



**BE RESPECTFUL!
BE RESPONSIBLE!
BE SAFE!**



Dress Code: (BP 5132.16).

- Shoes must be worn at all times. A substantial sole, enclosed toe, and heel footwear are suggested. For safety reasons, students are discouraged from wearing flip-flops.
- Extremely brief garments that are distracting to the educational setting are not appropriate. Those garments would include, but are not limited to:
 - ❖ Halter-tops, tube tops, or tops with straps less than 2 inches wide.
 - ❖ Strapless or off-the-shoulder apparel.
 - ❖ See-through garments such as blouses, tops, shirts, skirts, etc.
 - ❖ Low-cut garments or clothing that reveals underwear, including short skirts/shorts.
 - ❖ Clothing that is torn or frayed exposing areas of the body that should be covered is not allowed.
 - ❖ Bare midriff garments. A jacket or cover-up to conceal brief clothing is not acceptable.
- Garments with violent, suggestive, or obscene statements will not be allowed. Garments or accessories with slogans or pictures depicting or promoting drugs, alcohol, tobacco, controlled substances, or weapons of any kind are not permitted. This includes clothing brands such as Cookies and Playboy.
- No clothing, jewelry, hairstyles, accessories, etc. that are dangerous or distracting in nature will not be allowed.
- Identified gang attire and paraphernalia are prohibited.

Beattie takes student safety and the security of our campus very seriously.

We at Beattie believe that it is our responsibility to ensure that clear behavior expectations, systems, and resources are in place to ensure that each member of our school community feels supported, valued and connected. We believe all students should be provided a fair and just opportunity to learn and grow. Our focus is on preventing discipline and behavioral problems and working to repair relationships through restorative practices.

We recognize that middle school is a time when students begin to take on more responsibilities and make important decisions about their own behavior and academics. Students make mistakes, and we expect that. We encourage students to learn from their mistakes and reflect on their own choices and behaviors.

*We follow a progressive discipline plan to ensure the safety of all students. It is expected that all students follow behavioral expectations communicated across our campus as well as Ed. Code. Students who are not in compliance with behavioral expectations or who violate Ed. Code will be referred to administration. Consequences for violations will be issued to address the behavior. Ed. Code dictates the use of **other means of correction**, however some violations may result in immediate suspension and/or recommendation for expulsion depending on the severity of the violation. All students are entitled to due process and are part of the discipline process. Communication between the teacher, parent, administration, and all school staff is vital and every effort will be made to keep that communication open. Consistent efforts will be made to notify parents regarding behavior concerns and support our students and families.*