

Middletown High School Dance Guidelines

School events should provide a healthy, safe and enjoyable atmosphere for all students. The following guidelines are designed to ensure a positive dance environment:

- Tickets are non-transferable, non-refundable and will not be sold at the door.
- No student will be admitted to the dance after 9:00 PM.
- All attendees must present a valid ID at the door for admittance to the dance (ex. school ID, driver’s license)
- Attendees are expected to dress in a manner that adheres to FCPS dress policy. Appropriate dress does NOT include hats, muscle shirts, short dresses, bare midriffs, and low cut cleavage-revealing tops.
- For health reasons, shoes are required. Students are encouraged to wear or bring an extra pair of comfortable shoes.
- Attendees are not permitted to engage in sexually explicit dancing. Sexually explicit dancing is considered vulgar or provocative. Contact that involves touching of the breast or any part of the body below the waist (including groin, thigh or buttocks) or any touching that simulates sexual activity is also considered inappropriate. Sexually suggestive squatting, bending (absolutely no hands on the floor), kissing, or “making out” is inappropriate.
- Once a student/guests leaves the dance, they are not permitted to return.
- Drugs, alcohol, and all nicotine products are strictly prohibited. Per FCPS Discipline Regulation 400-08, police shall be notified when a student is in possession or is distributing, using, or believed to be under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
- An administrator may make a search of the physical plant of the facility and its appurtenances including the vehicles of students.
- No guest in grades K-8 or adults over 20 years old will be permitted to attend the dance.
- All financial obligations must be paid before ticket purchase.

Violation of any school rules will result in contact home, removal from the dance and/or consequences in accordance with FCPS Regulation 400-08. **Parents must provide a phone number where they can be reached, if needed, during the dance.**

Box 1 – Student			
I will follow all guidelines noted above and follow the direction of all chaperones.			
_____	_____	_____	_____
Student Signature	Printed Name	Grade	Phone #

Box 2 – Parent		
I am aware of the guidelines for my child’s participation at the school dance.		
_____	_____	_____
Parent Signature	Printed Name	Phone #

Box 3 – Guest		
I will follow all guidelines noted above and follow the direction of all chaperones.		
_____	_____	_____
Guest Signature	Printed Name	Phone #
School Administrator of Guest’s School		
Your signature testifies that this student is well-behaved and is in good standing at your school.		
_____	_____	_____
Administrator Signature	Printed Name	School