



2022-2023

Successful Panthers...

The **Mission** of Pacheco High School is to ensure that all students will be given every opportunity to maximize their potential through **Strength, Honor, and Grace**, enabling them to become productive, contributing members of our society



Responsible

Lead by example in the classroom, school, community and global
Exude **Grace** in all situations whether winning or losing
Embrace technology for academic improvement

Outstanding Communicators

Communicate with others through speaking and writing
Actively listen to peers and employ critical thinking
Collaborate using effective communication

Academically and Technologically Literate

Create a four-year goal for life after high school (college or career)
Evaluate, analyze, and apply information to real-world situations
Creatively express rigorous and engaging academic work
Embrace technology for academic improvement
Interact and innovate with technology

Respectful

Understand and embrace other cultures and differences
Honor classroom, school and community guidelines
Unite together to enable "Panther strong" principles
Respect self, peers, staff and community

Self-Directed

Take an active role in education
Utilize and apply available resources
Engage in a variety of experiences
Recognizing **Strengths** and using them to succeed

The **Vision** of Pacheco High School is to connect today's students to tomorrow's opportunities

Pacheco High School Bell Schedule 2022-2023



Flex Schedule	
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday	
Period	Time
1st Period	8:30 - 9:20
2nd Period	9:28 - 10:18
SCB	10:18 - 10:23
3rd Period	10:31 - 11:21
Panther Flex Time	11:29 - 12:08
Lunch	12:08 - 12:48
4th Period	12:54 - 1:44
5th Period	1:52 - 2:42
6th Period	2:50 - 3:40

Flex Prep Schedule	
Wednesday	
Period	Time
1st Period	8:30 - 9:15
2nd Period	9:23 - 10:08
SCB	10:08 - 10:13
3rd Period	10:21 - 11:11
4th Period	11:19 - 12:04
Lunch	12:04 - 12:44
5th Period	12:52 - 1:37
6th Period	1:45 - 2:30
Panther Flex Prep	2:30 - 3:40

PLC Schedule	
Wednesday	
Period	Time
1st Period	8:30 - 9:10
2nd Period	9:18 - 9:58
SCB	9:58 - 10:03
3rd Period	10:11 - 10:51
4th Period	10:59 - 11:39
Lunch	11:39 - 12:19
5th Period	12:27 - 1:07
6th Period	1:15 - 1:55
PLC	2:10 - 3:40

Minimum Day Schedule	
Period	Time
1st Period	8:30 - 9:10
2nd Period	9:18 - 9:58
SCB	9:58 - 10:03
3rd Period	10:11 - 10:51
4th Period	10:59 - 11:39
Lunch	11:39 - 12:19
5th Period	12:27 - 1:07
6th Period	1:15 - 1:55

**PHS Visitor Policy
Requirements for Visitors**

Visitors **NOT** having official school business are **PROHIBITED**

The following persons are not permitted on campus during school hours:

1. Those who are not students at PHS.
2. Those who are not school employees.
3. Those that do not have official business at the school.

Students are not allowed to bring visitors on campus. Students from other schools (i.e., school age visitors) are not allowed on campus unless they are on official school business and checked in with the office.

Visitors **WITH** official school business are
PERMITTED

The following persons are permitted on campus during school hours:

1. Visitors are allowed on campus after first reporting to the front office where they will complete the visitor's sign-in log, and obtain a visitors pass. (48900k, PC 653G, PC 627)
2. All visitors to PHS must display a valid picture ID in the office, and clearly display their visitors pass while on campus.
3. At the conclusion of their visit, visitors will return to the office to sign-out, return their visitor's pass, and leave campus.
4. Parents who wish to visit their student's class must have a 48 hours prior approval with the appropriate grade level office and a parent shadowing contract on file. The teacher will be notified by administration.
5. PHS does not permit visitors during the first or last week of school. PHS Administration reserves the right to regulate visitations on campus.

It is against the law to loiter around a school area while school is in session or when a school activity is taking place

The following policy will be used to enforce attendance issues. Attendance will be addressed on at least a monthly basis or as deemed necessary by administration.

