

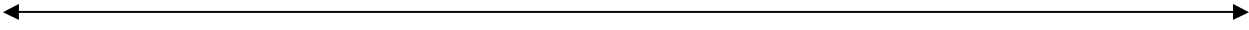
PANA HIGH SCHOOL DRESS CODE



The dress code is in effect at all times in the building as well as at school-related activities and practices. Any dress or grooming that adversely affects the health and/or safety of the student is disruptive to the classroom or school environment will not be permitted. The PHS dress code is one which allows you and your parents/guardians to select your own responsible style of dress. We do insist, however, that you meet the following criteria:

- NO excessively dirty or torn clothes.
- NO pants, shorts, shirts or blouses that are either too short or reveal the back, belly, breast areas (cleavage) or buttocks. **ALL TANK TOPS ARE PROHIBITED FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.** Shorts and skirts/skortis must extend below a student's fingertips while arms are hanging naturally at his/her side.
- NO excessively baggy pants and NO pants worn around the buttocks exposing undergarments. NO pants with holes/tears may be worn if the holes/tears are above the knees.
- NO Pajama's may be worn to school unless approved by the administration.
- NO obscene, degrading or highly suggestive sayings on apparel will be allowed (i.e. Playboy Bunny, Hooters, etc.). In addition, vulgar patches or pins or clothing that advertises illicit substances is not permitted (this includes clothing that contains advertising for illegal drugs, tobacco or alcoholic beverages or is suggestive toward these substances. Clothes that advertise or display hate messages, death, suicide or violent messages will not be allowed.
- NO clothes that promote gangs or are worn in such a manner as to promote gang affiliation is permitted.
- NO clothes that infer or imply inappropriate actions/behaviors as defined in this section.
- No hats, bandannas, sweatshirt hoods, or any other head cover are allowed while in the building.
- Jackets, coats and other types of outdoor apparel should be left in the student's locker during school hours.
- Shoes must be worn at all times.

Any student sent to the office for inappropriate attire will be given the choice of spending the rest of the day in AES or wearing an appropriate shirt issued by the office. Subsequent referrals will result in more severe forms of punishment.



***** The school reserves the right to be the judge of what constitutes "tasteful" dress and grooming.***