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## **Chapter 1 - PROCUREMENT OF UNIFORMS**

### **1.0. OUTFIT**

1. Midshipmen will be issued the bulk of their initial outfit of uniforms by the USNA Store and/or the Uniform Store during fourth class year. The cost of the uniforms/uniform items will be charged against each midshipman's pay account.
2. Before final acceptance of the original outfit by midshipmen, all uniforms requiring proper fit will be inspected by the Company Officer or his/her representative. Uniform articles will not be marked or stenciled before this inspection, as marked/stenciled uniforms will not be exchanged by the Uniform Store.
3. Various mandatory issues of uniforms will be conducted for midshipmen throughout their four years to ensure that sharpness of uniform appearance is maintained.

### **1.05. REPLACEMENT AND MAINTENANCE OF UNIFORMS**

1. Midshipmen shall purchase all uniform articles from the Uniform Store and/or USNA Store.
2. Repairing, striping, or altering uniforms will only be done by the Midshipmen Tailor Shop or specified contracted vendor.

### **1.10. DISPOSAL OF UNIFORMS**

1. Exchange of uniforms between midshipmen either by trade or sale is prohibited unless approval is obtained with a special request form to the Officer Inspector of Uniforms via the Company Officer and Repair Tailor Shop.
2. All involuntarily separated midshipmen are required to turn in all items of military clothing to the Officer Inspector of Uniforms as part of their check out procedures.

**1.15. REMOVAL OF INSIGNIA.** Sewn-on insignia are the property of the Midshipmen Tailor Shop and must be removed from midshipmen uniforms before graduation. First class midshipmen will be charged for the cost of any insignia not returned. Insignia may be removed any time before commissioning week to avoid delay. Specific times for removal of insignia(s) will be published via SEPCOR.

**1.20. MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS.** Midshipmen shall maintain the minimum serviceable outfit of uniforms and uniform accessories as listed under quantity required. (Fourth Class midshipmen are required to have items by the scheduled initial issue dates.) Borrowing or lending uniforms among midshipmen is not authorized.

<b><u>UNIFORM</u></b> <b><u>ITEMS</u></b>	<b><u>QUANTITY</u></b> <b><u>ISSUED</u></b>	<b><u>QUANTITY</u></b> <b><u>REQUIRED</u></b>
Bag, Sea Bag, green	1	1
Bag, cordura, laundry bag	2	0
Bag, dry cleaning, blue	2	1
Bag, laundry, orange net	2	0
Bag, laundry, personal	2	0
Bag, laundry, white net	2	0
Bag, sock, black	2	0
Bag, sock, white	2	0
Belt, black	1	1
Belt, khaki, cotton web	1	1
Belt, khaki, poly/wool	1	1 (with p/w khakis)
Belt, white, CNT	2	1 (or cotton web)
Blouse, camouflage, utilities	3	1
Brassieres	6*	6*
Buckles, belt, brass	2	2
Cap, combination, complete	2	1
Cap cover, white, vinyl	1*	0*
Cap, camouflage, utilities	1	1
Cap, khaki, garrison, poly/wool	2	1 (or wash khaki)
Coveralls	1	1 (2/C, 3/C, 4/C only)
Cuffs links (pr)	1	1
Cummerbund, gold	1	1
Gloves, black leather (pr)	1	1
Gloves, white, dot (pr)	2	1
Gloves, white, stretch (pr)	2	1
Hat, blue rim	2***	2***(plebe summer)
Hosiery, flesh tones	2*	1*
Insignia	as req	as req
Jacket, Dinner Dress Blue	1	1
Jacket, Dinner Dress White	1	1 (1/C & 2/C only)
Jacket, Full Dress	1	1
Jacket, Black Relaxed Fit	1	1
Jersey, Athletic (reversible)	2	0
Jogging Suit (Blue & Gold)	2	1
Jumper, white works	4	1
Name badges	4	2
Neckerchief	2***	2***(plebe summer)
Necktab, black	2*	2*
Necktab, cross over formal	1*	1*
Necktie, bow, black (formal)	1**	1**
Necktie, four-in-hand	3**	2**
Overcoat	1	1
Raincoat (all Wx coat w/ pouch)	1	1
Reefer	1	1

