

Benjamin Franklin High School -Dance Rules & Reminders

- 1. Dances should be FUN! BFHS administration wants all students to be safe and comfortable.
- 2. "Extremes" are discouraged, and <u>CLASS</u> is encouraged. (Mohawks, dyed hair, outlandish hats, duct tape, etc... will not be permitted).
- 3. All school rules will be enforced at school dances. (See BFHS Handbook) Offenses will be dealt with accordingly. Any student who engages in disruptive behavior will asked to leave.

 *Ticket price will not be refunded if student is asked to leave.
- 4. Non-BFHS students must be approved by administration- forms are in the office. Students may only bring (1) outside guest. *It is the responsibility of BFHS students to inform their guest about school guidelines.
- 5. Students and guests must have a picture ID to be admitted to the dance.
- 6. Students must remain in the designated areas for the duration of the dance- access to any other locations within the school will be approved by administrators/chaperones in attendance.
- 7. Any student/guest who leaves the dance for any reason may only re-enter with permission of administrator on duty.
- 8. Only appropriate physical contact will be permitted. Suggestive dancing will not be permitted. If contact looks questionable, it will be stopped. Repeated infractions will be cause for expulsion from dance.
- 9. All students and guests must leave location within 30 minutes of end of function. No loitering in parking lots. Please make transportation arrangements within this time limit.
- 10. Jr. High students are not permitted to attend high school dances.
- 11. Adults older than 19 are not allowed as guests at high school dances.
- 12. Be aware of your surroundings. Make good choices! Display good character. Make some memories. HAVE FUN!
- 13. If dress code is not adhered to, the student out of dress code will be provided with a cover or given the opportunity to go home and change.

Dress Code for semi-formal (Homecoming), and formal (Prom) dances.

Ladies

- Shoulders need to be covered at all times.
- Dresses may not be cut below the bust line (armpits) in the front OR the back.
- Dresses/skirts must be no shorter than 2 inches above the kneecap.
- Slits are not permitted above the knee.
- No sheer/see-through dresses, including sides or back.
- No bare midriffs.

Gentlemen

- Collared shirt required. Tie strongly suggested.
- Shirts must have sleeves.
- Well groomed hair
- Clean-shaven
- Dress shoes required; no tennis shoes or flipflops.