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Dear Parents/Guardians:

RE: MANDATORY UNIFIED DRESS CODE & ID BADGES

Silver Trail Middle School continues to have a mandatory unified policy for all students. Uniforms help provide for a safe school environment, where the emphasis is on learning. We appreciate the support of parents, students, and teachers in the successful implementation of our uniform policy. As a result, 100% of our students were uniforms in past school years.

The Silver Trail Middle unified dress code consists of the following clothing items:

- (1) Cotton knit, short sleeve polo shirts in solid **white**, **black**, **teal**, and **gray**. The school logo on a polo shirt is preferred. Undershirts if worn must be <u>short sleeve</u> and <u>white only</u>.
- (2) Cotton blend straight-leg pants secured at the waist. Color choices are black, khaki, & gray.
- (3) Shorts, capris, and skorts must not be shorter than mid-thigh and secured at waist. No athletic shorts allowed. Color choices are black, khaki and gray.
- (4) Plain **blue**, **black** and **gray** cotton denim jeans secured at the waist. Jeans must be <u>solid</u> color with no tears, rips, or large print words or images. Also, spandex or nylon jeans are not allowed.
- (5) Cargo pants and cargo shorts are not allowed.
- (6) Cold-Weather/Outerwear must be a <u>plain</u> and <u>open-front</u> (zipper or buttons) jacket (e.g. windbreaker, sweatshirt, sweater). <u>No brand labels, logos or other printed words or images are allowed</u>. Color choices are <u>solid</u>, (<u>one-color only</u>) **white**, **teal**, **black**, or **gray**.

<u>SPECIAL NOTE</u>:, Any version (old or new) of the school logo is acceptable.

Silver Trail Middle School has an ID Badge Security System. **Students are required to wear their ID badge on a lanyard AT ALL TIMES while on campus**. We will provide the first four (4) I.D. badges and the first one (1) lanyard at no cost. Beyond those provided by the school, lost I.D.'s must be replaced at a cost of \$5.00. Lanyards are available for \$1.00.

There are progressive consequences beginning with a warning for students not following the mandatory dress code and the wearing of ID badges.

We are proud to say that 100% of our students do participate in our uniform dress code policy. Parents/Guardians may request a waiver at the time of registration, (for new students) or during the first ten days of school (for returning students). However, the school principal (or a designated school administrator) requires a face-to-face conference with the parents to discuss the uniform policy and the nature of the request for an exemption. Thank you in advance for your support.

Sincerely,

Steve Frazier Principal