

Ockerman Middle School Dress Code - Revised August 2015

BOYS

1. Plain pants or jeans, worn belted at the waist.
2. Collared or crew neck shirt, with sleeves, tucked in or below the waistband or belt line.
3. Shoes that cover the feet.

GIRLS

1. Plain pants or jeans worn at the waist. Skirts must be worn at the waist, be knee length without slits.
2. Yoga pants, leggings and "jeggings", regardless of whether they have pockets, are prohibited, except under knee-length skirts/dresses. This prohibition includes special days in which students may be allowed to wear sweats and/or shorts.
3. Blouses, shirts or sweaters with sleeves, must be tucked in or below the waist or belt line. Shirts must not be open below the collarbone.
4. Shoes that cover the feet.

Exceptions shall be made for officially sanctioned spirit wear representing Boone County Schools.

Implementation Guidelines

1. Pants should not drag on the ground.
2. Oversized pants or shirts are not permitted.
3. Clothing with holes, tears, rips or frayed will not be permitted.
4. Sweatpants, breakaway pants, jogging plants, athletic pants, pajama pants, shorts or skorts will not be worn.
5. Buckles, straps, zippers, clips, chains or other objects shall not be permitted to hang from any article of clothing.
6. Undergarments shall not show at any time.
7. Clothing that displays, suggests or promotes Illegal activities, profanity, violence, controlled substances, alcohol, tobacco, discrimination, gang affiliations or sexually suggestive scenes or slogans is not permitted.
8. Hats, bandannas, sweatbands or hoods shall not be worn in the building.
9. Coats, jackets or other outdoor wear shall not be worn in the building.
10. Flip-flops, sport sandals or shower shoes shall not be worn.
11. Tattoos, body piercing (except earrings) or homemade body art shall not be permitted.
12. Extremely unnatural hairstyle, hair colors, or make-up that is disruptive to the educational process shall not be permitted.
13. Jewelry or ornamentation that is excessive, hazardous, offensive or disruptive to the educational process shall not be permitted.
14. Exceptions to the OMS Dress Code Policy and implementation guidelines may be for special days with prior approval from the administration.

The school Principal or Assistant Principal shall be the sole source of interpretation of the school dress code. Consequences: Students not complying with the school dress code will be removed from class (unexcused) until proper clothing is obtained. If violations are persistent and/or intentional, the student will face appropriate disciplinary measures as per the Student Code of Conduct including detention, Friday School, and suspension.