



**WEST HENDERSON HIGH SCHOOL
APPROPRIATE DRESS EXPECTATIONS
For Students**



Rationale: Our vision is to be the standard of academic, extracurricular, and civic excellence. We strive to be the best high school in the state. and we communicate that in part by appearance. Below you will find a guideline for appropriate school attire.

Simple guidelines for school-appropriate apparel for all students at all times:

- School appropriate tops include the following:
 - Necklines should cover the upper chest region appropriately.
 - Sleeves must be a playing card's width and no top should have an arm opening larger than the approximate size of the arm.
 - No see-through, mesh, bare midriff, muscle shirts, tank tops, spaghetti straps or halter-tops.

- School appropriate bottoms include the following:
 - Hemline that is no shorter than length of two playing cards from the knee.
 - Form fitting bottoms (bike shorts, leggings, yoga pants, etc.) should be accompanied by a garment that covers the buttocks.
 - Any holes or shredding must adhere to the above hemline guidelines.

- School appropriate tops and bottoms must be worn at all times by all students, including in gym class and after school practices.

- Clothing and accessories must be free of offensive or suggestive words or graphics and contain no references to drugs, alcohol, tobacco, or other illegal substances or activities.

- Shoes must be worn at all times. No slippers or cleats may be worn.

- No hats, caps, sunglasses, hoods, bandanas, or other head coverings may be worn in the building.

- No undergarments should be visible.

Consequences: Students whose clothing fails to meet the Appropriate Dress Expectations have the opportunity to remedy the violation. If unable, students will report to the office where a phone call home will be made. Afterwards, the students will report to Processing until a parent/legal guardian brings a change of clothes and the violation will be documented.