

**POWAY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE**

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**5.6 FREEDOM OF SPEECH AND
EXPRESSION**

SECTION 5.6.2 Student Dress and Grooming

Primarily, the dress and grooming of students is a parental responsibility; however, the following standards shall be applied to all students:

1. Apparel shall be clean and neat.
2. Students shall be dressed so as to allow full participation in the educational program. (Special activities, such as physical education, may require special dress.)
3. Students must wear shoes which adequately protect the feet.
4. Students' dress or grooming must not detract from the learning environment.

Students will be required to be neat and clean on entering school. Any student who arrives at school without proper attention having been given to personal cleanliness or neatness of dress may be sent home to be properly prepared for school, or may be required to groom himself before being allowed to attend class.

Principals should work with parent, teacher, and student groups to develop individual school guidelines for appropriate student dress and grooming.