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Scarf, white	1	1
Shirt, utility blue	2	1 (3/C & 4/C only)
Shirt, khaki, p/wool or wash (S/S)	2	2 (2/C, 3/C, 4/C only)
Shirt, S/S blue drill	3	2
Shirt, Summer White (CNT)	4	2 (or cotton)
Shirt, white (long sleeve)	3**	2**
Shirt, white (long sleeve)	3*	2*
Shirt, white dress, ruffle (formal)	2	1
Shirt, Winter Blue (long sleeve)	3	2
Shoes, running (pr)	1	1
Shoes, court shoes, white (pr)	1	1
Shoes, shower	1	0
Shoes, black corfam (pr)	1	1
Shoes, black leather (pr)	2	1
Shoes, black pump (pr)	1*	1*
Shoes, black, steel toe (pr)	1	1 (2/C, 3/C, 4/C only)
Shoes, combat boots	1	1
Shoes, white pump (pr)	1*	1*
Shoes, white low (pr)	1	1
Shoulder boards, hard (pr)	1	1
Shoulder boards, hard, formal (pr)	1*	1*
Shoulder boards, soft (pr)	1	1
Skirt, blue formal	1*	1*
Skirt, Summer White (CNT)	1*	1* (or cotton)
Skirt, Service Dress White (CNT)	1*	1*
Socks, athletic (pr)	18	6
Socks, black (pr)	12	6
Socks, combat, black (pr)	9	1
Socks, white, dress (pr)	6	3
Stud set	1**	1**
Suspenders	1**	1**
Sweatpants	2	0
Sweatshirts, crew neck	1	0
Sweatshirts, hooded	1	0
Swimsuit	1	1
T-shirt, blue rim	18	4
Tie clasp	1**	1**
Towels, bath	6	2
Trousers, blue drill	5	2
Trousers, camouflage, utilities	3	1
Trousers, blue utility	2	1 (3/C & 4/C only)
Trousers, Full Dress Blue	1	1
Trousers, Infantry, white	1	1
Trousers, khaki, poly/wool or wash	2	2 (2/C, 3/C, 4/C only)
Trousers, Summer White (CNT)	4	2 (or cotton)
Trousers, White Works	4	1
Trunks, gym	6	2
Undershirts, crew neck	6	2
Undershirts, crew neck, brown	6	1
Undershirts, v-neck	6	6
Undershorts/Underpants	15	7
Uniform, Service Dress Blue	2	2
Uniform, Service Dress Blue, skirt	1*	1*

Uniform, Service Dress White	1	1
Watch Cap, Black Knit	1	0
Shirt, Blue SS Collared USNA emblem	2****	1****
Trousers, Khaki Long Dress	1****	1****
Shorts, Khaki Dress	1****	1****
Blazer, Blue w/ USNA emblem	1****	1****
Shirt, White LS Dress	1****	1****
Trousers, Gray Dress	1****	1****
Necktie, USNA style civilian (men)	1****	1****
USNA Leisure (new warm-up suit)	1****	1****

- \* Women only
- \*\* Men only
- \*\*\* Fourth Class only
- \*\*\*\* Future Issue/Sea bag requirement

**1.25. MIDSHIPMEN UNIFORM ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

1. The Midshipmen Uniform Advisory Committee serves as an advisory group to the Commandant of Midshipmen. The committee is a focal point for the development of midshipmen uniform policy. The committee also serves the function of providing a board so that changes to the uniform regulations can be offered and evaluated. The committee will meet periodically to review uniform policies and issues.

2. Membership of the committee is as follows:

- Officer Advisor (Battalion Officer)
- Midshipmen Supply Officer
- USNA Store Representative
- Officer Inspector of Uniforms
- Uniform Manager
- Aptitude Officer
- Brigade Supply Officer (Chairman)
- Regimental Operations Officers
- One Midshipmen Representative from Each Class per Regiment  
(At least 2 midshipmen representatives will be female)

3. The Midshipmen Uniform Advisory Committee will elect a recorder at the first meeting of the Academic year. Minutes of the meetings will be forwarded to all members and copies retained for historical purposes by the Chairman as a turnover item for his/her relief. Recommendations from the committee will be forwarded to the Commandant of Midshipmen via the Officer Advisor for final approval. Once approved, changes will be promulgated via e-mail to the Brigade and entered in the next revision of this instruction.

## Chapter 2

### DESCRIPTION OF UNIFORMS

#### 2.0. MARKING UNIFORMS

1. Articles of clothing issued by or purchased from the USNA Store shall be legibly marked with owner's last name and alpha number. Markings shall be made with a ½ inch stencil. If garment labels are provided, the name and alpha number shall be legibly printed.

