

# Roskruge Bilingual Magnet K-8 School

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## **Roskruge follows TUSD Governing Board Policy JICA (Student Dress) with a few additions we included for safety reasons at our school.**

### **School Dress Code (required at every school)**

Student attire and grooming must permit the student to participate in learning without posing a risk to the health or safety of any student or school district personnel.

- Students must wear clothing including both a shirt with pants or skirt, or the equivalent (for example dresses, leggings, or shorts) and shoes. (Sandals must have a strap around the ankle and no slide sandals are allowed)
- Hats and other head coverings are not permitted on school grounds except as an expression of religious beliefs.
  - Hats and sunglasses may be worn while outside in the sun for an extended period of time for protection from the sun.
  - Dark glasses may not be worn inside buildings unless a documented health problem exists.
- Clothing must cover the chest and torso, and must cover buttocks while standing and sitting.
- Clothing must cover undergarments.
- Clothing must not be see-through.
- Clothing must be suitable for all scheduled classroom activities, including physical education, science labs, shop classes, and other activities where unique hazards or specialized attire or safety gear is required.
- Students who volunteer for extracurricular activities, such as athletics, band, chorus, etc., are subject to the standards of dress as defined by the sponsors of such activities.

Attire or grooming depicting or advocating violence, criminal activity, gang-related activity, use of alcohol, vaping, tobacco or drugs, pornography, or hate speech are prohibited. Clothing containing images, symbols, slogans, words, or phrases that are homophobic, religiously or racially discriminatory or that perpetuate gender based discrimination or defamation are distracting and interfere with the

teaching and learning environment.

Students and parent/guardians will be informed about dress and grooming standards at the beginning of the school year through the Student Handbook and whenever these standards are revised. A student who violates these standards shall be subject to appropriate disciplinary action.

**Compliance for Dress Code**

Students who violate the District's dress standards may be asked to do any of the following depending upon the specific circumstances:

- Turn inappropriate clothing inside out.
- Change into clothing that may be provided by the school.
- Change into other clothing which has been brought to school.
- Remove the jewelry or other accessory.

If these violations persist we may impose other consequences.

**School Enforcement of Dress Codes**

School-level level dress codes shall be written and enforced using gender neutral language.

Discussions with a student about violations of dress standards shall be held in a way that maintains the student's privacy and dignity.