

# FOND DU LAC HIGH SCHOOL DRESS CODE

**Goal: Students and staff will dress in a manner that is appropriate for a safe and healthy learning environment.**

It is the **responsibility** of each student and staff member to follow the dress code upon entering the building.

The dress code ensures that students and staff are **respectful** of how clothes, accessories and scents impact other students, staff and community members. It contributes to an environment that encourages learning without distractions.

The dress code supports a **safe** learning environment.

Apparel, personal items and body decoration must show respect to all people. Anything promoting, advertising or displaying the following will **NOT** be allowed:

- tobacco
- alcohol
- promoting violence
- illegal substances or paraphernalia
- anything demeaning to another group of people
- anything deemed by administration to be gang related
- anything sexually suggestive (i.e. Hooters, Tilted Kilt)

Shirts must cover midriff, cleavage and backside.

Shorts and skirts are to be at or below the tips of fingers when held at the side.

Pants will be worn at hips or above

Muscle shirts, tank tops and spaghetti straps are **NOT** allowed

All undergarments must be covered including underwear and bras. Shirts will not be transparent.

Footwear must be worn at all times (combat boots with non- black laces and slippers are prohibited)

Coats and hats will be kept in lockers and not brought to classrooms

Accessories may be worn **except:**

- wallet chains/other hanging chains
- metal pointed studded clothes or jewelry
- hats, hoods or any other head covering
- bandanas
- sunglasses

Additionally, any apparel deemed inappropriate by an administrator will be prohibited. Staff members will forward questionable attire to administration.

Students will adhere to safety policies regarding clothing attire in relevant classes.

## **Exceptions for medical and religious beliefs**

### **Medical:**

Any student requesting an exemption from the dress code for medical reasons must obtain a written note from the Doctor and parent/guardian summarizing the reason for the exemption. This note must be presented for review to the student's assistant principal.

### **Religious:**

Any student requesting an exemption from the dress code for religious reasons must obtain a written note from clergy and parent/guardian summarizing the reason for the exemption. This note must be presented for review to the student's assistant principal.