

Marshall High School Homecoming Dance Rules

Failure to follow the guidance below may result in delayed admission and/or denial of admission to the Homecoming Dance. Marshall High School has the right to refuse admission to anyone deemed inappropriately dressed or who is in possession of an inappropriate item. To provide a safe environment, students and their guests will be searched (metal detectors) before entering the Homecoming Dance. If students are denied admission, they will **NOT** receive a refund.

Dress Code

It is strongly recommended to have a semi-formal attire. Prohibited clothing is a subject to non-entry and no refunds.

Prohibited Clothing Items

- Sagging pants
- Inappropriate messages or illustrations (drugs, alcohol, tobacco, sexual or vulgar, violence)
- "Gang" affiliated clothing:
 - o Hats
 - Initialized belt
 - Rolled-up bandanas on your backpack or belt
- Hanging pocket chains
- Accessories that can cause harm
 - Spiked bracelets
 - o Key chains that can be used as weapons

The following items are not appropriate: Drugs, alcohol, weapons, zoot suit chains, canes, markers, pens, pencils, gums, mints, perfume, cologne, eye drops, open water bottles, matches, lighters, sharp objects, and wallet chains.

Possession of drugs, alcohol, tobacco, and/or a weapon, or exhibiting disruptive behavior of any kind will automatically result in removal from the Homecoming Dance.

Lewd dancing is not permitted and is also grounds for removal from the Dance without a refund. The following behavior is NOT allowed: inappropriate or suggestive dancing, simulated sex acts (including, but not limited to genital touching or pelvic thrusting), bending over or squatting down the floor, straddling legs or wrapping legs around another person or object, front to back dancing, "sandwiches", and lap dancing. **Students must be upright always with both feet on the floor.**

To purchase a Homecoming Dance ticket, everyone must submit a copy of a valid school or California ID card and a signed contract to the student store. The same ID card must be presented to enter the dance. Nobody will be able to enter the dance without an ID card.

The safety and well-being of our students and staff remains our number one priority. On September 21, we will be hosting a Homecoming Dance. In order to maximize existing safety measures already in place, and in an abundance of caution, all participants attending the event will go through a metal detection screening. We take pride in giving our students the opportunity to engage in extracurricular activities that further promote a positive and safe school culture and climate. As always, please remind your child of the District's message "If you see something, say something". Thank you.