2. Clothing and accessories shall be marked as indicated below. Where the words "right" and "left" appear, it shall be taken to mean the wearer's "right" or "left." The name and alpha number on all articles when properly rolled or laid out for sea bag inspections will appear upright to the inspecting officer.

a. Cap, Combination. Name and alpha code will be on the name plate in the top of the cap.

b. Sea Bag. Name and alpha code will be along the carrying strap on the outer side opposite of the carrying strap, around the bag about one foot from the top.

c. Gloves. Alpha code only on the inside near the top.

d. Jacket, Black Relaxed Fit. On designated name plates on both the coat and lining.

e. Raincoat. On designated name plates.

f. Shirt, Blue. Name and alpha code on name plates in collar and on tail of shirt.

g. Shirt (SDB, Summer White, Khaki, Dungaree). Alpha code on neck band of collar with name and alpha code on name plate on the tail of shirt.

h. Socks. Alpha code on foot.

i. Sweatshirts. Alpha code on back 1" from top.

j. Sweatpants. Alpha code on waistband.

k. Towels, Bath. Alpha code on the right corner of the hem, parallel to the end.

l. Trousers (Summer White, Blues, Khaki, Dungaree). Name and Alpha code on waistband.

m. Undershirts. Alpha code on inside of the front, 1" from the bottom of the shirt and at right of the center.

n. Undershorts/Underpants. Alpha code on the outside of the right half of the waistband, or immediately underneath the waistband.

## **2.05. HEADGEAR**

1. General. The midshipmen cover is an integral part of the uniform and is to be worn, not carried.

a. Indoor Wear. Covers should not be worn indoors except when on watch and during indoor formations. Midshipmen shall remove covers (to include ballcap/watch cap) when transiting public spaces inside buildings, such as passageways.

(1) Midshipmen standing a formal watch shall normally remain covered and only uncover in areas where food is being served, such as King Hall at mealtime, in Memorial Hall, and where religious services are being conducted.

(2) Midshipmen shall always uncover where decorum or intimacy indicates, such as in private quarters, offices, elevators, in spaces where food is being served, where religious services are in progress, in churches, in Memorial and Smoke Halls, and Steerage. Midshipmen shall uncover and stow their covers when proper stowage is provided, e.g. the cloakroom in Alumni Hall, coat hooks in academic buildings, the hat bins outside the USNA store, etc.

b. Outdoor Wear. Outdoors, personnel remain covered at all times unless ordered to uncover, or during religious services not associated with a military ceremony. Personnel remain covered during invocations or other religious military ceremonies such as changes of command, commissioning ceremonies, and launchings, and military burials, etc. The chaplain conducting a religious ceremony will guide participants following the customs of the church. Personnel on crutches shall be covered outside and handle their covers once indoors in accordance with paragraph 2 above. Midshipmen shall normally be covered outdoors when wearing dinner dress since they are usually pedestrians and are outside for longer than a brief moment.

c. Special Circumstances. Midshipmen may remove their cover when traveling inside a private automobile off base. A cover is mandatory when entering or within the Navy Academy Yard, unless wearing the cap is impractical or hazardous.

2. Combination Cap

a. Insignia. On the combination cap shall be a gold pin-on fouled anchor 1 13/16 inches in length attached to the mount of the cap band, unfouled arm of the stock shall be to the wearer's right.

b. Chin Strap. Shall be 3/8 inch wide faced with gold lace and secured at each end by Navy eagle gilt buttons.

c. Manner of Wear. Worn squarely on the head, bottom edge horizontal approximately 1 and 1/2 inches above the eyebrows.

3. Garrison Cap

a. Insignia. Shall be a gold metal fouled anchor 1 1/16 inches in length pinned to the left side of the cap in an upright position centered 2 inches from the front seam.

b. Manner of Wear. Worn squarely on the head with the fore and aft crease centered vertically between the eyebrows with the lowest point 1 inch above the eyebrows.

4. White Hat (Dixie Cup)

a. Description. Made of white cotton twill with rounded crown and blue rim.

b. Manner of Wear. Worn squarely on the head, the lower front edge 1 1/2 inches above the eyebrows. Shall not be crushed or bent in the middle.

