

UPDATED DRESS CODE

PERU COMMUNITY SCHOOLS (K-12)

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3" IN-SEAM

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1. Clothing must cover areas from one armpit across to the other armpit, down to 3" below groin, (see images above). Tops must have shoulder straps. Rips or tears in clothing should be lower than 3" below groin..
2. No bare midriffs.
3. Shoes must always be worn.
4. See-through or mesh garments must not be worn without appropriate coverage underneath that meet the minimum requirements of the dress code.
5. Clothing may not depict, imply, advertise, or advocate illegal, violent, or lewd conduct, weapons, or the use of alcohol, tobacco, marijuana or other controlled substances.
6. Clothing may not depict or imply pornography, nudity, or sexual acts.
7. Clothing may not display or imply vulgar, discriminatory, or obscene language or images.
8. Clothing may not state, imply, or depict hate speech/imagery targeting groups based on race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity, religious affiliation, or any other protected classification.
9. Sunglasses may not be worn on the face inside the building.
10. Clothing and accessories that endanger student or staff safety may not be worn (i.e. studded accessories).
11. Apparel, jewelry, accessories, tattoos, or manner of grooming that, by virtue of its color, arrangement, trademark, or any other attribute, denotes membership in a gang that advocates illegal or disruptive behavior is prohibited. No bandanas.
12. Face paint is not permitted during a normal school day.
13. Any clothing that reveals visible undergarments is not allowed.
14. Any clothing item that causes a distraction to the educational process is not allowed.
15. Students cannot wear hoods on their heads.

The administration at each school reserves the right to determine what constitutes appropriate dress. Parents will be called if appropriate clothing is not available or the student refuses dresscode appropriate clothing. Exceptions to dress code guidelines may be approved by the principal for special events or activities.