## Core Values

- We believe that school prepares us for college, careers, and life, and that professionalism is central to success.
- We believe that attention to detail in all parts of our lives will help us to realize and achieve our potential.

## Pants, Shorts, and Skirts

- Black, gray, khaki, red, and white bottoms only.

  - Denim, leggings, sweat pants and joggers will be allowed in black, gray khaki, red and white. Leggings may not be too tight and may not be see-through.

  - Girl’s shorts and skirts must exceed the fingertips.

  - Boys must wear their pants or shorts at their waist. No sagging allowed.

  - Any PC gear is allowed on the bottom. PC gear must be school issued or school purchased. No student created PC gear allowed.

  - Clothing should be appropriately sized – skirts and leggings that are too tight will be addressed.

  - No body suits / leotards.

## Shirts & Jackets

- All shirts must be red, black, gray and white shirts with minimal print or graphics only. Plaid and striped shirts in dress code colors are allowed.

  - No mid-drift or cleavage showing.

  - No tank tops.

  - Denim jackets or shirts may be worn over dresses or SSA colored shirts. Denim shirts cannot serve as your dress code shirt.

  - Any PC gear on top is allowed. PC gear must be school issued or school purchased. No student created PC gear allowed.

  - Hoodies in black, gray, red, or white – or PC hoodies only.

  - All jackets and sweatshirts must be in SSA colors.
| **Dresses** | Dresses may be red, white, black, gray or khaki. Girls may wear a blazer in approved colors with a collar over their solid dress. Denim jackets or shirts over dresses are approved. Dresses must exceed fingertips in length. Clothing should be appropriately sized. Dresses that are too tight will be addressed. Dresses should have no sheer parts. |
| **Socks** | Socks may not contain any symbols or words inappropriate for school. |
| **Shoes** | No slippers or house shoes. |
| **Hats/Head Coverings** | No non-religious head coverings will be allowed. Students may not wear hats, bonnets, scarves, or bandanas. |
| **Accessories** | No sunglasses may be worn in the building. No chains, spikes or other accessories may be worn or hung from pockets or belt loops. |
| **Accountability** | Every morning administrators will examine dress code as students enter school. Late arrivals will be seen by campus supervisors at the door, who will check to see that students are appropriately dressed for school. Teachers will check SSA as students enter class every block. Campus support / administrators will provide students a minimum of one opportunity to correct SSA violation. Students who are unable or unwilling to conform to SSA expectations will be in MIT until a correction can be made. All school staff with check for SSA violations during transition. |
| **Consequences for SSA Infractions** | Students will be sent to MIT until they are in proper SSA. Students with three or more SSA violations will receive additional consequences aligned with the progressive discipline plan. |
| **SSA Rewards** | Students will receive professionalism grades every week in advisory classes. Students scoring proficient or advanced in professionalism will be given a PC wristband and will have an SSA exemption day every Friday. During SSA exemption days, students may not wear torn clothing where skin is visible (pants, shorts, skirts, etc.), shorts or skirts that are above the finger tips, spaghetti strap tank tops, “beater” tank tops, crop tops, or tops revealing mid-drifts or stomachs. No clothing with inappropriate words or pictures. Sagging is not allowed. Additional rewards will be awarded aligned with school incentives for attendance, behavior, and grades. |