

NUAMES DRESS CODE

The NUAMES dress and grooming standards are meant as a means of promoting a positive, productive and safe academic environment. The code is also designed around what is deemed appropriate and modest for a public and collegiate educational setting that should be non-disruptive or offensive to others.

All questions or concerns in regard to the NUAMES DRESS CODE should be referred to the NUAMES school administration. The NUAMES administration has the final decision in the determination of the appropriateness of any student clothing or appearance.

- Clothing and appearance should not draw undue attention, disrupt, distract or interfere with the learning atmosphere at NUAMES or WSU.
- Clothing must be clean and not tattered.
- No exposed cleavage, buttocks, underwear, midriffs, bare backs or shoulders. No tank tops, “muscle shirts” or spaghetti straps. Students will have at least one (1) inch of sleeve covering the shoulder.
- No bedroom attire, pajamas, slippers, blankets or bare feet. Shoes must be worn.
- **Skirts and shorts must be within 4 inches of the knee (at all times) in both the front and back. Spandex as primary clothing is not permitted.**
- No clothing can be worn displaying vulgar words, profanity, innuendoes, obscene slogans, illustrations or references of any kind to tobacco, alcohol or illegal substances.
- **Student piercings cannot be excessive, distracting or interrupt the educational process.**
- Gang related attire is not permitted on campus. This includes, but is not limited to web belts, extremely baggy pants, chains, bandanas or any other item identified by law enforcement as gang related. No gang affiliation or activity is allowed at school.
- Hats and hoodies may be worn at school but individual teachers may ask for them to be removed in their classrooms.
- Hats and hoodies **CANNOT** be worn at Northridge High School.
- All dress codes apply to any and all NUAMES students regardless of Early College or DATC daily schedules.
- Dress code violations will be reported to parents. Repeat offenders are subject to suspension.