

PLAINFIELD BOARD OF EDUCATION

**STUDENT DRESS CODE**

The Plainfield Board of Education believes that proper etiquette, social customs, and good grooming clearly impact the educational process. Therefore, the Board requires that students wear to school or school functions neat, clean, appropriate clothing that meets the standards of the education environment. Any extreme in clothing, hair, cosmetics, jewelry, or appearance that are issues of safety or that may disrupt the normal operations of the school are not acceptable.

It is not the intent of this policy to usurp the authority of parents in determining what is appropriate dress and grooming for their children, but it is important to the function of the school that the proper decorum be maintained. Therefore, each school under the direction of the building principal will establish an appropriate dress code. The Board of Education authorizes the school administrator to employ appropriate disciplinary procedures to implement and enforce this policy.

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