

Power Policy FAQs

- **Are our students allowed to carry their backpacks around during school hours?**

We ask that students *do not* carry their backpacks or large bags around during the school day. They should be stored in the locker before school starts and retrieved at the end of the day. The only exception is a small backpack or bag for PE clothing. We will work with students to ensure that they have enough time and proper planning to gather their materials between classes and arrive on time.

- **Are our students allowed to wear hats during the school day?**

We do not allow hats or head coverings of any kind during the day. If a student wears a hat to school, it must be stored in the locker during the day and may be retrieved after the final dismissal bell. The only exception to this rule is head coverings worn for religious purposes.

- **Are our students allowed to wear coats during the school day?**

We would like all coats and jackets to remain in lockers during the day. They should be placed in lockers at the beginning of the day and retrieved after the final bell.

- **What is the Power tardy policy for students?**

For the first and second tardy to the same class, the teacher will have a discussion with the student about the behavior. After a student is tardy to the same class three times, the teacher will contact the student's parents to make them aware of the behavior. The student will also meet with one of the administrators to develop a plan to change the behavior. After the fourth tardy, the student will be assigned a lunch or after school detention. After the fifth violation, a parent meeting will be scheduled.

- **What is the Power Personal Technology Policy?**

Please see "Personal Technology Policy" link on the Power website.

- **What is the dress code at Power?**

Please see "Power Dress Code" link on the Power website.