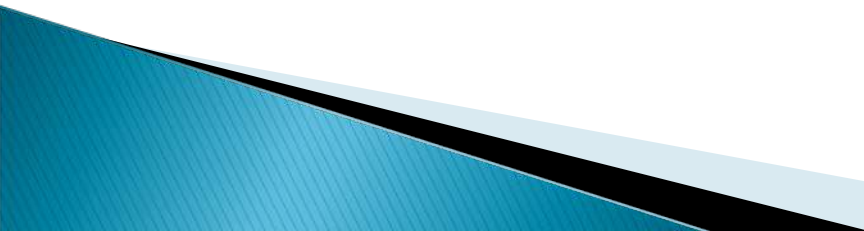


Stripes on
Shorts

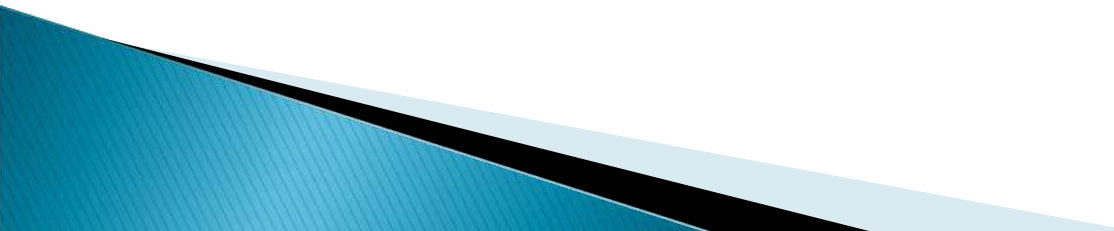


Dresses

Dresses

- ▶ Dresses may be solid white, black, navy, khaki, or one of the additional designated school colors (see PCS School Color Chart).
 - ▶ Students may wear long or short-sleeved dresses with a collar. Dresses may have one or two chest pockets.
 - ▶ With the exception of school approved logos, dresses may not have insignias, logos, labels, words, or pictures.
 - ▶ Dresses must cover the chest and back so the chest and the back of the body are not inappropriately exposed.
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Dresses

- ▶ Dresses shall be modest and of sufficient length. The length of the dress shall be no shorter than three inches above the top of the knee when standing.
 - ▶ Undergarments may not be visible at any time.
 - ▶ No see-through or mesh clothing that will reveal the body or will reveal undergarments shall be allowed.
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Polo Dress



Turtleneck
Dress



Polo Dress





No collar on
dress.



Dress is not
solid.



COATS

Coats

- ▶ May not be worn inside the school building during the school day.
- ▶ May be worn during a class change if the student is exiting the building.
- ▶ May be worn to school and placed in the student's locker. If a locker is not available, it may be hung in the classroom or another location designated by the principal.
- ▶ The principal may make an exception if the building / classroom is unusually cold.

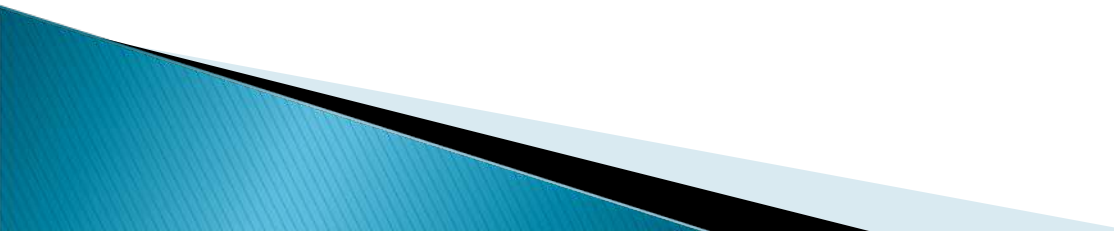
Coats may be worn to school AND placed in the locker.

They may not be worn in the classroom.



SHOES

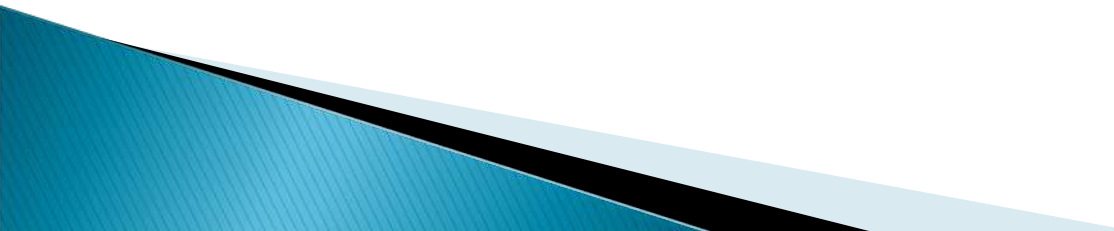
Shoes

- ▶ Shall be worn at all times, and, as needed, shoes shall conform to special requirements (such as P.E. classes, JROTC, science labs, etc.).
 - ▶ Shoes that have laces shall be laced and tied.
 - ▶ No bedroom shoes shall be allowed.
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ACCESSORIES

