



M.H. JACKSON HIGH SCHOOL

2022-2023 Dress Code/Uniform

Our dress code is enforced Monday through Friday.

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<p>STUDENT IDs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Effective in SY2022-23, ALL students are required to wear a visible Student ID at ALL times while on campus. Student IDs will be issued by the school. Lost or damaged IDs must be replaced. <i>Repeated need to replace a student ID may incur a cost—\$5.</i> <p>TOPS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Collared polo-style or button down shirts (any color); M.H. Jackson athletic, club, and class shirts/sweatshirts; Official College & Armed Forces (i.e. Army, Navy) shirts/sweatshirts; Shirts provided at school- or district-related events. <p>BOTTOMS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Solid Tan Khaki-colored or Black pants, shorts, skirts/skorts; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Skirts, shorts and skorts must be about 3” above the knee <i>and</i> fall at or below fingertips; Pants must sit at or above the waistline (no sagging); MJHS Branded Athletic Pants—any color, IF they have the MJHS logo/sport. <p>SHOES</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Appropriate shoes that fit, have a back, and allow for safe movement throughout the school must be worn at all times; We highly suggest close-toed shoes for your safety. <p>ACCESSORIES</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wear a Belt, as needed (remember, pants must sit at or above the waistline). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DO NOT WEAR.... <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bandanas (any color), head wraps, bonnets, hats, or hoods; Tights, leggings, spandex, or similar items as pants; Tank-tops, crop tops, or spaghetti straps as shirts; Pajamas, lingerie, or undergarments as shirts/pants; Footwear without backs—i.e. NO Slides or Flip-flops; Bottoms that are not solid Tan Khaki-colored or Black; Dresses (unless approved for school event); Sunglasses inside the building; Clothing, hairstyles, and/or jewelry that may cause a disruption or constitute a health or safety hazard; Spikes, chains, or potentially dangerous items as jewelry or accessories; Another Student’s ID. Clothing should NOT: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Expose midriffs, backs, or backsides; Be excessively tight, short, or revealing; Expose undergarments or underwear; Have excessive tears, rips, or holes; Contain words or symbols that are gang-related, offensive, insulting, sexually suggestive, vulgar, obscene, or promote illegal behavior; Contain words or symbols associated with drugs, alcohol, tobacco, or weapons; State, imply, or depict hate speech/imagery targeting groups based on race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity, religious affiliation, or any other protected classification.

BOOKBAGS/BACKPACKS *[All bags are subject to search by school administration.]*

- Must be CLEAR or MESH (no exceptions)**
 - Mesh backpacks have been more durable, in particular ones by brands such as Jansport, Nike, Adidas, and Under Armour;
- Students may carry a SMALL purse. As a rule of thumb, a purse large enough to hold a binder or textbook is considered a bookbag and is not allowed. *Please note: we may be phasing in a clear purse policy similar to stadium bag policies implemented in various venues.*
- Chromebooks/laptops may be secured in a protective sleeve;
- Non-clear or non-mesh backpacks will be collected upon entry;
- Likewise, Athletic Bags will be collected and stored until the end of the day.

***We work to correct any issues in a positive and productive manner, to minimize the loss of instructional time.**

Note: parents may be contacted to bring clothes, as needed, for uniform violations, if we cannot accommodate through our uniform closet.

*The administration will have final say on the appropriateness of a student’s dress.

*Repeated violations will incur higher levels of disciplinary action based on the code of conduct.

*We reserve the right to adjust the dress code should concerns or issues arise throughout the school year. In such an event, parents and students will be notified in advance of the change(s).

***Approved Jean’s Days will be announced by school administration through REMIND. They are NOT guaranteed every Friday.**

*Students who have religious requirements or medical issues that may require a uniform adjustment/variation should notify school administration.

For your reference on what constitutes TAN-KHAKI COLORED PANTS