PHS Attendance Policy

Perfect attendance at school should be the goal of every student. State law requires children between the ages of 6 and 18 years old to attend school **FULL TIME**. Students who are 18 years old are still required to follow school rules, including those requiring attendance in school. All absences, partial and full days, excused in excess of 14 days in a school year will require a doctor's note. Continual attendance problems may result in disciplinary action, transfer to an alternative program, or referral to the District Attorney.

In accordance with Education Code Section 48260.5, parents/guardians are obligated to compel their child to attend school. Parents/guardians who fail to meet this obligation may be guilty of an infraction and subject to prosecution. Students may be subject to suspension, restriction, or delay of their driving privilege pursuant to Section 13202.7 of the Vehicle Code. Parents/guardians can be required to accompany their students to school and attend classes with their students. Continued truancy may result in a reduction of income for families receiving Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF), a Merced County Human Services Program.

*****Students with weekly perfect attendance can use their attendance print-out for that week to gain free admittance into home games of the following week.

Makeup Work Policy

Absences of over 3 consecutive days due to illness require a doctor's note excusing those absences. For every day of an excused absence, students get one day to make up the work assigned the day of their absence. If absent the day a project is due, you must make arrangements with your teacher. Teachers are only obligated to provide make-up work for excused absences. It is the responsibility of the student to clear their absences.

Tardy and Unexcused Absence Policy

PHS reserves the right to conduct tardy sweeps in order to encourage students to report to class on time. First-time offenders will be assigned in-house detention for the remainder of the class period. Subsequent offenses may result in a full day of in-house detention.

Every student is to be in their classroom/locker room, in his/her seat, before the tardy bell stops ringing. Students found loitering out of class without a valid pass will be sent to administration for appropriate discipline.

If a student's unexcused absences are equal to or greater than 10% of the enrolled school days, a warning letter will be mailed home to the parent or guardian of the student. If the student's unexcused absences continue to increase, subsequent warning letters will be issued along with the following actions:

- The school administration may schedule an attendance conference with the student and parent.
- A Student Attendance Review Committee (SARC) meeting may be called to create a behavior plan that addresses chronic absenteeism.
- A student may be referred to the Student Attendance Review Board (SARB).

LBUSD Senior Attendance Contract

According to California State Law and the California Education Code 48263.6, students are considered chronically truant if they are absent from school without a valid excuse for 10 percent or more of the schooldays in one school year, from the date of enrollment to the current date. To ensure the attendance of senior students and reduce chronic truancy, Los Banos Unified School District has implemented this senior attendance policy to encourage seniors to attend classes on a regular basis. Beginning with the 2021 -2022 school year the following policy will be implemented for all seniors attending either Los Banos High School or Pacheco High School.

If a senior's unexcused absences are equal to or greater than 10% of the enrolled school days, a warning letter will be mailed home to the parent or guardian of the student. If the student's unexcused absences continue to increase, subsequent warning letters will be issued along with the following actions:

The school administration may schedule an attendance conference with the student and parent.

- A Student Attendance Review Committee (SARC) meeting may be called to create a behavior plan that addresses the chronic absenteeism.
- A student may be referred to the Student Attendance Review Board (SARB).

On the last day of school, any senior whose unexcused absences that equal or exceed 10% of the enrolled school days may not be able to participate in the commencement ceremony.

- A period cut is noted as an "A" or "C" in attendance Reports.

PHS Diploma Requirements

In order to earn a diploma students must earn 220 credits, and complete the Algebra requirement.

Subject	Semester(s)/Credits	
English (Grades 9-12)	8	40
Mathematics	4	20
Algebra 1 Equivalency	2	10
Physical Science	2	10
Life Science	2	10
Geography/World Cultures	2	5
World History or Euro History AP	2	10
United States History	2	10
Government/Economics	2	10
Art, Music, or LOTE	2	10
PE 9 and PE 10	4	20
Electives	12	60
	Total	220
	Minimum	

A—G

Minimum Requirements for CSU/UC

To be used for A-G eligibility, all courses must be designated as "CP" or college preparatory. The student must earn an A, B, or C in both semesters of the course to qualify. Meeting these does not necessarily mean you will be selected for admission.

