

## **Lakeland Dress Code**

**Appropriate dress and behavior is expected at Lakeland Elementary. Students should dress in a clean, neat and modest fashion. Clothing should be appropriate to keep children healthy and safe as well as ready to learn.**

**The following guidelines will be uniformly enforced throughout the school year.**

- **Shirts/blouses must cover the top of the shoulder, no halter or tank tops.**
- **Shoes must be appropriate for recess and PE, no flip-flop sandals, heels or platform soles over one and a half inches.**
- **Pants should be worn at the waist and not touch the floor.**
- **Shorts/skirts must be at least mid-thigh length, below finger tips held at sides.**
- **No hats are to be worn in the building, except on special occasions.**
- **No undergarments showing.**
- **No chains or other accessories can be worn that could result in harm to self or others.**
- **Clothing must cover entire torso.**
- **No clothing will be permitted that disrupts the educational process or creates a health or safety hazard.**
- **No clothing will be permitted that displays pictures, symbols, messages or innuendoes of the following nature: obscene, sexual, harassing, violent, drug or alcohol related, gang membership or gang related.**

**A good decision-making rule could be: When in doubt, choose something else to wear.**

