

St. Patrick's High School

"WHERE LEARNING IS ENGAGING, RIGOROUS AND RELEVANT "



Dress Code Policy

Students at St. Patrick's High School are required to dress themselves in a manner that is **clean, respectful, and appropriate within their learning environment**. Students are expected to abide by this dress code upon arrival to the school and throughout the school day. This applies as well for all in school activities. The requirements are as follows:

- Clothing and accessories conveying messages, images or brands depicting weapons, profanity, reference to nudity or pornography, discriminatory slurs, disrespect of religion or culture, drugs, tobacco, vaping, or alcohol are not permitted.
- Hats, hoodies, sunglasses, and visors may not be worn in class unless approved for religious or medical reasons. Certain headbands, barrettes, bandanas. etc., which are used to hold hair in place and do not cover the entire head, are permitted.
- Footwear with a proper sole must be always worn, unless approved for medical or religious reasons. Wearing only socks, being barefoot, or wearing slippers is not permitted.
- Students must wear an opaque top and a bottom. Chests must be appropriately always covered. Undergarments or clothing resembling to undergarments are not appropriate when worn as lonesome attire as a top or bottom.
- Fake/real weapons are not permitted during in school or extracurricular activities. These weapons include but are not limited to knives, lighters, guns, etc.
- Inappropriately appropriating cultural or religious attire creates a disrespectful environment and is not permitted. This includes but is not limited to Halloween and school activities.
- School bags are to be left in student lockers and should not be brought to class.

Violations

A student found wearing clothing which violates the dress code will be asked to find an appropriate source of change of clothing which abides by the dress code requirements. In a private discussion, the staff member will specify to the student which requirement of the dress code has been violated.