English	4 years
Integrated Math I	1 year
Integrated Math II	1 year
Integrated III	1 year
American History	1 year
World History	1 year
Life Science	1 year
Physical Science	1 year
LOTE (same language both years)	2 years
Visual or Performing Arts	1 year
Academic Elective	1 year

Students are strongly encouraged to go beyond their minimum requirements, in order to get accepted into the university of their choice.

Student Support Services

If you would like to speak with your counselor, stop by their office before or after school or lunch. If for any reason no one is available, please fill out a request form.

Schedule Changes

All changes to a student's schedule are handled by your counselor. Counselors are available before school, at lunch, and after school to consider a change. Counselors will help you change classes if you are placed at the wrong ability level, or if you are repeating a class you have already passed. Counselors **will not** help you switch from one teacher to another teacher for the same class, so choose your classes wisely. Changes to schedules that require immediate attention take priority. These include:

1. Scheduling error
2. Incomplete schedule

Check-Out Procedures: Permission to Leave School Grounds

- Students **are not** permitted to leave school during school hours without parent/guardian checking student out in person, or without authorization from a counselor, administrator, or the attendance office. Violation of this rule will result in disciplinary action.
- To obtain a pass, report to the attendance office. Permission may be given after your parent/guardian has contacted the attendance office, or if you are in possession of a valid, non-forged note.
- If you know you are going to leave school on a particular day or at a specific time, have your parent/guardian contact the attendance office in advance.
- **The 24-hour attendance phone number is 826-1012 or 826-1013.** You may leave a recorded message, including the complete name of the student, time of departure, reason for leaving, and name of parent calling.
- **Forgery:** a false phone call, or forged note will result in progressive disciplinary action, including and up to an at home suspension.

Lunch Passes

- Students are not allowed to leave school grounds during the lunch period without a valid lunch pass.
- Once approved, your lunch pass (card) can be obtained from your Administrator. The lunch pass card must be shown to school officials each time you leave campus at lunch and upon returning. **Leaving without permission may result in disciplinary action.**
- Criteria for a lunch pass: cannot be on the loss of privilege list or ineligibility list; cannot have more than one "F"; must have an overall GPA of 2.0; cannot be on a behavior agreement. Four combined tardies, cuts or unexcused absences to any class forfeits the lunch pass privilege. **A suspension forfeits the lunch pass for the quarter. A second suspension forfeits the lunch pass for the remainder of the year.**
- **Parents are to report to the attendance window to request a passport for their child when taking the student off campus during lunch hour and must check student back in.**
- **Students returning late from lunch will have their lunch pass confiscated after 1:04 pm.**
- **Deliveries from Door Dash, Grub Hub, etc., are not permitted. Lunches and other materials may not be passed to students through the gates. Parents must check into the office.**

Extra-Curricular Activities/Participation

In order to participate in events or activities representing the school (Academic Decathlon, Athletics, Dances, Spirit Team, Student Body or Class Officers, etc.) all students must meet the following criteria:

1. Maintain at least a 2.0 grade point average.
2. No more than one "F" or incomplete (I)
3. No more than one "U"

If you do not meet the above criteria by the end of each quarter, you become ineligible to participate during the next quarter. (One probationary quarter during the students high school career may be considered for athletics only. See your grade level team if you have questions.)

Additional policies and relevant information, including academic block & pins, access to vocational education, athletic creed, athletic guidelines and behavior, career center, CCC code of ethics, Character Education, course catalog, deficiency reports, Mr. and Mrs. Panther award, release of student information, renaissance, report cards requirements for visitors, scholastic achievement and academic excellence, and posted on PHS Web Site or available in the main office. <http://www.losbanosusd.k12.ca.us/schools/phs/>

Loss of Privilege (Ineligibility) List

- Students who have been suspended are ineligible to participate in school activities for the duration of the suspension.
- Seniors receiving a 5 day suspension anytime will be ineligible for extra-curricular activities noted above, including but not limited to Prom, senior events, and the graduation ceremony.
- Any student receiving a suspension during the last week of school equivalent to the remaining number of school days for the year, will be precluded from all remaining school sponsored events.

