



Brainerd High School Dress Code 2017-2018

School dress and grooming shall be modest, moderate, and decent. Apparel or appearance that tends to draw attention to an individual rather than to a learning situation must be avoided. In matters of opinion, the judgment of administrators will prevail. Please keep in mind that every unique dress situation cannot be addressed.

- All book bags must be in lockers during school hours.
- Headphones/Earbuds (**see Electronics Policy**)
- No hats or head coverings, except for religious purposes, should be worn. These items must be placed in lockers by 7:15 am. NO hats are to be out during school hours.
- **Apparel may not be worn advertising another school unless that particular school is at the college level.**

Administration reserves the right to address any clothing or accessory deemed inappropriate. **The dress code may be modified for individual students due to ongoing dress code violations.**

Acceptable Shirts

- Polo-style
- T-shirts
- Crew-neck
- Blouses
- Button-down
- Any color or pattern
- Writing and pictures must be appropriate
- Size appropriate

Unacceptable Shirts

- Any shirt with writing, pictures or advertisements that depict drug, alcohol, tobacco, sex, or gangs
- Sleeveless shirts, tank tops, spaghetti straps, and muscle shirts
- Revealing (no cleavage or bare midriff, off the shoulder, etc.)
- No part of shirts may be sheer or see through
- Rompers
- Under-sized shirts or **crop tops** (Shirts must be able to be tucked in.)

Acceptable Pants or Shorts

- Khaki-style pants, jeans/denim, or sweats/joggers
- Knee-length shorts and capris
- Size appropriate

Unacceptable Pants

- Any pants with **small** holes, rips, or tears **that expose skin**
- Any pants with **excessive holes, rips, tears**
- **Cutoffs**
- Pajama pants
- Leggings, Yoga Pants, Jeggings, Spandex; stretch pants
- Skirts or dresses
- Rompers
- Sagging/oversized pants

Outerwear inside the Building

Acceptable Outerwear

- Hoodies (Hood must remain off of head)
- Sweaters
- Fleeces
- Size appropriate

Unacceptable Outerwear

- Heavy coats or jackets between 7:20-2:20 in hallways or classrooms
- If outerwear is removed what is underneath must meet dress code.

Acceptable Footwear

- Tennis shoes
- Sandals and flip-flops
- Boots (no steel toe)
- Dress shoes
- Shoes must have outdoor sole

Unacceptable Footwear

- House shoes