



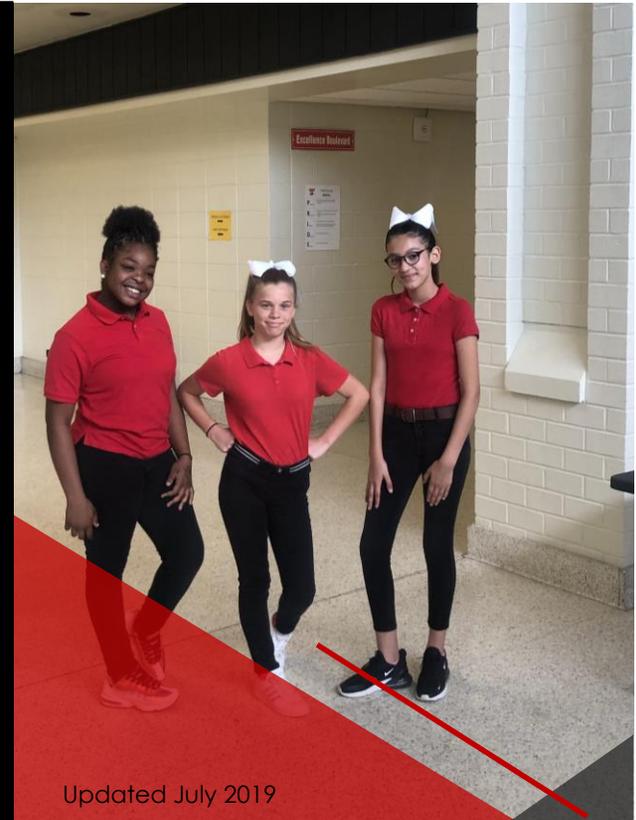
## SMOD Free Days

SMOD Free are ALWAYS announced. On these announced days, the following guidelines will be in place:

- All clothing must be worn in an appropriate and tasteful manner, and as originally intended by the designer. For example, belts (if worn) must be worn around the waist; shirts or headbands will not be worn around the neck; suspenders or overalls will not be worn with straps down; shirts must be buttoned so chest or T-shirts are not exposed, shoes must be fastened/tied; etc. Clothes may not be worn inside out or backward.
- Shoulder straps must be at least 3 inches wide.
- Abusive, suggestive or profane language; symbols of illegal substances; or any other words, symbols or slogans that disrupt the learning environment may not be worn on clothing or as jewelry.
- Students are required to wear shoes at all times for health and safety reasons.

The following items **SHOULD NOT** be worn at school:

- Bedroom shoes/slippers or pajamas; flip-flops; shower/spa shoes. Shoes with heels higher than 2 inches.
- Sagging pants showing clothing/underwear beneath the main outerwear. "Low rider" pants that reveal skin are not acceptable. Pants must stay up without assistance - if you have to hold the waistband while walking to keep your pants on, your pants require a belt.
- Oversized shirts and t-shirts that fall below the finger tips are not permissible to wear.
- **Shorts and skirts need to be fingertip length or longer - even if you are wearing leggings or tights underneath.**
- Shirts that expose the stomach or are low cut in front, back, or sides; excessively tight or see-through shirts.
- Spaghetti straps or strapless tops.
- Frayed, ripped, slashed, cut up clothing, or holes in clothes from the mid-thigh up; even if you are wearing leggings underneath.
- Tights/leggings/yoga pants should not be worn as outerwear unless worn with shorts, dresses, skirts or other appropriate coverings following the same length guidelines as is listed above.



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## Accessories, Hair, & Make-up

Jewelry must be tasteful; SMOD colors, silver, gold, pearl, or crystal are acceptable; Earrings and any other piercings should be a length and size that will not present a safety hazard or distraction to learning; No heavy chains or mardi gras style beads;

Belts should be worn, in a solid color, if the product has been manufactured with belt loops;

Hair must not pose a distraction due to style; it may not impair vision; **No sweatbands, head scarves, hats, caps, hair nets, skull caps, doo-rags, bandanas, head coverings, hair curlers, picks/combs or inappropriate headwear;**

Sunglasses may not be worn in the building;

Good taste and moderation should govern make-up and nail polish; purses, bags, etc. may not be kept in the classrooms



**Thomasville Middle School**  
SMOD BROCHURE



## SMOD Pants, Skirts, Shorts Capri Pants, Skorts, or Jumpers

Color: Khaki or Black

Style: Must be dress or casual (no sweat pants, spandex/yoga pants, or pajama/ loungewear allowed; solid black jeans are acceptable)

Wear: Pants must be worn at normal length; shorts, skirts, capris, skorts, or jumpers must be fingertip length or longer; all must be worn at the natural waist area; no hip hugging or excessively tight fitting pants; items must be hemmed and cannot drag the floor; sagging pants showing clothing/underwear beneath the main wear & "low rider" pants that reveal skin are not acceptable.

No decorative adornments on clothing (ie. extra stitching, decorative pocket flaps, tear offs, holes, etc. No undergarments may be visible.

## SMOD Shoes

Type: Tie-ups, buckle-ups; athletic, sandals with ankle strap, boots, or slip-ons with closed toes; Crocs are acceptable if they are worn with a strap across the back.

Not allowed:

## Consequences for Breaking SMOD

Parent Contact • Self-correction • Detention (before or after school) • Silent Lunch • Conference w/Counselor or Administrator • In-School Suspension • Out of School Suspension

## SMOD Shirts

Type: Polo style, turtleneck, or Oxford/button down; long sleeve or short sleeve shirts/blouses (no sleeveless), shirts must have a color unless spiritwear

Colors: Students may choose from solid white, solid red, solid black, or solid gray

Wear: No undergarments may be visible; button down shirts – only the top two buttons may be left unbuttoned; no visible cleavage for girls; undershirts may be worn under a polo style or button down shirt (must be SMOD colors if visible); no see through material allowed; TCS spirit wear is acceptable

Emblems: **MUST BE NO LARGER THAN A CREDIT CARD, including only trademark symbols**

## SMOD Outerwear

Allowed: Size appropriate light jacket, vest, pullover, or cardigan style sweater, fleece, or sweatshirts

Colors: Solid in color up to two (2) SMOD approved colors; no wording, graphics, or patterns; school spiritwear is acceptable

Outerwear may not hang past the straddle of the pants; all other coats must be kept in lockers

**NO OVERSIZED  
CLOTHING WILL  
BE ALLOWED.**



**SMOD Approved  
Colors**

1. Black
2. Gray
3. Red
4. White