Parking & Permits

- All students who park in the student parking lot must annually obtain a parking permit from the main office.
- Failure to display your parking permit may result in a **parking ticket/citation**.
- The student parking lot is off limits during the school day except to leave and return to school as allowed by school policy and approved by administration.
- Students are not allowed to park in faculty designated areas (staff parking lot) at any time. Doing so may result in a parking ticket/citation.
- Visitor parking stalls are clearly marked and must be left clear for visitors. Failure to do so may result in a parking ticket/citation.
- Continued violations of parking regulations may result in revocation of parking permit and progressive discipline.

Presence of law enforcement

Dances, athletic events, concerts or any other school sponsored event may include the presence of law enforcement such as Merced County Probation, LBPD, or police canine. Attendees of a school sponsored events may be asked to perform a breathalyzer test before entering or anytime during the event.

Discipline—Student Conduct (LBUSD Board Policy 5131)

The Governing Board believes that all students have the right to be educated in a positive learning environment free from disruptions. Students shall be expected to exhibit appropriate conduct that does not infringe upon the rights of others or interfere with the school program while on school grounds, while going to or coming from school, while at school activities, and while on district transportation.

Conduct is considered appropriate when students are diligent in study, careful with school property, courteous, and respectful toward their teachers, other staff, students, and volunteers.



“The Secret of Success: Stop Wishing, Start Doing.”
- Unknown

Students may be subject to discipline for any off-campus conduct during non-school hours which poses a threat or danger to the safety of students, staff, or district property, or substantially disrupts the educational program of the district or any other district in accordance with law, Board policy, or administrative regulation.

Classroom consequences by the teacher before referral to administration:

1. Warning
2. 30 minute before school, lunch or after school detention and parent contact. Only one 30 minute detention for disruption/defiance per semester.
3. Referral to counselor for positive social skills intervention

Categories of Offense & Range of Discipline Consequences

LEVEL A: Level "A" offenses require prior teacher interventions as listed on the PHS referral form and/or counselor interventions prior to sending a referral to the administration.

Cheating/plagiarism

Class rules violation

Computer/Internet violation

Defiance/disruption– taking away from the learning of others

Electronic device – PHS supports the development of lessons and assessments that integrate various technological tasks to be accomplished by students. Therefore, students may use electronic devices (i.e. cell phones, smart phones, tablets, iPads, iPods, devices with the capability to capture digital images and/or take photographs, and audio recording device) as instructed/permitted by the classroom teacher or school official supervising the student (s). However, the UNAUTHORIZED and/or IMPROPER USE of an electronic device shall be prohibited. If a school official finds it necessary to confiscate an electronic device, he/she may either return it at the end of the class period, school day, or keep it until administration has consulted with the students' parent/guardian. **PHS is NOT responsible for lost, damaged, or stolen electronic devices.** Videoing or picture taking of any fight or inappropriate behavior may result in progressive disciplinary action, up to and including suspension and/or expulsion from PHS.

NOTE: Electronic devices are NOT PERMITTED in test sites designated for state assessments.

Failing to serve detention

Leaving classroom without authorization

Loitering

Non-directed profanity

Out of class without a pass

Parking violation (Note: parking violations will be addressed by law enforcement)

Possessing any object considered disruptive to the educational process

LEVEL "A" range of consequences by offense:

1st offense: Warning, parent notification/conference, teacher administered consequence, counselor interventions

2nd offense: Referral to administration, parent notification/conference, In-house detention (partial day or until the end of the day), behavior agreement, 1 – 3 day suspension, possible law enforcement notification

3rd offense: Referral to administration, parent notification/conference, In-house detention (for part of the day or until the end of the day), behavior agreement, 1 – 5 day suspension, possible law enforcement notification

LEVEL B:

Bus citation

Cyber bullying/bullying – (i.e. transmission of communications, posting of harassing messages, direct threats, social cruelty, or other harmful texts/sounds/images on the Internet, social networking sites, telephone, computer, or any wireless communication device)

Defiance/disruption

Dress code violation

Failing to identify yourself to school official

Forgery

Knowingly receiving stolen school or private property
Leaving school without checking out
Overt public display of affection
Possession of a lighter, tobacco products, or smoking
Possession of dice
Rough/boisterous activity
Running to a fight
Trash/littering

LEVEL "B" range of consequences by offense:

1st offense: Referral to administration, parent notification, In-house (partial day or until the end of the day), behavior agreement, 1 – 5 day suspension, possible law enforcement notification

