



DRESS CODE (All Grade Levels)

The District's dress code is established to teach grooming and hygiene, prevent disruption, and minimize safety hazards. At the Principal's discretion, any article of clothing that is deemed inappropriate will not be permitted.

- All students must follow the campus-standardized dress code. The Student Dress Codes will be strictly enforced. The Los Fresnos Middle School student dress standards consist of:
 - Liberty Memorial MS red shirt and khaki pants
 - Los Cuates MS navy blue shirt and khaki pants
 - Resaca MS forest green shirt and khaki pants

Dress Code and Uniform Policy Attire will be as follows:

TOPIC	GUIDELINES
Hair	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hair should be clean, well-groomed and not cover eyes or interfere with eyesight. Male's hair is not to extend beyond the collar, or obstruct vision. Hair should meet standards on natural fall (without hair products). Hair should not extend beyond the middle of the ear. • No distracting hairstyles (ie. Fohawks/Mohawks, Bursts, Man Buns, Mullets), including symbols/initials cut into hairstyle or eyebrows, will be permitted. Hair height cannot exceed 2 inches. • Males will not be allowed to dye/highlight their hair. • Females will not be permitted to utilize, different color extensions, or distracting color/chemical treatments. Unnatural hair colors will not be permitted. • Ponytails, braids, mushroom cut or the like, etc. for males will not be allowed. • No sideburns below the ear lobes will be allowed. They are to be square cut across the bottom and not flared. • No hair shall go below the bottom of a dress shirt type collar in the back when the head is held in an upright position for males. • No facial hair, beards or mustaches for males will be permitted. All males must be clean shaven. • No hair curlers, rollers, nets, hair pick, etc. will be allowed without special permission or school function
Headwear	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No distracting headbands or bandannas are permitted or to be shown. • No type of headgear including caps, visors, hats, stocking-type, nets, hoodies, etc
Footwear	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shoes must be worn at all times. • Metal taps/tips, flip flops, sliders, house shoes, high heel shoes, "heelies" (shoes with wheels) are not permitted.

<p>Clothing</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Red, navy blue, or forest green polo (color respective to campus) type of shirt must be tucked in making the beltlines visible at all times. • All jackets must be opened at the front (ex: zippers). Pullover jackets will not be allowed. • Khaki pants/shorts with belt are allowed. Pants with elastic gathering at ankle or French cut style will not be allowed. • Belt recommendations include leather-types or tightly woven materials. Belts with metal studs or inappropriate wording will not be permitted. Skirts and shorts are to be no more than 4” above the knee. All pants, shorts, skirts, and other bottoms must be worn at waist level. When wearing bottoms with belt loops, belt must be worn inside the loops. • Extracurricular uniforms that do not meet dress code may not be worn during the instructional day. • Denim fabric pants and shorts/bottoms will be allowed, but they must be khaki in color. No white or light brown pants/corduroy pants are allowed. • Pictures, emblems, writings on clothing that are lewd, offensive, vulgar, depict violence, obscene or that advertise or depict Playboy, drugs, tobacco, alcohol, or other prohibited substances are prohibited. • Clothing linked to gang-related, gothic-related, cult, or secret society activity is prohibited. • Baggy, sagging, oversized, or tight fitting uniforms are not permitted. Any look that dramatizes the baggy pant style is prohibited. (No more than 6” of excess material at knee and ankle). • Khaki-colored culottes/skorts/jumpers are permitted as determined by the principal provided they meet the fingertips as the arms are by the
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Appropriate undergarments are to be worn. Tights, leggings, or leotards worn as pants are not allowed except to Dance/Theater classes. • Clothing that is torn or has holes or that reveals underwear, cleavage, or torso is prohibited. • Shirts, tank tops, sleeveless shirts or vests that expose the underarm are not to be worn as outer garments for males. • Shirts shall be comfortably buttoned provided that chest is not exposed; • Dresses, skirts, or slits shall be no more than four inches above the top of the knee. • Students will be allowed to wear blue jeans or jean shorts with a school spirit shirt on Fridays – to include spirit pullovers. Distressed style jeans are not allowed. • Frayed clothing/clothing that appears to be torn with patches is not allowed.

Earrings/Piercing & Accessories	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Girls are allowed to wear earrings, studs, and the like on the ear lobe only. They are not to be worn on the nose, lips, tongue, and eyebrows, bellybuttons, etc. Multiple piercings are not allowed. Ear gauges and spikes will not be allowed. • Boys are prohibited from wearing earrings, studs, strings, straws, or any bandage covering piercing, etc. on the ears, nose, lips, tongue, eyebrows, etc. • Body piercing or any bandage covering body piercing is prohibited for all students. (No strings or any bandage cover will be allowed.) • Dog collars, chains, spiked jewelry, or wallet chains are prohibited. • Distracting makeup and nail polish is prohibited. • Sunglasses are not to be worn in the building unless a doctor's certification is presented to campus administration.
Tattoos	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tattoos must be covered with clothing/bandages.

If the principal determines that a student's grooming or clothing violate the school's dress code, the student will be given an opportunity to correct the problem at school. If not corrected the student may be assigned to in-school suspension for the remainder of the day, until the problem is corrected, or until a parent or designee brings an acceptable change of clothing to the school. Repeated offenses may result in more serious disciplinary action in accordance with the Student Code of Conduct.