

## *School-wide Expectations*



### **Walter P. Jones Elementary Unified Dress Code 2010-2011**

Walter P. Jones Elementary School has implemented a “Dress for Success” unified dress code policy for the 2009-2010 school year. The unified dress code is in effect Monday through Thursday each week. **Friday will be “School Spirit” day.** Students may wear a Walter P. Jones or school uniform shirt and jeans each Friday.

#### **Jeans are not allowed Monday-Thursday.**

The following is a list of the acceptable items for the Walter P. Jones Unified Dress Code:

- Khaki, black and navy pants, khaki, black and navy walking shorts, slacks, jumpers, Capri pants, skirts and skorts. All pants must be plain (unembellished), non-faded, without holes or fraying, and fitted at the waist and length (cannot touch the floor). Skirts, skorts, and jumpers may be no shorter than 2 inches above the knee and touches the student’s fingertips when measured.

- Plain (unembellished) solid white, light blue, royal blue, light gold, orange, pink, yellow or green collared polo shirts with sleeves containing no designs. School logos or crest on Jones school shirts will be acceptable. White oxford shirts may be worn. Clothing **MUST** be the appropriate size. Non-collared Walter P. Jones spirit wear may be worn.

- Solid white, light blue, royal blue, light gold, orange, pink, yellow or green turtlenecks, long sleeved collared shirts, sweatshirts and sweaters (pullover or cardigan).

- Shirts will be tucked in and belts worn if there are belt loops at all times.

- Socks must be worn and shoes must have closed toes and backs with heels no higher than 2 inches. Only students who can tie them may wear shoes with laces.

- Hats, caps, hoods, bandannas and scarves may not be worn on the head while in the building.

- Scout uniforms are acceptable.

- Athletic shoes are preferred (white soles)

- No gaudy (excessively large) jewelry will be acceptable.

Clothing with frayed ends, holes, fading and camouflage will not be permitted. All other items which in the judgment of the principal (or designee), which disrupt or distract from the learning process are not permitted.

Any items not allowed in the Bibb County Dress Code or Code of Conduct are not allowed under the Walter P. Jones Elementary Uniform Policy. Participation is mandatory unless the School Advisory Council has granted an exemption. A meeting of the parent and Advisory Council will be necessary in order for an exemption to be granted. Please understand that exemptions are not automatic and will only be granted for legitimate reasons. If you are unable to attend one of the meetings, then the student will be required to participate in the Success for All until the time when the parent is able to meet with the School Advisory Committee. Currently, no student is exempt from our Unified Dress Code.

These items are readily available at Wal-Mart, Kohl’s, Target, The Sock Shoppe, Burlington, Old Navy, GAP, Sears, K-Mart, Roses, Citi Trends and JC Penney. If complying with this policy will create a hardship, please contact our counselor.