2nd offense: Referral to administration, parent notification, In-house (partial day or until the end of the day), behavior agreement, 3 – 5 day suspension, possible law enforcement notification

3rd offense: Referral to administration, parent notification, In-house (partial day or until the end of the day), behavior agreement, 5 day suspension, possible law enforcement notification

LEVEL C:

Alcohol/possession of, under the influence, providing/furnishing
Assault/battery
Committing an obscene act
Controlled substance/possession of
Dangerous behavior
Defiance/disruption
Fighting/causing, attempting to cause, and/or threatening to cause physical injury
Fireworks
Gambling
Hate crime/caused, attempted to cause, threatened to cause, or participated in an act
Knowingly receiving stolen school or private property
Profanity/vulgarity/obscene act
Robbery/extortion

Sexual Harassment-definition of sexual harassment is listed below:

Sexual harassment includes but is not limited to conduct which has the purpose or effect of unreasonably interfering with a person's academic performance or of creating an intimidating hostile or offensive learning environment. Examples of sexual harassment include sexual demeaning comments, sexually suggestive questions, sexting (demeaning comments, sexual jokes, or sexual materials sent through electronic devices) jokes, letters, and notes, physical contact of a sexual nature, posting of sexual suggestive material, and continuing to express sexual interest after being informed that the interest is unwelcome (Education Code Section 212.5, Education Code Section 48900.2, Board)

Other Physical or Verbal Harassment: Apart from sexual harassment, students are prohibited from engaging in harassment, threats or intimidation of others which is sufficiently severe or pervasive as to have the actual or reasonably expected effect of materially disrupting class work or creating a hostile or intimidating educational environment. Such harassment may be verbal such as name-calling and derogatory remarks or it may be physical such as pushing and hitting with projectiles (Education Code Section 48900.4, Administrative Regulation 5144.1 (d))

Terror threats against school officials/property or both
Theft/stealing or attempting to steal school or private property
Threats/threatening behavior
Trespassing (attending a school event or being on any LBUSD property during a suspension without proper authorization)
Vandalism/caused/attempted to cause damage to school/private property, including but not limited to electronic files and databases

LEVEL “C” range of consequences by offense:

1st offense: Referral to administration, parent notification, behavior agreement, 3 – 5 day suspension, law enforcement notification, possible recommendation for expulsion from PHS

2nd offense: Referral to administration, parent notification, 5 day suspension, law enforcement notification, recommendation for expulsion from PHS

3rd offense: Referral to administration, parent notification, 5 day suspension, law enforcement notification, recommendation for expulsion from PHS

LEVEL D:

The following Level D offenses **require the Board of Education to expel the student for one calendar year:**

- Brandishing a knife
- Possession, providing, or use of a firearm,
- Possession, providing, or use of, explosives, or other dangerous objects
- Selling a controlled substance
- Sexual assault/battery

The following Level D offenses **require a recommendation for expulsion, unless the principal or designee finds it inappropriate to do so** [E.C. 48915 (a)]:

- Possession, providing, or use of a knife with a locking blade or with a 2 ½ inch blade or longer
- Possession, providing, or use of a dangerous object of no use to the student

LEVEL “D” range of consequences:

1st offense: Referral to administration, parent notification, behavior agreement, 5-day suspension, law enforcement notification, and mandatory recommendation for expulsion from PHS

Dance Code of Conduct

- You must have your current PHS ID with you to enter the dance, and at all times during the dance. No ID, no admittance – no exceptions.
- Guests must have a current valid ID and authorized guest pass.
- Dress code must be adhered to.
- Students must remain at the dance. Once you leave the dance, you will not be allowed to return.
- Any form of dance deemed by a school official to be sexual in nature or inappropriate in any way will not be allowed. This includes, but is not limited to:
 - ◆ No private parts touching at anytime
 - ◆ No lap dancing
 - ◆ No leg lifting and/or wrapping each other
 - ◆ No all-fours or ground positions
 - ◆ No bending over
 - ◆ No making out – overt public display of affection
 - ◆

NOTE: PHS reserves the right to excuse a student or guest from the dance based on inappropriate behavior and/or actions not listed above

1st offense: verbal warning, ID confiscated and given to student’s AP

2nd offense: removal from dance, NO REFUND given, and ID returned by AP

Electronic Device and Social Media Responsible Use Policy (LBUSD)