5. Religious Headgear. Midshipmen are authorized to wear an item of religious apparel (e.g., yarmulke, kuffi) while in uniform (to include while indoors) so long as it does not interfere with the performance of their military duties and it is neat and conservative in appearance. Items should be a single solid color (preferably black for yarmulke and white for kuffi) and shall not be visible while under cove

2.10. DINNER DRESS BLUE JACKET

a. MEN



(1) Required: Section

Blue Dinner Dress Jacket	4.0
White Dress Shirt with Turndown Collar	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Blue Dress Trousers	4.0
Black Dress Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
Gold Cuff Links	
Black Bow Tie	
Gold Studs	
Miniature Medals	3.10
Shoulder Boards	3.5
Miniature Metal Breast Insignia	3.15

(2) Prescribable:

Overcoat	2.125/4.0
Raincoat	2.145/4.0
White Gloves	4.0

(3) Optional:

White Suspenders

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Winter Formal Social Events

**2.10. DINNER DRESS BLUE JACKET**

b. WOMEN



(1) Required: Section

Blue Dinner Dress Jacket	4.0
White Dress Shirt	4.0
Blue Formal Skirt	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Shoes, Formal, Black Pump (fabric)	4.0
Flesh Tone Hosiery	
Gold Cummerbund	
Black Formal Necktie	
Miniature Medals	3.10
Shoulder Boards (hard)	3.5
Miniature Metal Breast Insignia	3.15

(2) Prescribable:

Overcoat	2.125/4.0
Raincoat	2.145/4.0
White Gloves	4.0

(3) Optional:

Shoes, Formal, Black Flat (fabric)  
\*\*Shoes, Dress, Black Pump (corfam)  
Black Formal Handbag  
Gold Ball/Pearl Earrings

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Winter Formal Social Events

\*\*Only Optional for Classes of 2003  
through 2006 if not issued Formal  
Black Pump (fabric)

**2.15. DINNER DRESS BLUE**

a. MEN



(1) Required: Section

Blue Service Dress Coat	4.0
White Long Sleeve Shirt	4.0
Blue Dress Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Dress Shoes	4.0
Black Bow Tie	
Brass Belt, Black W/Gold Clip	4.0
Miniature Medals	3.10
Miniature Metal Breast Insignia	3.15

(2) Prescribable:

Overcoat	2.125/4.0
Raincoat	2.145/4.0
White Gloves	4.0

(3) Optional:

Gold Cuff Links

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Winter Formal Social Events  
by those midshipmen who have not  
received Dinner Dress Blue  
Jacket

**2.15. DINNER DRESS BLUE**

b. WOMEN



(1) Required: Section

Blue Service Dress Coat	4.0
White Long Sleeve Shirt	4.0
Blue Unbelted Skirt	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Shoes, Dress, Black Pump (leather/corfam)	4.0
Flesh Tone Hosiery	
Slip	
Black Necktab	4.0
Miniature Medals	3.10
Shoulder Boards (hard)	3.5
Miniature Metal Breast Insignia	3.15

(2) Prescribable:

Overcoat	2.125/4.0
Raincoat	2.145/4.0
White Gloves	4.0

(3) Optional:

Black Formal Handbag  
Gold Ball/Pearl Earrings

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Winter Formal Social Events  
by those midshipmen who have not  
received Dinner Dress Blue  
Jacket

**2.20. DINNER DRESS WHITE JACKET**

a. MEN



(1) Required: Section

White Dinner Dress Jacket	4.0
White Dress Shirt with Turndown Collar	4.0
Blue Dress Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Dress Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
Gold Cuff Links	
Gold Cummerbund	
Black Bow Tie	
Gold Studs	
Miniature Medals	3.10
Shoulder Boards (hard)	3.5
Miniature Metal Breast Insignia	3.15

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	2.145/4.0
White Gloves	4.0

(3) Optional:

White Suspenders

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Summer Formal Social Events

**2.20. DINNER DRESS WHITE JACKET**

b. WOMEN



(1) Required: Section

White Dinner Dress Jacket	4.0
White Dress Shirt	4.0
Blue Formal Skirt	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Shoes, Formal, Black Pump (fabric)	4.0
Flesh Tone Hosiery	
Gold Cummerbund	4.0
Black Formal Necktie	
Miniature Medals	3.10
Shoulder Boards (hard)	3.5
Miniature Metal Breast Insignia	3.15

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	2.145/4.0
White Gloves	4.0

(3) Optional:

Shoes, Formal, Black Flat (fabric)  
\*\*Shoes, Dress, Black Pump (corfam)  
Black Formal Handbag  
Gold Ball/Pearl Earrings

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Summer Formal Social Events

\*\*Only Optional for Classes of 2003 through 2006 if not issued Formal Black Pump (fabric)

**2.25. FULL DRESS BLUE**

a. MEN



(1) Required: Section

Full Dress Blue Jacket	4.0
Full Dress Blue (high waist) Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Dress Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
Collar Anchors	3.0
White Gloves	4.0
Large Medals	3.10
Metal Breast Insignia	3.15
White Cuff or white piping	
White Collar or white piping	
Gold Cuff Links (w/cuffs only)	

