

Clear Backpack FAQ Sheet

Question:

Are mesh backpacks allowed?

Answer:

No. Mesh backpacks are not allowed. Students are permitted to only use clear backpacks (see example).



Mesh backpack not permitted.



Example of permitted clear backpack.

Question:

Can the backpack have mesh pockets on the sides?

Answer:

Yes. Mesh side pockets are allowed on the backpack (see example).



Example of clear backpack with mesh side pockets.

Question:

Are transparent colored backpacks allowed?

Answer:

No. Colored, transparent backpacks are not allowed (see example). Only fully clear backpacks.



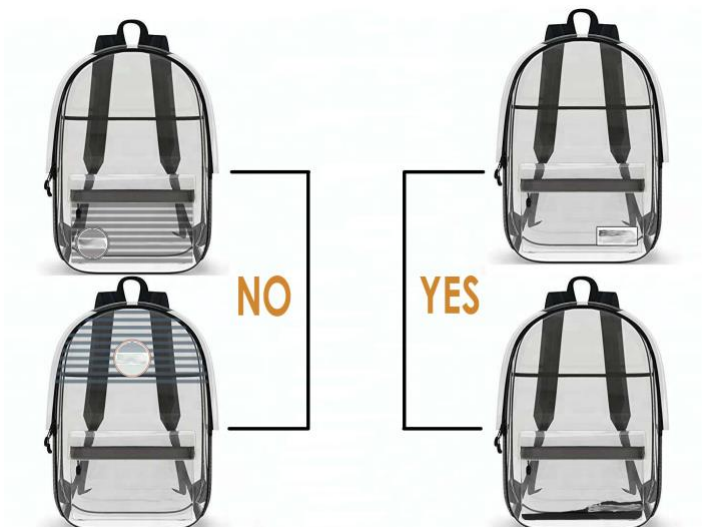
Example of colored transparent backpacks that ARE NOT allowed.

Question:

Are stripes allowed to be on the backpack?

Answer:

No. Stripes in any location are not allowed on the backpack (see example).



Backpacks with stripes on the left are not permitted.

Question:

Can the backpack have colored straps?

Answer:

Yes. The backpack may have colored straps (see example).



Colored strap backpacks ARE allowed.

Question:

Are company or trademarked logos allowed on the front of the backpack?

Answer:

Small company logos are allowed, but large logos obstructing a large portion of backpack are not (see example).



Large logos on backpacks are NOT permitted.



Small logos on backpacks are acceptable.

Question:

Will athletic/spirit bags and instrument cases, which are not clear, be allowed on campus?

Answer:

Yes. However, these bags must be stored as soon as the student arrives at school. They must be placed in lockers, or secured in Fine Arts classrooms or athletic locker rooms as designated by their instructors.

Question:

What are the size specifications for the backpack?

Answer:

There are no size specifications.

Question: Are messenger bags or other book bags allowed?

Answer: Yes, as long as they are clear.

Question: What about other items?

Answer: The clear backpack policy only pertains to the backpack itself. Other items, such as pencil boxes, notebooks, binders, glasses cases, laptop bags, lunch bags, pouches for makeup or other personal belongings are all still permitted.

Question:

Can the backpack have mesh pockets on the front?

Answer:

No. Mesh pockets are not allowed on the outside front of the backpack. Mesh pockets can be on the inside of the backpack. (ex. Compartments for pens/pencils)

