

T. H. Johnson's New Dress Policy

You have heard the advice that you should “dress for success”. T. H. Johnson Elementary School is promoting this idea to help students to be more effective learners and to achieve greater academic success. The following additions to the dress code are important to note as parents and children prepare to return to school in a few days:

- Sagging or extremely loose pants are not allowed. Belts are required to keep pants from sagging. Belts must be appropriate length and worn in a proper manner.
- All shirts and blouses should have sleeves that cover the shoulders. This rule eliminates sleeveless blouses and strapped tops and dresses. Sleeve lengths should be no longer than to the wrist.
- A boy's shirt tail must be tucked into the waist of his pants and a belt must be worn with pants having belt loops.
- A girl's blouse or shirt should be tucked into the waistband unless the shirt or blouse is designed to be worn on the outside. Any student wearing a tee-shirt with shorts or pants with elastic waistband should have the shirt tucked in.
- Excessive makeup or hair of unnatural shade or cut including Mohawks, extreme spikes and inappropriate designs cut into the hair that are distractions in any way will not be permitted.