(2) Prescribable:

Overcoat	2.125/4.0
Raincoat	2.145/4.0
Sword	3.75

(3) Optional:

White Suspenders

(4) Occasions for Wear:

When prescribed

**2.25. FULL DRESS BLUE**

b. WOMEN



(1) Required: Section

Full Blue Dress Jacket	4.0
Full Dress Blue (high waist) Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Flat Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
Collar Anchors	3.0
White Gloves	4.0
Large Medals	3.10
Metal Breast Insignia	3.15
White Cuff or white piping	
White Collar or white piping	
Gold Cuff Links (w/cuffs only)	

(2) Prescribable:

Overcoat	2.125/4.0
Raincoat	2.145/4.0
Sword	3.75

(3) Optional:

White Suspenders  
Black Handbag

(4) Occasions for Wear:

When prescribed

**2.30. FULL DRESS WHITE**

a. MEN



(1) Required: Section

Service Dress White Coat	4.0
Service Dress White Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
White Shoes	4.0
White Socks	
Gold Buttons	
White Gloves	4.0
Large Medals	3.10
Shoulder Boards	3.5
Metal Breast Insignia	3.15

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	2.145/4.0
Sword	3.75

(3) Optional:

None

(4) Occasions for Wear:

When prescribed

**2.30. FULL DRESS WHITE**

b. WOMEN



(1) Required: Section

Service Dress White Coat	4.0
White Long Sleeve Shirt with Soft Shoulder Boards	4.0
Service Dress White (unbelted) Skirt	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
White Pump Shoes	4.0
Flesh Tone Hosiery	
Black Necktab Tie	
Gold Buttons	
White Gloves	4.0
Large Medals	3.10
Shoulder Boards (Hard)	3.5
Metal Breast Insignia	3.15

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	2.145/4.0
Sword	3.75

(3) Optional:

White Handbag	
White Short Sleeve Shirt	

(4) Occasions for Wear:

When prescribed

**2.35. SERVICE DRESS BLUE**

a. MEN



(1) Required: Section

Service Dress Blue Coat	4.0
White Long Sleeve Shirt with Soft Shoulder Boards	4.0
Service Dress Blue Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Dress Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
Black Four-in-Hand Necktie	4.0
Black Web Belt	4.0
Name Tag	3.75
Ribbons	3.10
Metal Breast Insignia	3.15
Lapel Anchors	3.0

(2) Prescribable:

Overcoat	2.125/4.0
Raincoat	2.145/4.0
Reefer	2.130
White Gloves	4.0
Sword	3.75
Black Gloves	

(3) Optional:

Gold Cuff Links

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Uniform of the Day, Winter Season  
Evening Meal Formation, Evening Meal  
Appointments with the Superintendent  
or Commandant  
Striper, Academic, or Performance  
Boards  
Sporting Events in the Yard or Navy-  
Marine Corps Memorial Stadium  
Liberty, Chapel Services  
Departing and returning from leave on  
public or military transportation  
Restriction Muster  
When prescribed

**2.35. SERVICE DRESS BLUE**

b. WOMEN



(1) Required: Section

Service Dress Blue Coat	4.0
White Long Sleeve Shirt with Soft Shoulder Boards	4.0
Service Dress Blue (unbelted) Slacks	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Shoes, Service, Black (leather/corfam)	4.0
Black Socks	
Black Necktab Tie	4.0
Name Tag	3.80
Ribbons	3.10
Metal Breast Insignia	3.15
Lapel Anchors	3.0

(2) Prescribable:

Overcoat	2.125/4.0
Raincoat	2.145/4.0
Reefer	2.130
White Gloves	4.0
Sword	3.75
Gray/Black Gloves	
Black Unbelted Skirt w/ Black Dress Pump Shoes (leather/corfam) and Flesh Tone Hose	4.0

(3) Optional:

Black Handbag  
White Short Sleeve Shirt

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Uniform of the Day, Winter Season  
Evening Meal Formation, Evening Meal  
Appointments with the Superintendent  
or Commandant  
Striper, Academic, or Performance  
Boards  
Sporting Events in the Yard or Navy-  
Marine Corps Memorial Stadium  
Liberty, Chapel Services  
Departing and returning from leave on  
public or military transportation

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Restriction Muster  
When prescribed

**2.40. SERVICE DRESS WHITE**

a. MEN



(1) Required: Section

Service Dress White Coat	4.0
Service Dress White Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
White Shoes	4.0
White Socks	
Gold Buttons	
Name Tag	3.80
Ribbons	3.10
Shoulder Boards	3.5
Metal Breast Insignia	3.15

