



**IRVINGTON**  
UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT

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### **Irvington UFSD Dress Code/Code of Conduct**

We are aware of the concern regarding our district's present dress code and we want to help. The dress code, which is part of the larger Code of Conduct, was established to help support a safe and orderly learning environment. Still, we recognize that revisiting the Code with the express input of our stakeholders will allow all involved, including our students, to lend their voice to the continuous growth of our school community.

The fact is, we always want to improve our service to our students. If there is concern that the Code, in its present form, is inconsistent with the spirit of our school community, we want to know and we want to help. Further, we value our students' voice and thinking especially in decisions that impact them so personally.

School dress codes are never easy and we know that fashion sometimes conflicts – still, we want to get it right and we will be working with our students and stakeholders to do just that.