## **Board Policies**

## **ADMINISTRATIVE AFFAIRS**

## **159.00 PROFESSIONAL ATTIRE**

It is the policy of Cowley College that all employees are expected to portray a professional image consistent with the employee's position, while working or representing the College. Appearance should make a positive, professional impression whether meeting with students, parents, coworkers, vendors or the general public. Clothing that is considered inappropriate includes, but is not limited to:

- Clothing with profane, vulgar or hateful images or text
- Shorts (Exception: coaches and athletic trainers or with supervisor approval)
- T-shirts (Cowley College attire and logo are permitted)
- Exercise clothing (Exception: coaches and athletic trainers)
- Jeans that are torn, frayed, slit or sagging
- Flip-flops

If a supervisor or administrator deems that an employee's dress or hygiene is inappropriate, the employee may be sent home on unpaid leave until applying the appropriate remedies.

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