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	2.145/4.0
Sword	3.75
White Gloves	4.0

(3) Optional:

None

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Chapel Services (Commissioning Week)  
Commissioning Week Sunday Noon Meal  
Formation  
Graduation Ceremonies (graduating  
class)  
When prescribed



**2.45. SUMMER WHITE**

a. MEN



(1) Required: Section

Summer White Shirt	4.0
Summer White Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
White Shoes	4.0
White Socks	
White Belt	4.0
Brass Belt Buckle	4.0
Ribbons	3.10
Metal Breast Insignia	3.15
Shoulder Boards (Hard)	3.5
Name Tag	3.80

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	2.145/4.0
Jacket, Black Relaxed Fit	2.135/4.0
Sword	3.75

(3) Optional:

None

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Uniform of the Day, Summer  
Evening Meal Formation, Evening Meal  
Appointments with the Superintendent  
or Commandant  
Striper, Academic, or Performance  
Boards  
Sporting Events in the Yard or Navy-  
Marine Corps Memorial Stadium  
Restriction Muster, Liberty  
Chapel Services  
Commissioning Week Events  
Graduation Ceremony (underclass only)  
Departing and returning from leave on  
public or military transportation  
When prescribed

**2.45. SUMMER WHITE**

b. WOMEN



(1) Required: Section

Summer White Shirt	4.0
Summer White (white belted) Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
White Flat Shoes	4.0
White Socks	
White Belt	4.0
Brass Belt Buckle	4.0
Ribbons	3.10
Metal Breast Insignia	3.15
Shoulder Boards (Hard)	3.5
Name Tag	3.80

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	2.145/4.0
Jacket, Black Relaxed Fit	2.135/4.0
Sword	3.75

(3) Optional:

White Handbag	
White Belted Skirt w/Flesh Tone Hose and White Pump Shoes	4.0

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Uniform of the Day, Summer  
Evening Meal Formation, Evening  
Meal  
Appointments with the  
Superintendent or Commandant  
Striper, Academic, or Performance  
Boards  
Sporting Events in the Yard or  
Navy-Marine Corps Memorial  
Stadium  
Restriction Muster, Liberty  
Chapel Services  
Commissioning Week Events  
Graduation Ceremony (underclass only)  
Departing and returning from leave  
on public or military transportation  
When prescribed

**2.50. WINTER BLUE**

a. MEN



(1) Required: Section

Long Sleeve Blue Drill Shirt	4.0
Heavyweight Blue Drill Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
Cloth Name Badge	3.80
Black Belt	4.0
Brass Belt Buckle	4.0
Black Four-in-Hand Necktie	4.0
Collar Class/Rank Insignia	3.5
Metal Breast Insignia	3.15

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	
2.145/4.0	
Reefer	
2.130/4.0	
Jacket, Black Relaxed Fit	2.135/4.0
Sweater, Black V-Neck	2.140/4.0
Sword	3.75

(3) Optional:

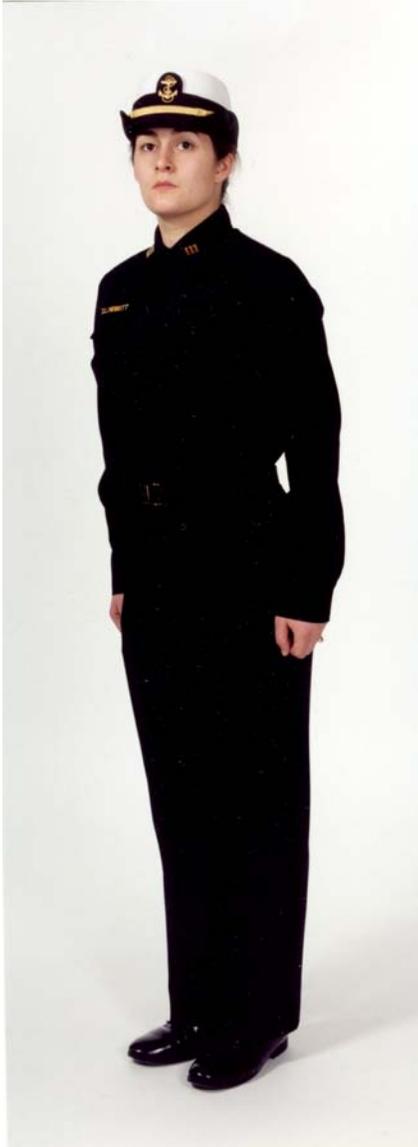
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(4) Occasions for Wear:

