

## **15.0 DRESS CODE**

Students should dress appropriately for all program activities. Upward Bound guidelines for dress code are as follows (adapted from West Ottawa Public Schools Dress Code). UB Staff will determine consequences if any clothing items are inappropriate.

- No bare back shirts.
- No bare midriffs (A bare midriff is defined as when a student raises arms above his/her head and his/her stomach shows.)
- No shirts with spaghetti straps. The recommended width of straps is 2 inches.
- No visible underwear.
- No skin-tight clothing.
- Skirts and dresses are to be long enough to touch to the tip of the middle finger when the arm is fully extended.
- No cleavage.
- No sleeveless shirts for fellows.
- No transparent (see through) clothing.
- No hats or bandanas are to be worn in class or other designated activities.
- No clothing that displays inappropriate language or sexual content or promotes alcohol or drug use.

