

1 **3224 STUDENTS**

2 Student Dress

3 Students are reminded that their appearance significantly affects the way others respond to them.
4 Matters of dress remain the primary responsibility of students, in consultation with their parents or legal
5 guardians. Personal appearance of a student shall be respected provided it does not interfere with the
6 health and safety of the student or others and does not materially disrupt the educational process. The
7 administration shall establish procedures for the monitoring of student dress in school or while engaging
8 in extracurricular activities. Specifics regarding this policy may be found in the individual building's
9 student handbook.

10 Students attending public events sponsored by the school district are permitted to honor their American
11 Indian heritage through the display of culturally significant tribal regalia. Any item that promotes drug
12 use, weapons use, threats of violence, sexual harassment, bullying, or other intimidation, or violates
13 another district policy, state, or federal law may not be worn at a public event sponsored by the school
14 district.

15 Cross Reference:

16 Policy 2333 Participation in Commencement Exercises

17 Policy 3611 Gangs and Gang Activity

18 Legal Reference:

19 2-1-315 MCA Tribal regalia and objects of cultural significance – allowed at public events.

20 Policy History:

21 Adopted on: July 1, 2000

22 Revised on: February 12, 2018