Winter Uniform Period  
Classes  
EI Sessions  
Morning Quarters and Noon Meal  
Formations  
PEP Rallies  
Appointments with Company and  
Battalion Officers

2.50. WINTER BLUE

b. WOMEN



(1) Required: Section

Long Sleeve Blue Drill Shirt	4.0
Heavyweight Blue Drill Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Flat Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
Cloth Name Badge	3.80
Black Belt	4.0
Brass Belt Buckle	4.0
Black Bow Tie	4.0
Collar Class/Rank Insignia	3.5
Metal Breast Insignia	3.15

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	2.145/4.0
Reefer	2.130/4.0
Jacket, Black Relaxed Fit	2.135/4.0
Sweater, Black V-Neck	2.140/4.0
Sword	3.75

(3) Optional:

Black Handbag

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Winter Uniform Period  
Classes  
EI Sessions  
Morning Quarters and Noon Meal  
Formations  
PEP Rallies  
Appointments with Company and  
Battalion Officers

**2.55. SUMMER BLUE**

a. MEN



(1) Required: Section

Short Sleeve Blue Drill Shirt	4.0
Lightweight Blue Drill Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
Cloth Name Badge	3.80
Black Belt	4.0
Brass Belt Buckle	4.0
Black Four-in-Hand Necktie	4.0
Collar Class/Rank Insignia	3.5
Metal Breast Insignia	3.15

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	
2.145/4.0	
Jacket, Black Relaxed Fit	2.135/4.0
Sweater, Black V-Neck	2.140/4.0
Sword	3.75

(3) Optional:

None

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Summer Uniform Period  
Academic Year Classes  
EI Sessions  
Morning Quarters and Noon Meal Formations  
PEP Rallies  
Appointments with Company and Battalion Officers

2.55. SUMMER BLUE

b. WOMEN



(1) Required: Section

Short Sleeve Blue Drill Shirt	4.0
Lightweight Blue Drill Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Flat Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
Cloth Name Badge	3.80
Black Belt	4.0
Brass Belt Buckle	4.0
Collar Class/Rank Insignia	3.5
Metal Breast Insignia	3.15

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	
2.145/4.0	
Jacket, Black Relaxed Fit	2.135/4.0
Sweater, Black V-Neck	2.140/4.0
Sword	3.75

(3) Optional:

Black Handbag

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Summer Uniform Period  
Academic Year Classes  
EI Sessions  
Morning Quarters and Noon Meal Formations  
PEP Rallies  
Appointments with Company and Battalion Officers

**2.60. WORKING KHAKI**

a. MEN



(1) Required: Section

Khaki Shirt (cotton or <b>poly/wool</b> )	4.0
Khaki Trousers (cotton or <b>poly/wool</b> )	4.0
Khaki Combination Cap	2.5
Black Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
Name Tag	3.80
Khaki Web Belt	4.0
Brass Belt Buckle	4.0
Class/Rank Insignia	3.5
Metal Breast Insignia	3.15

(2) Prescribable:

Khaki Garrison Cap	2.5
Sword	3.75
Raincoat	2.145/4.0
Sweater, Black V-Neck	2.140

(3) Optional:

None

(4) Occasions for Wear:

When prescribed for Summer Cruise, Plebe Summer Detailers, Summer Training Programs and Summer School Classes.

2.60. WORKING KHAKI

b. WOMEN



(1) Required: Section

Khaki Shirt (cotton or <b>poly/wool</b> )	4.0
Khaki Trousers (cotton or <b>poly/wool</b> )	4.0
Khaki Combination Cap	2.5
Black Flat Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
Name Tag	3.80
Khaki Web Belt	4.0
Brass Belt Buckle	4.0
Class/Rank Insignia	3.5
Metal Breast Insignia	3.15

(2) Prescribable:

Khaki Garrison Cap	2.5
Raincoat	2.145/4.0
Sword	3.75
Sweater, Black V-Neck	2.140

(3) Optional:

Black Handbag

(4) Occasions for Wear:

When prescribed for Summer Cruise, Plebe Summer Detailers, Summer Training Programs, and Summer School Classes.

**2.65. CAMOUFLAGE UTILITIES**  
(Men and Women)



(1) <u>Required:</u>	<u>Section</u>
Camouflage Utility Cap	4.0
Camouflage Utility Jacket	4.0
Class/Rank Insignia	3.5
Name Tag	4.0
Metal Breast Insignia	3.15
Camouflage Utility Trouser	4.0
Khaki Web Belt	4.0
Brass Belt Buckle	4.0
Brown Undershirt	4.0
Combat Boot	4.0

(2) Prescribable:

None

(3) Optional:

Boot Blousers

(4) Occasions for Wear:

When directed for specific training or evolutions.

