

DRESS CODE

Ingleside Middle School will maintain a positive image through student dress. Students are encouraged to dress in a respectful manner. Students are expected to be well-groomed and appropriately dressed. Any form of dress or hairstyle that is considered contrary to good hygiene, disrespectful, or disruptive will not be allowed.

This includes, but is not limited to the following guidelines:

Tops

Tops/Shirts - Tank tops or other sleeveless tops are appropriate as long as straps are no less than 2" wide and no undergarments are exposed. Backless shirts, racer-back style shirts, tube tops, strapless tops, halter tops and sheer/mesh/see-through tops are prohibited. This applies to the tops of dresses as well. Tops or dresses with thin (spaghetti) straps are prohibited unless worn under a jacket and the jacket remains on the duration of the school day or if it is worn over another t-shirt.

No midriff skin is to be exposed when sitting or standing. Midriff skin is also not to be exposed through see-through or mesh clothing. Half-shirts, cut-off shirts and cropped tops are prohibited.

Armholes can fall no more than 1 ½" below the armpit.

Shirts/tops must fall no lower than 3"-4" below the collarbone.

Bottoms

Shorts/Skirts/Dresses/Pants – Shorts or skirts/dresses are appropriate as long as the in-seam is a minimum of 2" – 4" and there is full coverage of undergarments and body parts. It is strongly recommended that the back hem of shorts is horizontal instead of curved up. This will ensure buttocks or undergarments are not exposed. Pants must be worn at the waist with no undergarments exposed.

Bottoms – Leggings or other yoga style pants are appropriate as long as they are not sheer or see-through. Tops worn with leggings must meet the dress code requirement for no midriff showing. Longer shirts are recommended.

Other

Sleepwear (including slippers) is prohibited at school

Exposed undergarments are not permitted

Garments displaying inappropriate images, cartoons or pictures that promote alcohol, tobacco, drugs or drug paraphernalia, sexual connotations or violence/weapons, are prohibited.

Students not conforming to this policy will be required to change clothes in the nurses office with a very minimal loss of class time. Repeated violations may result in disciplinary action as described within the SUSD Uniform Code of Conduct.