Marionville
Junior/Senior Prom
Dress Guidelines
Why do we have a dress code?

Marionville High School staff and administration wants you to make good choices. We are not trying to inhibit your style. Prom should be fun, but we want everyone to be comfortable and safe.

With modesty in mind, the following dress code guidelines will be enforced at the Marionville 2017 Prom.
Boys Dress Code

- Suits, tuxedos, or dress shirts with a tie should be worn.
- Dress shoes should be worn.
- Shirts must be buttoned up to the second button from the collar.
- Pants should fit properly on the hip and not sag below waistline.
- Canes will not be permitted.
- Jeans will NOT be permitted.
Girls Dress Code

#1

Strapless dresses are allowed, but dresses may NOT be cut below the bust-line. Excessive cleavage is NOT allowed.
Girls Dress Code

Examples of acceptable dresses (bustline)
Girls Dress Code

Examples of unacceptable dresses (bustline)
Girls Dress Code

#2

Midriffs may be exposed provided the exposed skin is NO MORE than 3 inches and the exposed skin is ABOVE the naval line. With your arms down at your side, if flesh touches flesh along the side of your midriff section the dress is unacceptable.
Girls Dress Code

Examples of unacceptable dresses (midriff)
Girls Dress Code

#3
Dress length must be no shorter than mid-thigh. Slits must be no higher than mid-thigh (This is fingertip length).
Girls Dress Code

Examples of acceptable dresses (dress length)
Girls Dress Code

Examples of unacceptable dresses (dress length)
Girls Dress Code

#4
Backless dresses must NOT go below the navel line.
Girls Dress Code

Examples of acceptable dresses (backless)
Girls Dress Code

Examples of unacceptable dresses (backless)
Girls Dress Code

• No pinning will be allowed as an alteration for a dress if without the pins the dress does not meet the dress code.
• Fabric inserts must be sewn, not pinned, on the dress if without the inserts the dress does not meet the dress code.
• No cover-ups (coats, shawls, sweaters) will be allowed over dresses that do not meet the dress code.
Questions about dress code?

See Mrs. Carney, Mrs. Wynn, or Mr. Estep

Remember, you are responsible to let your guest/date know about the dress code.