Students come to school more focused on their learning when they are neatly and appropriately dressed and well groomed. Parents have the primary responsibility for ensuring that students are appropriately dressed for school.

The School Advisory Council has set the following dress code for 2019-2020:

**Tops:**
1. Solid colored and collared polo-style shirt, button-down blouse or shirt.
2. School issued HLJ logo t-shirt
3. Plain/solid color jackets, sweatshirts and hoodies may be worn on cold days, but no hoods may be worn while in buildings. A sweatshirt, jacket or hoodie CANNOT be used to cover up a dress code violation.
4. Shirts cannot be oversized.
5. All clothing must fit properly and not be excessively baggy or too tight.
6. Unreasonable exposure of the body is strictly prohibited.

**Bottoms:**
1. Navy, khaki, or black Docker-style, cargo, or carpenter shorts or slacks.
2. Navy, khaki, or black skirts, skorts, jumpers, or capris.
3. Plain Navy, khaki, or black denim jean pants, shorts or skorts. (No embellishments, rips, holes, or tears)
4. All shorts, skirts, shorts, and jumpers must be fingertip length or longer.
5. Solid colored footed tights or ankle length leggings may be worn under skirts which are fingertip length.
6. All bottoms must fit properly and be worn at the natural waist with no under garments showing.
7. All clothing must fit properly and not be excessively baggy or too tight. Unreasonable exposure of the body is strictly prohibited.

**Shoes:**
1. Shoes must be sneakers or tennis shoes with laces or Velcro closure.
2. No high heels, slip-ons or boots. Socks must be worn.

**Head Wear:**
1. Students may not wear hats, caps, bandanas, or other headgear in school except during PE and outside activities for sun or cold protection.
2. Unnatural dye colors such as green, blue, etc. and unusual hair designs such as large Mohawks that detract from the educational environment are not permitted.

**In addition:**
- Field trips: Children should wear their HLJ logo t-shirt, unless teacher requires specific attire.
- A two-week grace period will be given to new students entering school.
- Please refrain from the use of strong scented body sprays, perfumes or hand sanitizers.

If there are extenuating circumstances involving dress code, please notify Administration at 561-904-9300.