## Mount Vernon Middle School

**Dress for Success** 

#### Note to Parents and Students

We need your help in making sure that we have a successful year.

 Inappropriate student dress issues take time away from our academic focus and negatively impact the school climate.

## Holes and Frays

Pants with holes, frays, threaded areas that show skin above the knee(s) will not be allowed in Mount Vernon Middle School. No duct tape!



## No Pajama Pants

 Pajama pants or flannel pants will not be allowed to be worn in the classrooms of Mount Vernon Middle School.



#### Note to Parents

Yoga pants may be worn but shirts must cover a students backside when if their arms are raised above their heads.



# Hats/bandanas are not to be worn on campus during school hours.





## Suggestive or Offensive Tee Shirts

- Students may not wear garments with obscene or offensive language, or garments that portray or support drugs, tobacco, or alcoholic beverages.
- Students may not wear garments with suggestive sayings or pictures.
- Students may not wear garments that portray violence.

#### Shoes: Do's and Don'ts



#### Pants:

MVMS student must wear pants that are appropriate. Use the following guidelines to determine if your pants are dress code appropriate.

•Appropriate pants will be worn at the natural waistline and will not reveal undergarments – <u>regardless if the shirt is covering the</u> pants.

•Appropriate pants do not sag and drag the ground.

•Appropriate pants do not have chains or other dangerous attachements.

#### Shirts: Do's and Don'ts





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#### Short and Skirt Length.

Shorts, skirts, skorts, and dresses may be worn, <u>but must extend to three inches</u> <u>above the knee</u>.

Clothing items not meeting this guideline are not acceptable.

## Capped sleeve rule.



Sleeveless shirts: (A) shoulders are covered and this shirt is appropriate. Sleeveless shirts such as (B) spaghetti straps (C) halter tops or (D) strapless tanks <u>are not allowed.</u>

## Website

• If you would like more information regarding the MVMS dress code please visit the district website and click on the *"Middle School"* tab located under the "Schools" icon.

