






DSST Cole High School Dress Code Policy




<p>Tops:</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any School appropriate top No undergarments should be visible Tank tops are allowed, but <i>no spaghetti straps</i> Crop tops should <u>not show more</u> than <u>3 inches of midsection</u> Hoods from sweatshirts may not be worn at any time
<p>Bottoms:</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All students must wear bottoms that fully cover undergarments (no parts of underwear or undershorts can be showing) Ripped jeans/pants are allowed, but if rips are located mid-thigh or higher, tights must be worn underneath jeans Skirts and shorts must be length of fingertips when arms are stretched out
<p>Shoes:</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students must wear closed-toed shoes. <i>Shoes must be completely over the foot</i> according to Finn Scientific lab guidelines. Therefore, no sandals, slides, or slippers are allowed. Crocs must be worn in sport mode.
<p>Headwear:</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Headcoverings (beanies, bonnets, and du rags, baseball caps) are allowed. However, <i>head coverings cannot cover or hide a student's face or ears</i> unless it's for religious reasons. Ski masks are prohibited from being worn at all times on campus
<p>Other:</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Text on Clothing/jewelry that promotes violence, alcohol, gangs, tobacco, drugs, or presents a sexual statement, explicit or implicit, is not allowed. If clothing is determined to be inappropriate or distracting, DSST staff have the right to withhold the clothing item and return it to the student/family at the end of the day. Bandanas of any color are not allowed to be worn or visible throughout the day.

DSST Cole High School Technology Policy

We believe High School students are capable of handling responsibility and distractions of technology throughout the day. **Students are expected to have cell phones and headphones stored away during class time and community meetings.**

They are permitted to be used during transitions and at lunch.

If the student violates the policy, the consequence ladder is below:

Cell phone/Headphones are out during  class:	Student receives a responsibility prep, and is required to turn their tech into the adult they are working with during that time. Tech is returned at the end of period.
If the student refuses to turn their tech into adult after using irresponsibly during class or meeting time:	Student will be referred to the dean or administrator to turn in technology for the remainder of the day in a locked location.
If the student repeatedly struggles with phone use during the day:	Student will be required to be on a phone check in plan with advisor or dean for a minimum of 1 month.
“Cell Phone Friends”: Students who are flagged using their phone in class more  than 3x/month.	When identified using their phone in class inappropriately, it will be checked into the dean for the entire day for a period of 1 month. If refused, the student is immediately placed on a 2 week check in plan.
Altercations involving social media: 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• If students are involved in any altercations where social media is involved, they will be placed on a cell phone check in plan for a minimum of 2 weeks.• If students are caught recording altercations involving other Cole students, they will be placed on a 2 week plan to turn in phone to deans, as well as other consequences as appropriate.