Accessories

- ▶ No large pendants or medallions.
 - ▶ No adornment is allowed that reasonably could be perceived as, or used as, a weapon (such as chains, spikes, etc.).
 - ▶ No gang-related clothing, accessories, symbols or intimidating manner of dress, as identified by local law enforcement agencies, are allowed.
 - ▶ No headwear and no sunglasses shall be worn inside school buildings.
 - ▶ No bandanas shall be allowed.
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Accessories

- ▶ Only school activity buttons, approved by the principal, are permitted to be worn on a student's school uniform.
- ▶ Leggings and **footed tights** may be worn only as an accessory under skirts, skorts, dresses, shorts, pants, or capris that meet uniform requirements. They must be solid white, black, or navy.
- ▶ Solid color, pattern or stripe ties may be worn. They may not have any insignias, logos, labels, words, or pictures.
- ▶ No jeggings allowed.

**There are no restrictions on socks.



Ties



Ties



Ties



Socks





Spike Necklace



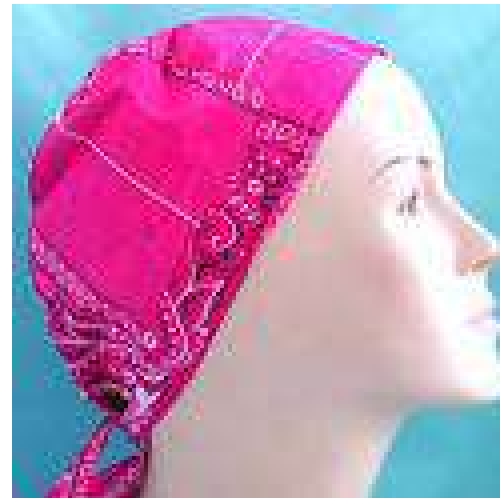
Hats



Tights

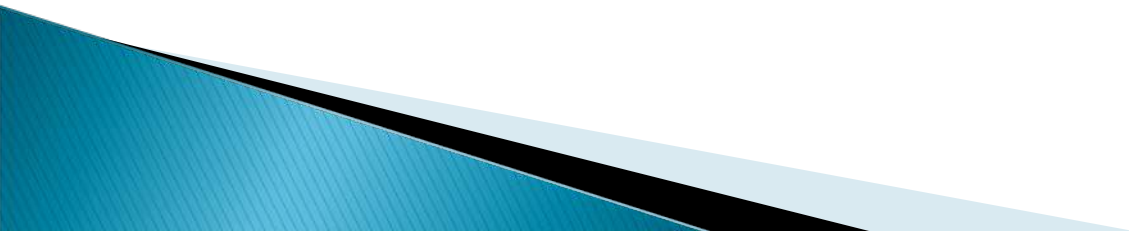


Sunglasses

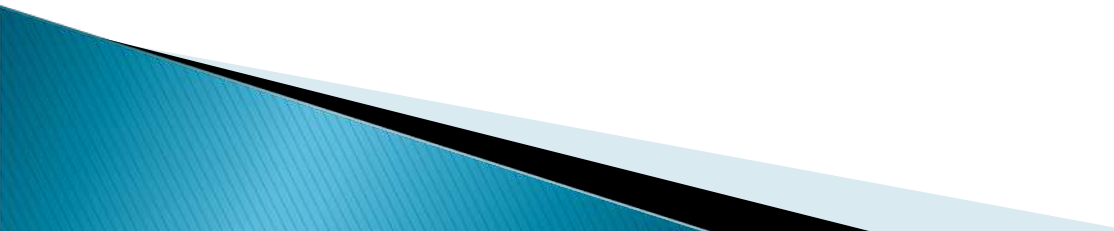


Bandana

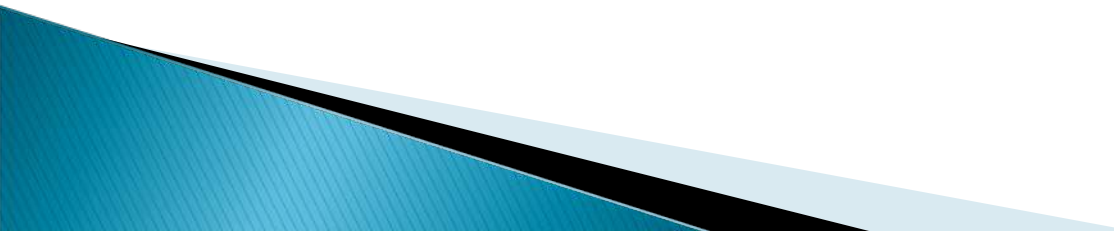
Additional Uniform Details



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- **Students are expected to be dressed according to the uniform standards at all times school is in session.**
 - **Students who are taking classes that require a special dress code (such as JROTC or Career and Technical Education internships) may wear that uniform to other classes.**
 - **Students who take a class at another school must wear the uniform shirt of their home school.**
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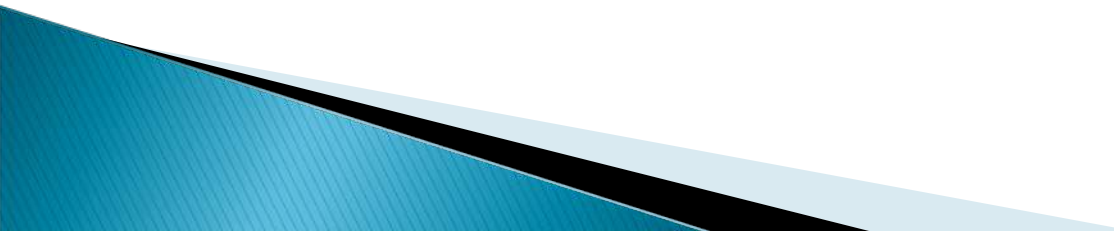
Additional Uniform Details

- Principal approved school spirit wear such as club and/or organizational jackets, letter jackets, etc. may be worn in the high schools.
 - Principals may make exceptions to the uniform policy for special events.
 - Clothing designed for school athletic events (i.e. cheerleader outfits, etc.) that does not meet the above guidelines shall not be worn during the instructional day unless appropriate additional garments are worn with the outfit.
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Additional Uniform Details