Los Banos Unified School District is committed to providing a quality education to all students. This includes providing students access to school technology as well as require technology use outside of class time. At the same time, the district feels strongly that the safety of all students must remain a top priority. Therefore, students who participate in online interactions are subject to the behavioral standards established by California Education Code and exercised in the district discipline policy for students. Remember, everything posted online is public information- any comment, text or photo placed online is out of your control immediately upon placing it online. Also, many employers and college admission officers review social networking sites as part of their evaluation of an applicant. Students are encouraged to exercise utmost caution when participating in online social media.

Los Banos Unified School District insists that the following standards be adhered to by all students:

- Do not post material that LBUSD determines is threatening, harassing, illegal, obscene, defamatory, slanderous or hostile towards any individual or entity.
- Do not post incriminating photos or statements depicting violence, hazing, sexual harassment, nudity, inappropriate gestures, vandalism, underage drinking, drug use or any other inappropriate behaviors.
- Do not publish disparaging or harassing remarks about Los Banos Unified community members, fellow students, faculty, or administration.
- Do not, under any circumstances, create digital video recordings/pictures of Los Banos Unified community members either on campus or off campus events for online publication or distribution.

While impossible to monitor every single student on campus, the online social media world is easy to track. Cases will be dealt with as they arise and are brought to administration's attention.

Failure to abide by the standards listed above may result in loss of the privilege to use school technology and disciplinary action that may include suspension from school.

Dress Code (LBUSD Board Policy 5132)

The administration has an obligation to take action to control any conditions pertaining to grooming or dress when safety, health or the educational process may in any way be hampered. **ALL** students are expected to come to school neat, clean and with consideration for proper hygiene. Any student found to be in violation of the dress code shall be required to make a change in their grooming and/or dress in order to come into compliance, and may be subject to progressive disciplinary measures.

PHS reserves the right to amend the dress code if at anytime any clothing, apparel, symbol or combination thereof has been identified as gang related apparel by any law enforcement agency OR when safety, health or the educational process is being impeded. Dress code sweeps will be conducted periodically.

The Governing Board believes that appropriate dress and grooming contribute to a productive learning environment. The Board expects students to give proper attention to personal cleanliness and to wear clothes that are suitable for the school activities in which they participate. Students' clothing must not present a health or safety hazard or a **distraction which would interfere with the educational process.**

Part of career planning is to learn to dress appropriately for the job, or for certain occasions that requires a particular type of dress. Despite changing fashions, certain guidelines and limitations must be set for the best interest of students and the educational process. Extreme fashions or appearances which are considered inappropriate or distracting to the educational process will not be allowed. Clothing must be worn to the fullest function of the garment. Specifically, overalls must be strapped and **pants worn at the appropriate waist level.** Administration acknowledges that certain school activities (sports, cheer, guard, drama, senior dance, etc.) require students to wear clothing that may not align with the dress code guidelines. Permission to wear such garments may be given for the scope of the activities (spirit day, rallies, dances) for which they were designed and does not automatically extend to the wearing of such clothing during regular school hours. PHS approved hats, and other apparel sold at the student store or provided by a PHS sanctioned club, team, or activity may be worn.

Confiscated items may require a parent/guardian to pick the item up. Confiscated items that are deemed by the school as being gang related or of a dangerous nature may be submitted to law enforcement, who will address the issue accordingly.

1. Belt buckles - no engraved, stamped, punched out, lifted initials or numbers shall be permitted.
2. Belts - must be the appropriate size or must be tucked into belt loops, not hanging. No engraved, stamped, punched out, lifted initials or numbers shall be permitted on any belt. Belts must not be worn lower than the waist.
3. Chains - (e.g. wallet chains), items with spikes, studs and steel toed shoes/boots, or any attire that may be used to inflict injury upon another will not be allowed.
4. Clothing - apparel promoting any specific race, culture or ethnicity over others shall not be allowed.
5. **Clothing - paraphernalia/articles of clothing denoting juvenile/adult gang related activities are not permitted. Any paraphernalia, articles of clothing, or accessory (belts, backpacks, buttons, jewelry, notebooks, etc.) which displays juvenile or adult gang symbols or activity/affiliation (with numbers, area codes, letters, G-Unit), profanity; or products and slogans which promote/advertise tobacco, alcohol, drugs, sex, sexism (e.g. Hooters, Skin silhouettes), sexual innuendos, violence, suicide, racism; or interferes with school work, creates disorder or disrupts the educational process is not allowed.**

