SLSPA 3.0 - Dress Code Policy

At Salt Lake School for the Performing Arts, we strive to create an inclusive and respectful learning environment. Our dress code policy aims to promote safety, modesty, and a focus on academics while recognizing the unique needs of performing arts students.

Distinction between Costume/Wardrobe & Student Dress:

<u>Costume/Wardrobe:</u> Performing arts students may wear specialized costumes or attire for rehearsals, performances, or designated class activities, as determined by their teachers or directors. These garments should align with the artistic requirements of the performance and be appropriate for the context.

<u>Student Dress:</u> Outside of specific performing arts activities, students are expected to adhere to the following guidelines.

General Guidelines for Student Dress:

- Clothing must adequately cover undergarments, buttocks, genitals, and breasts, providing opaque coverage. Undergarments should not be visible, including bra straps.
- Clothing should not display offensive or vulgar language, images, or symbols.
- Garments associated with gangs, illicit drugs, or illegal substances are strictly prohibited.
- Clothing should not pose a safety risk, such as items with spikes or other hazardous accessories.
- Shoes must be worn at all times. Dance classes are the only exception.

Due Process and Enforcement:

- The dress code policy will be applied uniformly and consistently to all students.
- Students found in violation of the dress code will be provided with due process, including a fair opportunity to address and rectify the issue.
- Appropriate consequences, as outlined in the school's disciplinary policy, may be imposed for repeated or serious violations.

We appreciate your cooperation in upholding our dress code policy, which aims to create a positive and focused learning environment. If you have any questions or need clarification, please reach out to the school administration.