



Nord Country School

BP 5040 – Student Dress Code

1.0 Purpose

- 1.1 The Nord Country School Board recognizes the need for students to dress appropriately for school.
- 1.2 The Nord Country School Board is committed to protecting the health, safety, and welfare of the students and believes that appropriate dress and grooming contribute to a productive learning environment.
- 1.3 The purpose of this policy is to define what is appropriate and ensure compliance with student dress code guidelines.

2.0 General Guidelines

- 2.1 The Administrator and staff will determine appropriate attire based on safety and the creation of a quality instructional environment.
- 2.2 Inappropriate apparel includes clothing and shoes that compromise safety, promotes ideals that are inappropriate for an elementary school setting, or is disruptive and/or distracting to the school environment and instructional process.

3.0 Review Process

- 3.1 The Board recommends that staff review the dress code annually.
- 3.2 If significant changes to the approved dress code are proposed, the dress code shall be presented to the Board for approval.

4.0 Sun Protective Clothing

- 4.1 The dress code must allow students to wear sun protective clothing, including hats while outside.

5.0 Prohibited Conduct and Sanctions

- 5.1 Students who repeatedly violate the School Dress Code may be subject to discipline.

6.0 Adoption and Review

- 6.1 Originally Adopted: 3/15/2007
- 6.2 Most Recent Revision: 02/26/2025