

Chattooga High School

Student Dress Code

Chattooga High School's dress code is in place to ensure modesty and decency of attire. These guidelines are in addition to Chattooga County's Dress Code included in the Parent/Student Handbook. Students need to make responsible decisions about how to dress appropriately for the school day.

1. Administrators and teachers shall enforce the dress code policy. The Principal or designee shall be the final judge as to the appropriateness, neatness, and cleanliness of the apparel, or whether or not the apparel is disruptive, distracting, or in violation of the dress code.
2. All students shall maintain an acceptable standard of dress. *The minimum standard of dress is as follows:*
 - Shoes shall be worn. No bedroom shoes or slippers are permitted.
 - Clothing or ornamentation displaying or advertising substances illegal for minors is prohibited. Suggestive phrases, designs, markings or profanities are also prohibited.
 - Appropriate undergarments are required. Undergarments, including boxer shorts should not be visible.
 - No hat of any kind is to be worn in the building (except on designated days). This includes hats/caps/visors, hoods, berets, etc. The crown of the head must be visible at all times.

Shirts must meet the following criteria:

- No skin is to be exposed on the torso/stomach area at any time.
- No sheer or "see-through" garments without an appropriate shirt worn underneath.
- No low cut necklines. Chest area should be covered.
- No backless shirts.
- No racer back shirts.
- No off-the-shoulder shirts or sweaters without an appropriate shirt worn underneath.
- No tank tops.
- No cut-off sleeves.
- No strapless shirts.
- No body-tight spandex or stretch material.

Pants must meet the following criteria:

- Holes/Transparency in pants must be appropriate with no visible skin or undergarments visible above **MID-THIGH**.
- Pants must fit with no sagging that exposes undergarments. Pants need to be secured at the waist.

Dresses, Skirts and Shorts must meet the following criteria:

- The length of dresses, skirts, & shorts must reach at least **MID-THIGH** (sitting and/or standing).
- Slits in shorts, skirts and dresses must not extend higher than **MID-THIGH** (sitting and/or standing).

*As clothing styles/trends evolve, the Chattooga High School Administration reserves the right to add, delete, or edit portions of the dress code policy at any time deemed necessary.