

Dress Code Policy

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Purpose

Wallace Stegner Academy (the “School”) believes that a mandatory school dress code helps enhance the school environment and that it promotes safety and an atmosphere conducive to appropriate discipline with a minimum need for ongoing intervention, thereby increasing learning opportunities for students by removing many of the distractions and negative or disruptive connotations associated with various types of clothing.

Policy

The Principal will assemble a committee to determine the School’s dress code. The dress code should be supportive of the purposes set forth above, yet easily understood by parents and students and not overly complicated, restrictive or burdensome to families. The dress code committee may modify the dress code from year to year in order to address changes in style and other factors. However, the key provisions of the dress code, including allowable pant and shirt colors and styles, should typically remain largely consistent from year to year in order to avoid placing undue burden on families.

All students of the School are required to comply with the dress code. Parents are responsible for ensuring that their children wear the appropriate clothing to school.