DRESS CODE

The following guidelines will be used to make case-by-case judgments regarding the appropriateness of student dress.

Any clothing, hats, or adornment which disrupts the learning environment of the school will be addressed. **Final decision will be at the discretion of the Dean's Office.**

This includes:

- Attire, including hats, with slogans or illustrations which promote the use and/or glorification of drugs, alcohol, or tobacco.

- Attire with violent, profane, vulgar, racial, ethnic, or sexist slogans or illustrations.

- Halter/strapless tops, see-through apparel, or apparel which reveals undergarments, shows the midriff section, has a low neckline or an open back.

- Dresses, skirts, and shorts must be appropriate length. Dresses and skirts must be an appropriate length prior to layering clothing (i.e. leggings or skirt shorts.

- Attire which may be used as a weapon (i.e. steel-toed boots, wallet chains, and items with spikes or studs).

- During school-sponsored dress-up days, clothing must be appropriate for the themed day and comply with all the above rules.

DRESS CODE VIOLATIONS

In the event of a violation, students will be asked to change and the item will be confiscated for the remainder of the school day. Repeated violations with ANY of the above guidelines will result in further disciplinary action.