- ▶ Principals may make exceptions to the uniform policy for special events such as jeans day. However, jeans day is limited to once a month and no more than 9 times a year.
 - Jeans day must be a reward for positive behavior or fundraising for a cause that benefits all the students at the school.

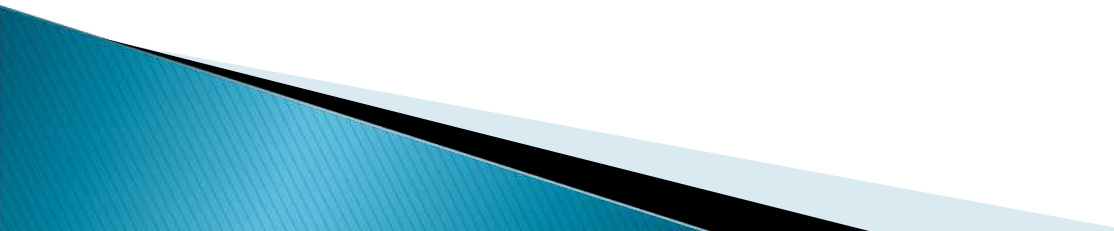
Consequences for Noncompliance

1. First Offense: Student will be informed that they have violated the policy. They shall be given the opportunity to change into acceptable clothing by using available clothes at school or calling a parent / guardian to bring clothes. If neither of these options is used, the student **may** be placed in in-school suspension or isolation for the remainder of the day.
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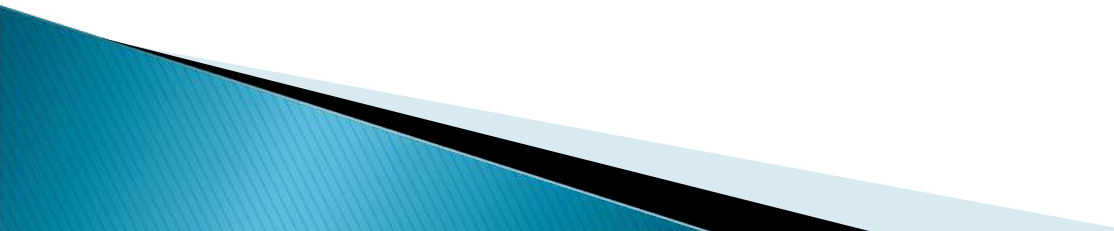
Consequences for Noncompliance

2. Second Offense: A second infraction of the policy may be considered defiance. In addition to the disciplinary actions available for a first offense, a parent / guardian conference may be held.

Consequences for Noncompliance

3. Third and Subsequent Offenses: A third or additional infraction of the policy may be categorized as a Category I offense as outlined in Pitt County Schools' *Code of Student Conduct*, subject to the consequences outlined therein, including out-of-school suspension.
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Frequently Asked Questions



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- **Can sweaters and sweatshirts zip up or button up?** Yes. As long as they are appropriately sized (not bulky) and conform to the other portions of the policy, sweaters and sweatshirts can zip up or button up.
- **Can girls wear tights to school?** Footed tights may only be worn as an accessory under skirts, skorts, dresses, shorts, pants or capris.
- **Does no headwear mean that girls are not allowed to wear hair bows, ponytail holders, etc?**

No. Hair bows, ribbons, ponytail holders and barrettes are allowed. Headwear refers to hats, bandanas, etc.

Frequently Asked Questions

- **Are black or khaki colored jeans be allowed? What about corduroy slacks?**

No. Black or khaki colored jeans are not allowed. No denim of any color is allowed. Corduroy slacks are allowed as long as they meet the other guidelines (such as no insignias, logos, words, pictures – other than small labels – and no “cargo” pockets)

- **Do Pre-K students have to wear the school uniform?**

No. Pre-K students will not be required to wear the uniform.