



# DRESS CODE

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As part of our mission to prepare students for careers in the renewable energy industry, Northwest Renewable Energy Institute requires students to dress in a way that will create a professional self image. Apparel worn to school should be neat, clean, and fit to a standard of good taste and modesty.

Casual attire will be accepted daily unless otherwise directed. Changes to casual attire can occur during formal events like graduations, interviews, and other activities as defined by the education and career services departments. If you own school uniforms and choose to continue wearing them, please do.

## Required

NW-REI students must wear lace up leather safety-toe boots with socks at all times. The boots must cover the ankle (4-6 inch rise preferred) and have a heel of .5 inches or larger for climbing. Safety toe boots must be ASTM/ANSI rated.

Please see the student Supply Checklist for a complete list of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE).

## Items NOT Considered Casual Attire

- Holey or torn garments (even if purchased that way)
- Yoga Pants
- Sweatpants
- Shorts
- Pajamas
- Low cut tops
- NO dresses or skirts allowed
- Hats, bandanas, sweatshirt hoods, or sunglasses
- Flip flops, sandals or slippers
- Shirts or tops with obscene or offensive language or pictures
- Bare or exposed midriffs
- Tank tops or halters
- Sheer or see-through fabrics
- Outerwear must be removed once in the building
- Facial tattoos
- Piercings of nose, tongue, etc.
- School badges must be worn at all times without exceptions.

As a reminder, this document can be modified depending on activities and circumstances. All students are expected to uphold the standards at all times. All other accessories and grooming standards still apply as outlined in the student handbook. If you have any questions please contact your instructor of record.



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