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## **DRESS AND GROOMING** BOARD ADOPTED MAY 15, 2017

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3 **A. PURPOSE**

- 4 1. Recognizing a student's mode of dress and grooming is a manifestation of personal style and  
5 individual preference, the Board has the authority to impose limitations on dress in school.

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7 **B. AUTHORITY**

- 8 1. The Board will not interfere with the right of students and their parents/guardians to make  
9 decisions regarding their appearance, except when their choices disrupt the educational program  
10 of the Intermediate Unit, or constitute a health or safety hazard. Student dress or grooming  
11 practices that cause excessive wear or damage Intermediate Unit property are prohibited.
- 12 2. Students may be required to wear certain types of clothing while participating in physical  
13 education classes, technical education, extracurricular activities, or other situations where special  
14 attire may be required to ensure the health or safety of the student or when required by the school  
15 district in which the Intermediate Unit classroom is located. Students placed in certain student  
16 work experiences or internships may be required to wear clothing that conforms to workplace  
17 dress requirements.

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19 **C. DELEGATION OF RESPONSIBILITY**

- 20 1. The Special Education Supervisor or designee shall be responsible to monitor student dress and  
21 grooming, and to enforce Board policy and Intermediate Unit rules governing student dress and  
22 grooming. When IU classrooms are located in school districts with dress and grooming  
23 requirements, the Special Education Supervisor or designee will be responsible to monitor student  
24 dress and grooming according to the district policy.