

Barber Middle School

Dress Code

2018-2019

Students are expected to adhere to the Dress Policy of the Cobb County Board of Education (JICA). All students of the Cobb County School District are encouraged to observe a standard of grooming and dress consistent with the level of formality of the school situation.

1. All students of the Cobb County School District shall be required to maintain the level of personal hygiene necessary to ensure a healthful school environment and to refrain from any mode of dress which proves to contribute to any disruption of school functions.
2. Administrators and teachers shall enforce the dress code rule, and the principal or his designee shall be the final judge as to the appropriateness, neatness and cleanliness of the wearing apparel, or whether or not apparel is disruptive, distracting or in violation of the dress code.
3. All students shall maintain an acceptable standard of dress. The minimum standard of dress for students shall be as follows:

- Midribs shall be covered.

- Shoes shall be worn.

- Appropriate under-garments must be worn and may not be visible.

- Strapless garments must be worn with a jacket.

- Tank-tops will not be permitted.

- Appropriate shorts may be worn.

- Caps or hats are not to be worn in the school buildings during the school day unless there is a special activity during which they are deemed appropriate by the school administration.

- Clothing or ornamentation displaying or advertising substances illegal for minors is prohibited. Suggestive phrases, designs, markings, or profanities are also prohibited.

- Clothing or ornamentation advocating, promoting, or suggesting illegal activity is also prohibited.

- Leggings can be worn with an appropriate shirt that covers the posterior.

- Jeans that have holes may be worn as long as the holes are located at the knee or below.

- Shorts or skirts must meet the fingertip rule. Shorts and skirts must touch the tip of the middle finger or be longer.