



# 2017-2018 CANTY SCHOOL DRESS CODE POLICY & PROCEDURES

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Students should dress for educational success. Since school is the “business of children” the dress code serves to reinforce this serious responsibility for the students. The following guidelines will help assess appropriate school wardrobe. **The dress code is applicable to students in all grades kindergarten through eighth.** Clothing and footwear must not present a safety hazard to the wearer or to others.

## Tops

Appropriate	Not Appropriate
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Any color</li> <li>* Any type of shirt with sleeves</li> <li>* Any hoodies with hood down</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Sleeveless/Tank Top</li> <li>* Tops that show stomach or back</li> <li>* Underclothing that is visible</li> <li>* Ripped, slashed, skin-tight, mesh or see-through</li> <li>* Drugs, alcohol, or graphics containing or implying offensive representations</li> </ul>

## Bottoms

Appropriate (Must be worn at waist level)	Not Appropriate
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Any color</li> <li>* Any type of pants (jeans, khaki's, sweatpants or dress pants)</li> <li>* Any type of shorts</li> <li>* Any dresses, skirts or skorts               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Must be no more than 2 inches above the knee</li> </ul> </li> <li>*Leggings/yoga pants worn must be worn under a skirt/dress only</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* No writing in the seat area</li> <li>* Underclothing that is visible</li> <li>* Ripped, slashed, skin-tight, mesh or see-through</li> <li>* Leggings/yoga pants worn alone</li> <li>* Drugs, alcohol, or graphics containing or implying offensive representations</li> </ul>

## Shoes

Appropriate	Not Appropriate
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Gym shoes with rubber soles               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- If shoes have laces they must be tied</li> </ul> </li> <li>* Winter boots (November to March only)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Open toed sandals, open back sandals, clogs, cros, Birkenstocks, Heelys, platform shoes, heels greater than 1 inch.</li> </ul>

## Gym and Dance Uniform

**Canty Logowear only** (T-shirts, shorts, sweatpants) (Can be purchased anytime at our approved retailer SchoolBelles located at 7254 W. Foster Ave)

Gym Shoes only (Grey sweatpants and shorts can also be worn for Kdg to 2<sup>nd</sup> only)

\* Jewelry should not be worn during gym/dance class due to safety concerns

\* **No collared shirts, yoga pants or legging pants** of any kind. They are not part of a gym/dance uniform.



**(Failure to wear appropriate gym/dance uniform will result in loss of points and/or gym/dance time)**

## Consequences for not wearing Canty School Dress Code

\* Students who do not come to school with proper dress code attire will be required to call home for a change of clothes. If a parent is unable to bring clothing, the student will be provided with rental clothing from school which will need to be washed and returned to school the next day.

\* **"Students who fail to follow a school's dress code or uniform policy may be given detention or excluded from extracurricular activities..."** (Taken from CPS Student Code of Conduct book ~ page 15). A student that does not follow the dress code will be given a misconduct (2-5) and will serve a detention and/or will be barred from extracurricular activities.

*Canty school is not responsible for any clothing that is lost or stolen.*

Lost and Found items will be displayed during 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter Report Card pick-up days.

Lost and Found items that are not claimed on Report Card pick-up days will be donated at the end of that day.

English, Polish and Spanish versions of the Dress Code are available at [www.cantyschool.org](http://www.cantyschool.org)