Durant Dress Code Reminder

<u>General Dress Code</u>: Dressing for school means not distracting others with your outfit or in an indecent manner. Students must dress in a manner that is not detrimental to the health, safety and welfare of others. Students that are dressed inappropriately will be given the opportunity to change their outfit.

While it is difficult to list all items of clothing that are acceptable or not, please use the following guidelines in making your school clothing decisions:

- Tops that reveal undergarments, the abdomen, or cleavage may not be worn to school.
- Jeans and shorts with tears and holes that reveal excessive amounts of skin are not allowed.
- Shorts and skirts must be at least fingertip length.
- Pants must be worn at the waistline and may not reveal undergarments.
- Hats and outerwear are not permitted during the school day. Bandanas are also not permitted. Hoodies are fine, but students must leave the hood down during the school day.
- Any clothing that depicts images or words that reference alcohol, drugs, tobacco, violence, or sexuality are not permitted.

*** If you are unsure if your clothing meets the dress code, bring something to school that you can change into.

Please note: It is never our intent to single out or embarrass any student, however when a student may be in violation of the dress code our staff is expected to intervene. Students may be asked to turn a shirt inside out or to cover up excessive skin. In some instances, students may be required to change their outfit completely. Additional disciplinary consequences may be applied for students who refuse to comply with staff directions regarding their clothing choices and/or for students who may be repeat offenders of the dress code.

If you have any questions, please contact the building administrator.