

Three Oaks Middle Uniform Dress Code **2010/2011**

Research has shown that there is a direct correlation between student dress, behavior, and achievement. Compliance with the dress code of Three Oaks Middle School is mandatory and the responsibility of the parent/guardian and their children attending Three Oaks Middle School. Students must be neat, clean, and properly dressed. No student will be permitted to wear clothing or hairstyle that creates a disturbance in the learning environment.



Please follow these rules to ensure that Three Oaks Middle School students are appropriately dressed for school.

Shirts: Any Solid Color - Standard style polo/golf shirts or Oxford style shirts with short or long-sleeves and a collar.

A standard polo shirt has no more than **3 buttons** and **FULL SLEEVES – NOT CAP SLEEVES**

- Shirts MUST HAVE buttons – no zippers or snaps.
- Shirts must be long enough to be tucked in and remain tucked in when arms are raised above the head.
- Shirts must fit appropriately – **no oversized or tight fitting shirts.**
- All shirts must be tucked in and no logos larger than a half dollar.
Exception: School logos may be larger.



Uniform Pants/Shorts/Capris: Acceptable Colors: Navy, Tan, Gray, Brown, or Black

- No rivets or studs - No cargo pockets or carpenter style.
- No Lycra, Spandex or “stretch” fabric allowed.
- Plain front or pleated front, cuffed or un-cuffed.
- Clothing must fit appropriately – **no oversized or tight fitting clothing.**
- Shorts must be Bermuda-style or walking short.
- The shortest length allowed is **JUST ABOVE THE KNEE.**
- Pants or shorts that have belt loops must be worn with a plain belt that has a plain standard belt buckle.



Belt buckles should not display names, logos, flags, or other insignia.

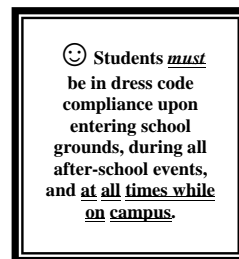
Uniform Skirts/Skortts: Acceptable Colors: Navy, Tan, Gray, Brown, or Black

- No slits in skirts or skortts above mid-thigh
- No rivets or studs - No cargo pockets
- No Lycra, Spandex or “stretch” fabric allowed.
- Skirts or Skortts that have belt loops must be worn with a plain belt that has a plain standard belt buckle.
- The shortest length allowed is **JUST ABOVE THE KNEE.**

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Uniform Jumpers: Acceptable Colors: Navy, Tan, Gray, Brown, or Black

Jumpers sold as student uniforms will be allowed as long as they fall **JUST ABOVE THE KNEE.**



ALL ONE COLOR ATTIRE IS NOT ALLOWED. SHIRTS MUST BE A DIFFERENT COLOR FROM PANTS, SHORTS, SKORTTS, CAPRIS, OR JUMPERS.

PLAIN Solid Color Sweater or Jackets: Any solid color plain jacket may be worn on cool days and must button or zip the entire length of the front. The sweater or jacket must be worn with a shirt that meets dress code requirements and cannot be tied around the waist. **Pullover sweaters, jackets, and sweatshirts are not allowed.**

Footwear: “Sneakers” are acceptable. No flip flops, sport sandals, or open back shoes.



The Dress code for Three Oaks Middle is as follows:

- Shoes shall be worn at all times.
- Apparel must be considered appropriate for school in both length and coverage.
- Pants must be worn fastened at the waist. Pants may not be low-rise or drop below waist level on any student.
- Shirts will be appropriately fastened in accordance with the design of that shirt. The length must extend beyond the waist and remain tucked in when arms are raised above the head.
- Any articles of clothing or jewelry that could likely cause injury are prohibited.
- Apparel, emblems, insignias, badges, or symbols that promote the use of alcohol, drugs, tobacco, or any other illegal activity are prohibited.
- Apparel or symbols, which may be gang-related, cannot be displayed on a student’s person, locker, agenda book, vehicle or any other locations on campus.
- Adornments, which are attached (pierced) to exposed body parts other than the ears, are prohibited.
- Unnatural hair coloring, hair carvings, or distracting hairstyles, such as Mohawks, are prohibited. Hair **must be** of a natural color and style.
- Wearing hats, caps, headgear, or sunglasses on campus is prohibited except with designated school approved uniforms or at authorized athletic practices or activities. There may be certain exceptions for medical conditions and physical education classes held outside. The principal will determine these exceptions.

REMINDERS: No rivets ❗ No cap sleeves ❗ No cargo pockets
❗ No clothing may be worn in any altered fashion ❗ All-one-color attire is not allowed
❗ Bandanas are not allowed on campus ❗ Clothing that is torn or in disrepair is not acceptable