



# FAIRVIEW MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

We understand that there have been some concerns regarding shoes during Physical Education class at Fairview Middle School. Thank you for communicating with our school so we can work together towards a positive solution.

A sign is posted in the gym that says, “No street shoes on the floor court.” This is to stop boots, high heels and shoes with hard heels from damaging the floor. Since the Gym will be refinished during Winter Break, black soled shoes will be allowed in the gym as long as they are not “Street Shoes” as designated on the signage in the gym.

For safety purposes, students **will not** be required to take off shoes to participate in gym activities. Students who come to class in “Street shoes” will be allowed to participate in an alternative activity outside the gym, weather permitting.

When classes resume in January, students will need to wear some type of athletic/sport shoes during Physical Education that provide proper support and that do NOT have black soles. Students can either wear those to school, or bring the appropriate athletic/sport shoes to change into for their Physical Education class. It is important that your children are able to participate with the rest of the class, both in and out of the gym.

Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,

.John McKenzie, Principal

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Please sign below and return to your child’s Physical Education teacher.

I have read the information for my child, \_\_\_\_\_, regarding the shoe policy for Physical Education.

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Parent Signature