6. **Gang colors - gang related colors will not be permitted. This includes, but may not be limited to: solid red/maroon, navy/royal blue, or medium/dark brown shirts, jackets, sweatshirts, hairpieces. While these colors are common among popular articles of clothing, the intent of the dress code is to eliminate any gang related activity associated with PHS. As a result, administration reserves the right to consider additional indicators when determining if a gang related dress code violation has occurred. Clothing with a logo of 4 inches or larger and of a different color than garment will not be considered a solid color. However, clothing that is predominantly red, blue or brown such as a shirt with a ½ inch Nike logo on the chest will be considered a solid colored shirt. If the logo itself is gang related, such as the letter “N” on a red shirt, the shirt will not be allowed. PHS colors will be acceptable during school spirit days.**
7. **Gangs – attire advocating, advertising, or denoting juvenile or adult gang activity or affiliation such as Mac Dre, Tupac, highlighting (showing solid red, blue, brown under another shirt), shall not be permitted. Said attire includes, but is not limited to: bandanna, belt, belt buckle, jewelry, badges/buttons, notebook, emblems, symbol, tattoo, sign, accessory, or any clothing apparel. This would not, however necessarily include a brown leather belt.**
8. **Hats, hoods and beanies – Hats may not be altered or modified. Hats must be in compliance with all other components of the PHS dress code. Beanies can be worn on campus if in compliance with all other components of the PHS dress code. Hats and hoods must be removed when in a classroom, office building, or when directed by school official.**
9. **Leggings/tights – may be worn when layered beneath a PHS dress code approved dress, pants, skirt or shorts.**
10. **Pajamas - sleep wear, slippers/house shoes are not allowed.**
11. **Pants - must fit at the waistline, not sagging or oversized, so that undergarments may not be visible. Pants with holes in them may be worn if the hole or holes are no higher than mid-thigh.**
12. **Shirts – oversized, excessively long shirts (those that hang below the pant pocket area) are not allowed.**
13. **Shoes - must be worn at all times, unless required by school activity. Flip-flops or shoes without heel straps will not be allowed if determined by teacher/administration to be unsafe.**
14. **Shorts - dresses, skorts, and skirts must be mid-thigh or longer. Appropriate shorts/clothing must be worn for physical education activities and athletic practices.**
15. **Skateboards - wheelies, and rollerblades are not to be used, or carried around on campus.**
16. **Sunglasses - shall not be worn in classrooms or in the office. If sunglasses are needed for medical reasons, a medical release from prescribing doctor will be required and must be on file in the office.**
17. **Teams - no articles of clothing depicting numbers or player names allowed. Professional and College clothing with mascots and/or team names is allowed, unless determined by administration to be gang affiliated. If any college team and/or mascot/color (s) or clothing is associated with any gang activity or activity that disrupts the school or safety of the school community, administration reserves the right to ban any such team/mascot/clothing from the approved list. This includes, but is not limited to banning all college team clothing if deemed appropriate to do so.**
18. **Tops – all tops should cover the chest, midriff and back areas. Tube tops, strapless, single strap, off the shoulder, and see-thru attire are not permitted unless they are layered over another top if the top (s) comply with other components of the PHS dress code. Tank tops are allowed with no display of cleavage or oversized armholes.**
19. **Trench coats - students are not permitted to wear trench coats (knee length or longer).**
20. **Undergarments - appropriate undergarments shall be worn at all times. All outer clothing must conceal undergarments at all times. Undergarments may not be worn as an outer garment. Excessively thin or see through clothing is not allowed.**

Range of consequences by offense:

1st offense—warning, correction of violation, parent notification

2nd offense—referral to administration, behavior agreement, campus clean-up, in-house detention, 1-5 day suspension, parent notification, possible law enforcement notification

3rd offense—referral to administration, behavior agreement, 1—5 day suspension, parent notification, possible law enforcement notification