

Edward C. Reed High School

Site-Based Student Uniform Policy

1. General

- a. The following student uniform policy shall be in effect for school years 2021-22 through 2024-25 unless changes are directed by the Superintendent in accordance with Board Policy.
- b. All provisions of the Washoe County School District's student dress code, as documented in the Parent/Student Handbook and/or any posted rules of this school, shall remain in effect.
- c. Uniforms must be worn during regular school hours.
- d. All Reed High School Students must wear the appropriate uniform. Specific exceptions can be reviewed by the principal in case of religious-based concerns.
- e. Uniforms which are worn as a requirement for an academic program, (i.e. JROTC, certain internships and Signature Academies) are permitted.

2. Description of the Uniform

- a. Tops: The approved uniform shirt is (blue, yellow, white or black polo.).
 - i. The uniform shirt may be plain or have the approved school logo on it. Non-approved school logos are not permitted on the uniform top, whether or not the logo is related to the school or a school activity.
 1. T-shirts of any color may be worn under the approved uniform top unless the t-shirt is long sleeved being worn under a short-sleeved polo shirt. In that case, only the following colors will be allowed: blue, yellow, white, or black.
 - ii. Sweatshirts and Sweaters.
 1. Sweatshirts/sweaters are not part of the student uniform, are considered outer wear, and shall comply with the student dress code. The uniform shirt must be visible under the sweatshirt/sweater.
 - b. Bottoms: Approved bottoms are defined as slacks, sweat pants, shorts, leggings/jeggings, skirts, and skorts and must be black, khaki, (light tan or brown). Jeans and other colors shall not be allowed and may not have logos or words.
 - i. Shorts, skirts, skorts, and dresses must be an appropriate length, extending to the student's mid-thigh.
 - ii. Sagging pants with undergarments showing may not be worn.
 - iii. Tights may be worn under the uniform, but they must be solid white, black, or yellow. Lace, fishnet, or patterns on tights are not permitted.
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- c. Outerwear. Jackets, coats, and zippered sweatshirts are considered outerwear and are permitted over the uniform in accordance with the District's dress code.
 - d. Misc. Other items of clothing such as shoes, socks, belts, hats, ties, and accessories shall comply with the dress code.
3. All students enrolled at Edward C. Reed High School shall be in compliance with the provisions of this site-based student uniform policy, as well as the District dress code during the school day. The only exception to this policy shall exist with the permission of the principal during a free day, spirit day, or similar events. Free days shall apply to all students. No content-based exceptions shall be allowed on non-free days.
- a. Free dress days may be granted by the principal in the case of homecoming or other dress-up occasions and are expected to follow WCSD guidelines for dress-code
 - b. Content based exceptions to the uniform policy include, but are not limited to:
 - i. Team clothing (i.e. football jerseys)
 - ii. Uniforms of outside organizations in lieu of the school uniform (i.e. Boy Scout uniform).
 - iii. ROTC uniforms are acceptable since they are a requirement of the program.
4. Sale of Uniforms / Financial Assistance.
- a. Shirts with the school logo may be purchased from (**Kate's Logos 1221 W. 2nd Street, Reno, 775-432-1777**). This price is subject to change following the 2020-21 school year). (if an outside vendor is selling the shirts, list their contact information and the following disclaimer must be included below.)
 - i. Kate's Logo's is not affiliated with the Washoe County School District and the Washoe County School District and the Board of Trustees neither endorses nor sponsors the organization. The distribution of this information is provided as a service to our school community.
 - b. Non-logo'd shirts, and other clothing options, may be purchased at any retail location.
 - c. Any family in need of financial assistance with the purchase of the school shirts should contact the school office for information or to make arrangements.