

Standard School Wear

Students are to be dressed according to the school dress code each school day. Students may not wear other clothes to or from school and change at school. The dress code consists of navy, black or khaki colored pants (**not jeans**). As an alternative to long pants, students may wear shorts, no shorter than 4 inches above the knee. Girls may also wear shorts or a skirt of approved length (no shorter than 4 inches above the knee). Students must wear a solid colored polo shirt (long or short sleeved). Approved NPA sponsored club or sports t-shirts may also be worn. All clothes must fit, be clean, and be in good repair. The dress code does not allow for the wearing of hats or caps in the school building. During cold weather, students may wear a solid colored sweatshirt, an NPA Spartans sweatshirt or an NPA warm-up suit (with an approved uniform shirt under the sweatshirt or warm-up suit). Students may also wear a college or university logo sweatshirt (not a t-shirt). No visible tattoos, exaggerated make-up, or excessive jewelry, or excessive hair ornamentation may be worn. Hair color shall be in one of the naturally occurring human hair colors. The wearing of rings, studs, or other jewelry in visible body parts such as, but not limited to septum, lip, eyebrow, tongue, or any area other than ears is not allowed during school.

Casual Dress Days

Students may wear blue jeans on casual dress days. Gang clothing, insignia, symbols, and paraphernalia are not allowed. Clothing with references to drugs, tobacco, alcohol, or sexuality are not to be worn to school. Bare midriffs, spaghetti straps, tight shirts, exposed underwear, and excessively baggy or tight trousers are not allowed. **School administration reserves the right to determine appropriateness of any school attire.**