BENEFITS OF DRESS CODE IN SCHOOLS

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The organization and orderliness in the school particularly among the students may be manifested in their grooming and proper dressing. Following the school rules is also related to this matter.

Having a dress code is not mandatory in the Department of Education (DepEd) but the schools have recommended uniforms for the students to wear inside the school premises.

Having a school dress code may have benefits to the students and to the school as well.

The dress code may connote standardized look among the students in the school. It is through the dress code that people would clearly identify that they are bona de students of a certain educational institution. Having dress code would mean good grooming to the learners. It is pleasing to see students who are well-dressed and physically organized as they enjoy and learn in the classrooms.

The dress code among the students would also be advantageous on the part of the parents. It is not costly and would be easier for the parents to prepare daily. The school uniforms are practically affordable and available. The safety of the students may also be ensured through the dress code. The students are given more priority, to keep them safe and secured in the school. Once they are in their proper uniforms, the school and community authorities would easily protect them. Those not in uniform are identified as outsiders which might cause harm or safety concerns.
Moreover, dress code promotes positive school environment. If the students are wearing their respective uniforms in the school, this would make them feel that they belong to a particular learning institution which promotes orderliness and organization.

The school dress code also inspires the students to stay focused in their learning. This would make them realize that they have commonalities and they need to follow rules in the school. Having guidelines on dress code would be stimulating.

The school dress code would inspire school pride. The students with uniforms feel confident and proud of their schools since they carry with them the identity of the educational institution where they belong.

The school dress code would promote good attendance. Students love to study and attend classes if they are in their respective school uniforms. This is for the fact that they feel good and comfortable wearing the said attires. It is advantageous in monitoring the students. The teachers and school authorities would easily monitor and trace the students if they are in school dress code.

It makes them easy to get ready for the school days. Having available and ready uniforms would be advantageous on the part of each student since this would make them be easily prepared for daily schooling.

This would also prevent trespassers in the school. The school would be able to avoid undesirable strangers and would be away from any untoward incidents if proper dress code is being implemented in the school. Dress code in the school is not compulsory but having it is beneficial.

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