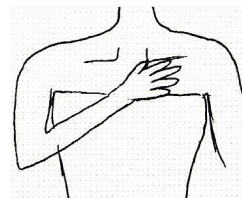


Sheldon High School 2024-25 Dance Contract

The following is a list of requirements and expectations for attending dances at Sheldon High School.

1. Prior to the dance
 - a. This contract must be signed and presented at the time the student purchases the first ticket to the dance. Only one contract need be completed for the year.
 - b. When students purchase their ticket they must present their current Sheldon ID card.
 - c. Students must present a photo ID and this guest pass (which should be approved) at the door when they enter. **Please do not check your ID card at the coat check – it must be on you at all times.**
 - d. Students may be searched at the entrance to the dance.
2. Dress code requirements
 - a. Strapless Dresses
 - i. Must be stable and stay in place at all times.
 - ii. Student must be able to touch both their collar bone and the top of the dress with open hand and closed fingers (approximately four inches – see diagram)
 - b. Back of Dress
 - i. Dress may not be lower than the middle of the back
 - c. No undergarments showing
 - i. Exception: Bra straps may show only with spaghetti strap dresses but they must match the color of the dress strap or be clear.
 - d. Tops, Shirts, and Blouses
 - i. Scoop neck or v-neck cut tops cannot be more than 5” from the collar bone
 - ii. No halter tops, spaghetti straps, tube tops, backless bib tops, or bra like tops – straps must be at least ½” in width and must cover bra straps
 - Exceptions: one strap tops are allowed
 - e. Shoes
 - i. Must be clean and dance appropriate.
 - ii. No flip-flops.
 - iii. Tennis shoes are not permitted at formal dances (Junior Prom and Senior Ball)
 - f. No low cut “revealing” dresses/tops or excessive cleavage.
 - g. Hemline and/or slits on dresses must be below the mid-thigh. Shorts at informal dances must be mid-thigh.
 - h. No rips or holes in clothing (designer cutouts are permitted).
 - i. No T-Shirts or undershirts as the main focus (t-shirts and undershirts must be accompanied by appropriate outerwear) (Junior Prom, Senior Ball, and Homecomings)
 - i. Appropriate T-Shirts are allowed at informal dances. (Welcome Back and Yearbook Dances)
 - j. No denim clothing at formal dances (Junior Prom, Senior Ball, Homecomings)
 - k. No sagging pants.
 - l. No more than one inch of midriff showing.
 - m. No ball caps may be worn.



If you have any questions or concerns, please contact administration AT LEAST 24 HOURS BEFORE THE DANCE.

3. Dancing Regulations
 - a. No rubbing of one's bottom on another person's private area.
 - b. If when dancing, a couple is facing the same direction, there must be a hand's length of space between the two (approx. 6") and they must be dancing in a respectful manner.
 - c. No body parts other than your feet may be touching the ground while dancing.
 - d. No break dancing without permission from an adult supervisor.
 - e. Partners may face one another while dancing in a hug position; however, this must be done in an appropriate manner.
 - f. No lifting dance partner off of the floor.
 - g. No wrapping of legs around any other person.
 - h. No grabbing, touching, or rubbing another person in a distasteful or unwanted way.
4. Consequences
 - a. Dancing Violations
 - i. 1st warning: ID card taken.
 - ii. 2nd warning: Removal from dance.
 - iii. If ID card is taken or asked for more than twice in a school year, you may not attend dances for one full year. Letter mailed home.
 - b. Dress Code Violations
 - i. If dress code is not followed, student will not be permitted to enter the dance.

I have read, understand, and agree to comply with the Sheldon High School Dance Contract as stated above.

STUDENT NAME (Print)

ID NUMBER

PARENT NAME (Print)

Signature

Date

Signature

Date