

Louisville Male High School Dress Code (16-17)

The dress code at Louisville Male High School exists to set a school-wide definition of what is considered appropriate dress, to prepare students for employer expectations they may encounter outside of high school, and to teach students to respect and obey rules and standards set by society.

Dress Code Standards

The following guidelines apply for Louisville Male High School students and for students representing LMHS in any activity as a member of a team or organization. All students will follow the dress code listed below.

Students who come to school violating the LMHS dress code will not be allowed to attend class or circulate through the school until their attire is corrected. Further, detention, ISAP, and other consequences may be assigned as disciplinary measures.

Shirts: Male High School approved t-shirt, Oxford style shirt, or Polo style shirt, solid colors with Male logo or no logo. Shirt must be tucked in at all times and fit appropriately.

Slacks: Slacks must be uniform style, made of cotton twill and solid color khaki (tan), navy or black. Slacks must fit appropriately. Slacks must have belt loops, belts must be solid color and worn at all times.

Note: No jeggings, no elastic at the bottom, no yoga pants, no capris, no drawstring belts, no external or jean style pockets on slacks.

Skirts: No skirts will be allowed, unless administrator exemption is applied for and approved.

Sweatshirts, Pullovers, Quarter Zip, Full Zip Sweats: Male High Campus Store issued or team issued approved by administration. (No hoodies). If a student removes a sweatshirt, they must be in dress code, i.e., Male High School approved t-shirt, polo or oxford shirt is to be worn and tucked in at all times and fit appropriately.

Shoes and Socks: Oxfords, athletic, loafers, boat shoes, toms or flats, whole foot, toe and heel must be covered. Shoelaces must be tied and straps must be fastened.

Note: No sandals, flip flops, slippers, house shoes, clogs, mules, Uggs, moccasins or boots. Socks must be worn at all times.

Earrings: Males may not wear earrings. Females may wear only two earrings in each ear.

Note: No cuffs, gauges or bars allowed in ears. No visible body tattoos or tongue piercings, or nose piercings are allowed.

Hair/Personal Grooming: Hair, teeth and nails must be clean and neat at all times. Dental grills are not allowed. Hairstyles that are extreme, distracting, or attention getting, will not be permitted. Hair must be a natural hair color. No attention getting, contrasting colors.

- ONLY Females may wear headbands
- Male's hair length should be no more than 3" and cannot touch the ears, top of the shirt collar, or eyebrows.
- Cut-in designs are not permissible. Males may not wear ponytails or man buns. Sideburns may not extend below the earlobe.
- Bandanas are not allowed.

Shaving: No facial hair is allowed unless a doctor's note is provided. If permitted, it must be neatly trimmed.

Outerwear: Outerwear (jackets, coats, vests) and all headwear must be removed within the building.

Outerwear may be worn, removed upon arrival, and stored in the locker in the morning. Outerwear may be carried to the student's last class, but may not be worn in class.

Spirit Day (the last day of each week):

- Male High T-shirts (must be tucked in at all times) or Campus Store issued Sweatshirts, approved Team Wear, Pullovers or Quarter Zip may be worn with jeans.
- Jeans should be a plain style solid black or blue denim jean with no holes.
- Jeans must be worn at the waist and to the ankle. Stitching/decoration on jeans limited to rear pocket only.

- Teams/Organizations may wear official T-shirts (must be tucked in at all times) or sweatshirts (no hoodies) that have been approved by the Administration.
Note: No jeggings, rolled jeans or attention getting styles.

The Dress Code prohibits the following in the building:

- Clothing of any type that is unusual, vulgar, attention getting, or distracting;
- Clothing with logos hand-painted or unauthorized designs;
- Clothing that is torn, has holes, patches.
- Keys hanging from the neck/ Oversized necklaces and charms;
- Hats, caps, hoods, gloves, distracting chains, bandanas or Sunglasses;
- Any items, or appearances, that are distracting and not representing traditional dress will be considered a dress code violation subject to the discretion of the Administration.