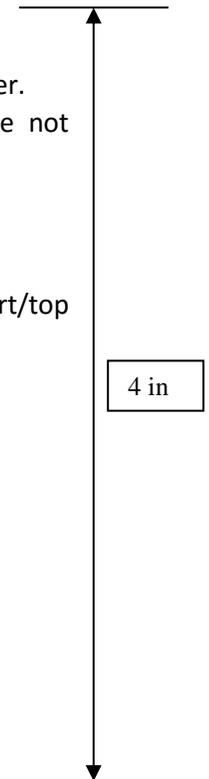


2016-2017 STUDENT DRESS

The Fort Mill School District's Student Dress Policy (JICA) states "Students will dress in appropriate attire that is not destructive to school property, complies with requirements for health and safety, is not immodest or revealing, and does not interfere with the educational process."

At Fort Mill Middle School, we expect students to dress in clothing that is appropriate for the school setting. Logos or clothing that promotes alcohol, drugs, tobacco, racism, hate, gang affiliation, nudity, or profanity is not allowed. No clothing or accessories are allowed to disrupt the educational process. **The administration reserves the right to determine what is appropriate for school.** The following regulations will be followed:

- **SLEEVED SHIRTS ONLY.** (NO TANK TOPS) All shirts must have sleeves that cover the shoulder.
- Low cut revealing tops, mid-drift tops, sheer/see through tops, and backless tops are not permitted.
- Basketball jerseys and sleeveless athletic jerseys must have sleeved shirts underneath.
- The length of skirts, shorts, dresses, rompers, and skorts may not be more than **4" above the crease in the back of the knee.**
- Non-transparent tights, yoga pants, jeggings, or leggings must be worn with a sleeved shirt/top that reaches fingertips. (fingertip length covering over leggings)
- Bare skin should not be revealed through holes or tears in pants or jeans with such holes and tears more than 4" above the knee (front or back).
- Undergarments are not to be seen.
- Pants are to be worn around the natural waist line (no sagging).
- Hats, sunglasses, bandanas, headscarves, and hoods are not to be worn in the building.
- Pajamas/bedroom shoes or lounging pants are not acceptable clothing for school.
- Long chains and jewelry which could be deemed a safety hazard or a distraction to the learning environment should not be worn.
- Accessories that distract from the learning environment will not be allowed.
- Gang attire or symbols are not permitted.



Any student who comes to school dressed inappropriately will have an opportunity to correct the situation by reporting to the office and changing into appropriate clothing provided by the school or the student's own gym clothing. Students who refuse to change into appropriate dress will remain in ISS for the duration of the school day. ****The third and every subsequent dress code violation will result in a full day of ISS.****