WOIS DRESS CODE AND UNIFORM POLICY FOR GRADES 7-12 2017-2018

Purpose: To provide our students with the opportunity to demonstrate professionalism and school spirit in a strong, collaborative learning environment.

SHIRT

Solid Button-Up Shirts:

Colors: light blue, navy blue, white, gray, or black

Students assigned to the 12th grade are permitted to wear any solid color button-up shirt.

• Ties are optional

Solid Polo (short or long sleeve)

Colors: light blue, navy blue, white, gray, or black Students assigned to the 12th grade are permitted to wear any solid color polo shirt.

- No school logo is necessary, but encouraged for both the button-up and polo shirts
 - Logos are available at:
 Stitch Works Uniform and Sportswear at 297 Culver Parkway (654-7522) AND
 Passantino Sports at 692 Titus Ave, Rochester, NY (544-9077)

Crew Wear: Wednesdays: All students in grades 7-12 are permitted to wear Crew Wear shirts. Crew wear includes WOIS, Griffin Athletics, Crew and Griffin shirts/hoodies. **Fridays**: All students in grades 7-12 can wear Crew Wear as noted above. Every Friday, students in grades 9-12 can also wear college shirts/hoodies. Students in grades 7-8 can wear college shirts/hoodies the first Friday of every month.

PANTS, SHORTS, SKIRTS & SKORTS:

Colors: Solid khaki (tan), black, gray, or navy blue

Pants can be purchased at any store as long as they meet the following requirements: **No cuts, rips, or bleached pants.** Pants must be worn at waist level.

Shorts, Skirts & Skorts must be **no higher than 2 inches** above the knee and must reach to the edge of the fingertips.

Sweatpants are not allowed for daily wear. Mesh shorts are not acceptable.

FLEECES, CARDIGANS, SWEATER VESTS AND BLAZERS: Students are permitted to wear any of the following colors: light blue, navy blue, white, gray, or black. School logo encouraged. Hoodies are prohibited for daily wear including Griffin Athletics and WOIS Crew Wear.

Please see the reverse side.

Directions for ordering crew/Griffin wear:

www.athleticoutletonline.com

Go to "Shop"

Choose from different sizes, shirt colors and print colors.

In store pick up. 3333 W. Henrietta Rd. – South Town Plaza

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Our parent organization, Parent Teacher Crew (PTC) is also considering methods and opportunities to purchase crew/Griffin wear at the school during the fall. We will forward more information as we

Please be advised that in addition to the WOIS Uniform Policy, all students are expected to follow RCSD Student Dress Code as noted below.

5300.25 STUDENT DRESS CODE

All students, from pre-kindergarten through 12th grade and adult education students, are expected to give proper attention to personal cleanliness and to dress appropriately (and age-appropriately) for school and school functions. The dress code applies at any time that students are on District property, including the school buildings and Central Office, and whenever they are attending any school function, wherever located. Students and their parents have the primary responsibility for acceptable student dress and appearance. Teachers and all other school personnel should exemplify and reinforce acceptable student dress and help students develop an understanding of appropriate appearance in the school setting, which is the workplace where the student is engaged in the vocation of education.

A student's dress, grooming and appearance, including hair style/color, jewelry, make-up, and nails, shall:

- 1. be safe, appropriate and not disrupt or interfere with the educational process.
- 2. Recognize that stocking caps, "doo rags," bandanas and hats (other than hats or scarves mandated by verifiable religious requirements or verifiable medical reasons); unbuttoned dress shirts or sport shirts; and extremely brief garments such as men's "muscle shirts," women's tube tops, net tops, halter tops, spaghetti straps, plunging necklines (front and/or back) and see-through garments are not appropriate and not permitted. For school purposes, exposure of male or female navels or gluteal areas; bare chests; or cleavage are not appropriate and not permitted.
- 3. Ensure that underwear is completely covered with outer clothing, and that pants or slacks are cinched with a belt of appropriate size for the student's waist.
- 4. Include footwear at all times. Footwear that is a safety hazard will not be allowed.
- 5. Not include the wearing of hats in the classroom, study halls, assembly rooms, cafeterias, or internal hallways except for a medical or religious purpose.
- 6. Not include items that are vulgar, obscene, libelous, or denigrate others on account of race, color, religion, creed, national origin, gender, disability, or sexual orientation. Not promote and/or endorse the use of alcohol, tobacco or illegal drugs and/or encourage other illegal or violent activities.