

# Coos Bay School District 9

Code: **JFCA**  
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## Student Dress and Grooming

The Board encourages students to dress appropriately for classroom and school activities. Neat and clean appearance and clean clothing are highly desirable. However, the board is aware that styles of dress and grooming change from year to year and this cannot, and should not, be regulated by district rules or edict. Parents and students are expected to exercise good judgment and good taste in dress and grooming.

The district shall give reasonable assurance that a learning environment is maintained in the classroom and wherever students gather for educational activities. Health and safety shall be of prime importance. Additionally, the actions of students must not interfere with the learning process.

Decisions relating to dress and grooming are primarily the responsibility of parents and students.

A student's dress and grooming shall not interfere with the learning process and shall not constitute a health or safety hazard. Students will refer to the district's Student/Parent Guide - Dress Code regarding appropriate attire and other personal items.

Students shall be required to wear shoes, except as specified in certain school activities.

Students working around machinery shall be required to wear protective equipment for long hair.

Students participating in extracurricular activities do so by choice and, as such, may be required by the coach or advisor to wear specific attire and may be restricted to certain types of grooming.

When dress and grooming disrupts the learning process, adversely affects the individual student or the learning environment of the school, it becomes a matter for counseling with the student and/or parent. The student may be removed from class or activity temporarily pending resolution of the problem.

END OF POLICY

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### Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 339.240](#)

[ORS 339.250](#)

[OAR 581-021-0050 to -0075](#)