Mililani Waena Elementary School DRESS STANDARD

Education includes learning to behave and dress appropriately. Parents and children are responsible for children dressing in clean, appropriate clothing for school each day. The following general guidelines are subject to administrative discretion.

- 1. Attire:
 - a. Inappropriate dress includes clothing that promotes gangs, drugs, alcohol, tobacco, violence, and/or indecent language.
 - b. Inappropriate dress also includes clothing that exposes the student's chest, backs, and/or midriff, such as tank tops (excluding sleeveless blouses) and spaghetti-strap tops.

2. Footwear:

- a. Wearing covered shoes is recommended. Shoes **are required** for working in the cafeteria, attending a field trip, physical education classes, and playing on the basketball courts and playground.
- b. For safety reasons, high heels and platform footwear higher than 1" are not appropriate for school students.
- 3. Hats, caps and hoods **may not** be worn.
- 4. Make-up, tattoos and hair color are inappropriate for school.

Students are expected to practice good hygiene and grooming.

The dress standard applies to all school personnel and volunteers who serve as role models for appropriate behavior and dress for students.

If a student does not abide by the dress standard, parents will be contacted to provide appropriate clothes so the education of others will not be interrupted.