

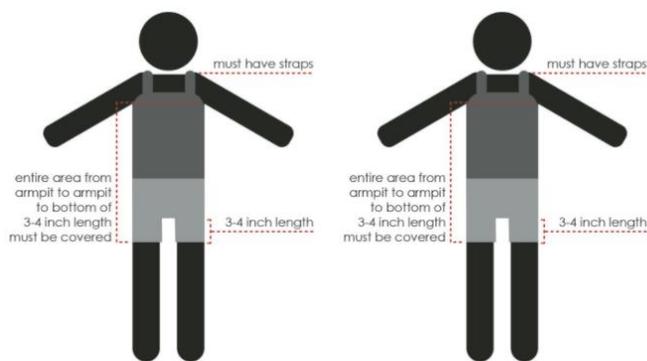


Academic Magnet High School Dress Code

At Academic Magnet High School, we trust our students will dress in a school appropriate manner. We have designed a dress code that reflects our values and is suited to our unique school environment. At AMHS, we respect diversity of thought and protect students' rights to express themselves through the way they dress. We desire to create an inclusive, welcoming environment where all AMHS students are safe, comfortable, and focused. This policy is intended to provide guidance for our students, staff, and parents/guardians.

Minimum Requirements:

1. All students must be visibly wearing AMHS ID at all times on campus.
2. Clothing must cover areas from one armpit across to the other armpit, and length within hand placement when arms are held naturally by the sides (see images below). Rips or tears in clothing must be lower than 3 to 4 inches in length (mid-thigh). Athletic shorts must be loose fitting.
3. Tops must have visible shoulder straps. Halter tops are allowable. Exposed midriffs are not allowed.
4. Undergarments must not be visible.
5. Shoes must be worn at all times and should be safe for the school environment.
6. See-through or mesh garments must be worn with appropriate coverage underneath that meet the minimum requirements of the dress code.
7. Hats and headgear may not be worn in school unless approved for religious or health reasons.
8. Specialized courses may require specialized attire, such as sports uniforms or safety gear.



Front and Back

Additional Requirements:

1. Clothing may not depict, imply, advertise, or advocate illegal, violent, or lewd conduct, weapons, or the use of alcohol, tobacco, marijuana, or other controlled substances.
2. Clothing may not depict or imply pornography, nudity, or sexual acts.
3. Clothing may not display or imply vulgar, discriminatory, or obscene language or images.
4. Clothing may not state, imply, or depict hate speech/imagery targeting groups based on race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity, religious affiliation, or any other protected classification.
5. Sunglasses may not be worn inside the building.
6. Clothing and accessories that endanger student or staff safety may not be worn.
7. Apparel, jewelry, accessories, tattoos, or manner of grooming that, by virtue of its color, arrangement, trademark or any other attribute, denotes membership in a gang that advocates illegal or disruptive behavior is prohibited.

Enforcement:

AMHS Faculty and Staff will enforce our dress code in a way that protects the dignity of students. Dress code referrals, including those for students without IDs, should be recorded via the desktop icon. A school administrator will privately follow up with the student. Administration will follow [CCSD's Progressive Discipline Plan](#) for students who are out of compliance with our dress code. In all situations, the administration at Academic Magnet High School reserves the right to determine what constitutes appropriate dress.

Review:

This policy will be reviewed and updated by a committee that includes AMHS students, parents, and faculty every other summer (odd numbered years).