

Capri Pants, Slacks, Shorts, Skorts, Skirts, Dresses or Jumpers

- Shall be solid-color, khaki, black, or navy. No glitter, shimmer, or other color distraction is permitted; this shall include, but not be limited to stripes and embroidery that is a distraction.
- Jeans may be worn for special occasions with Principal approval.
- Shall be appropriately sized: not tight fitting, not loose fitting
- Pants must fit at the waist and be properly hemmed or cuffed at or below ankle, but not dragging the ground ("slicing" or "ragging" not allowed).
- Belts are required.
- Belt buckles may not be larger than the student's fist.
- May not be worn in any way that reflects gang affiliation, conceals contraband, or creates a distraction ("sagging" not allowed).
- No stretch slacks, jeggings, joggers, leggings, sweatpants, jogging pants, wind suits, warm-ups, overalls or coveralls allowed.
- No leather, suede, corduroy or vinyl fabric
- Length of shorts, skorts, skirts, dresses or jumpers must be no more than two [2] inches above the knee
- No stripes or embroidery allowed
- No outside (sewn on) oversized expandable pockets on slacks, jeans, shorts, such as those commonly referred to as "cargo" pockets or "safari" pockets are allowed.
- Top and bottom colors of standardized dress items shall be in contrasting colors

Shirts

- Shall be any solid color (no multicolor) no glitter, shimmer, or other color distraction is permitted.
- A single logo allowed. Size of logo to be no larger than a US quarter coin.
- Must have a standard collar and no more than 3 buttons
- Must be a polo, golf style
- May also be an approved "Spirit" or "Organizational" shirt any day with standardized dress pants as approved by the principal.
- May not be leather, suede, or vinyl
- May not be sleeveless, unhemmed, or low-cut
- May not be spaghetti strap, even if covered by another garment
- Shall be appropriately sized
- No tight fitting knit tops or oversized shirts
- No midriff tops, shear shirts, cut off shirts or other tops that expose the midriff area during normal activity
- Must be completely and properly tucked in and appropriately buttoned at all times
- May not be worn in any way that reflects gang affiliation, conceals contraband, or creates a distraction
- If a t-shirt or turtleneck shirt is worn underneath the shirt, it shall be a solid color.
- Top and bottom colors of standardized dress items shall be in contrasting colors

Outside Jackets and Coats

- Must be removed upon entering the building
- All fabrics acceptable
- May not be worn in any way that reflects gang affiliation, conceals contraband or creates a distraction
- Full length jackets/coats such as those commonly referred to as “trench” coats or “dusters” are not permitted. Only $\frac{3}{4}$ length (or less) jackets/coats are acceptable
- Outside jackets and coats are considered to be cold weather apparel only

Sweatshirts/Jackets/Sweaters

- shall be solid color
- May be worn in the building throughout the day
- May be worn only over the standard school shirt
- May be any type of material and may be lined
- Shall be appropriately sized in the shoulders, sleeves and length
- Jackets and sweatshirts with hoods are appropriate. Hood is not to be worn over the head in the building.
- Full length jackets/coats such as those commonly referred to as “trench” coats or “dusters” are not permitted. Only $\frac{3}{4}$ length (or less) jackets/coats are acceptable
- May not be worn in any way that reflects gang affiliation, conceals contraband or creates a distraction

Shoes

- Students must wear shoes appropriate for school (no house slippers, or flip flops). All shoes must include a back strap over the heel with toes covered.
- Wheels, noise-makers, or lights are not permitted on footwear.

Miscellaneous

- New students enrolling in Channelview ISD for the first time will be provided a grace period of no more than ten (10) school days to comply with the dress code.
- Revealing or tight garments considered inappropriately sized are prohibited.
- Accessories with inappropriate decorations or advertisements are prohibited. This includes but is not limited to, any item that depicts the occult, gang membership, death, suicide, violence, drugs, alcohol, tobacco, sex, ethnic bias, or vulgar language.
- Only clear or mesh book bags will be allowed on school property or at school sponsored events.
- The following items may **not** be worn:
 - Sunglasses, hairnets, and bandanas (this also refers to the style of dress known as “Do-rags”)
 - Garments that have holes worn or torn in them
 - Heavy chains, spike necklaces, heavy chain necklaces, pet collars or other inappropriate types of jewelry signifying death, suicide, Satanism and the occult. This includes but is not limited to concert shirts, patches, and insignias depicting any of the above
 - Glitter, tattoos, cuts into the skin and writing/drawing on the face or skin any tattoos (including temporary) must be covered at all times (at school or while representing the school)
 - Girls, no more than two earrings may be worn in each ear lobe, no nose rings, lip rings, tongue piercings, or any other body piercings are permitted
 - No large or oversized purses / handbags
 - Caps, hats, or other head coverings will not be worn anywhere on campus during the school day without approval from the building principal
 - Earrings on boys
 - Hair rollers / long combs
 - Sleepwear, pajamas, or lounging pants
 - Sweat suits / athletic shorts
 - Revealing garments; includes sheer or see through blouses
 - Rings that join two or more fingers, resulting in a brass knuckle type weapon
 - Large oversized belt buckles
 - Decorative teeth accessories, “grills”
 - Inappropriate contact lenses
 - Inappropriate hair color that is a distraction to the learning environment
 - Hair must be neatly groomed and clean
 - Facial hair
 - No gang-related, profane, vulgar or otherwise distracting design cut into the hair