Marine Corps Capstone Course  
Instructors have the option of requiring first class to wear utilities to class. If so, they will be worn to class only and will not be worn to formations or inspections.

**2.70. WHITE WORKS ALPHA**

a. MEN



(1) Required: Section

White Works Jumper	4.0
White Works Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
White Crew Neck Undershirt	
Black Neckerchief	4.0
Name Tag	3.80

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	2.145/4.0
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(3) Optional:

None

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Plebe Summer Meal Formations  
(Fourth Class)  
Plebe Summer per OINC Fourth  
Class Regiment

**2.70. WHITE WORKS ALPHA**

b. WOMEN



(1) Required: Section

White Works Jumper	4.0
White Works Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
White Crew Neck Undershirt	
Black Neckerchief	4.0
Name Tag	3.80

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	2.145/4.0
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(3) Optional:

Black Handbag

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Plebe Summer Meal Formations  
(Fourth Class)  
Plebe Summer per OINC Fourth  
Class Regiment

**2.75. WHITE WORKS CHARLIE**

a. MEN



(1) Required: Section

White Works Jumper	4.0
White Works Trousers	4.0
Blue Rim White Hat	2.5
Black Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
White Crew Neck Undershirt	
Name Tag	3.80

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	2.145/4.0
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(3) Optional:

None

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Plebe Summer for Midshipmen  
Fourth Class per OINC  
Fourth Class Regiment

**2.75. WHITE WORKS CHARLIE**

b. WOMEN



(1) Required: Section

White Works Jumper	4.0
White Works Trousers	4.0
Blue Rim White Hat	2.5
Black Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
White Crew Neck Undershirt	
Name Tag	3.80

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	2.145/4.0
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(3) Optional:

Black Handbag

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Plebe Summer for Midshipmen  
Fourth Class per OINC  
Fourth Class Regiment

**2.80. WHITE WORKS ECHO**  
(Men and Women)



(1) Required: Section

White Works Jumper	4.0
White Works Trousers	4.0
Blue Rim White Hat	2.5
Gym Shoes (Issued white court shoe only)	4.0
Athletic Socks (mid shin level)	
Blue Rim T-Shirt	
Name Tag	3.80

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	2.145/4.0
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(3) Optional:

Black Handbag (women)	4.0
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(4) Occasions for Wear:

Plebe Summer for Midshipmen  
Fourth Class per O-in-C,  
Fourth Class Regiment

**2.85. WHITE WORKS FOXTROT**

a. MEN



(1) Required: Section

White Works Jumper	4.0
White Works Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
White Crew Neck Undershirt	
Name Tag	3.80

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	2.145/4.0
Reefer	2.130/4.0

(3) Optional:

None

(4) Occasions for Wear:

To class when prescribed by  
the Commandant of Midshipmen

**2.85. WHITE WORKS FOXTROT**

b. WOMEN



(1) Required: Section

White Works Jumper	4.0
White Works Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Flat Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
White Crew Neck Undershirt	
Name Tag	3.80

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	2.145/4.0
Reefer	2.130/4.0

(3) Optional:

Black Handbag

(4) Occasions for Wear:

To class when prescribed by  
the Commandant of Midshipmen

**2.90. PHYSICAL EDUCATION WHITE**

a. MEN



(1) Required:  
Section

White Works Jumper	4.0
White Works Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Gym Shoes (Issued white court shoe or > 90% white conservative court shoe similar in appearance with markings in a neutral color of navy blue, black, or gray)	4.0
Athletic Socks (mid shin level or >)	
Blue Gym Shorts	
Blue Rim T-Shirt	
Name Tag	3.80

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	2.145/4.0
Reefer	2.130/4.0
Blue Rim White Hat (Plebe Summer only)	2.5

(3) Optional:

None

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Morning Quarters Formation, morning classes and personal activities, unless otherwise prescribed, when midshipman has Physical Education class that morning

Afternoon classes and personal activities until the beginning of the physical mission period, unless otherwise prescribed, when midshipman has Physical Education class that afternoon

When prescribed by Medical and approved by the Company Officer

**2.90. PHYSICAL EDUCATION WHITE**

b. WOMEN



(1) Required: Section

White Works Jumper	4.0
White Works Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Gym Shoes (Issued white court shoe or > 90% white conservative court shoe similar in appearance with markings in a neutral color of navy blue, black, or gray)	4.0
Athletic Socks (mid shin level or >)	
Blue Gym Shorts	
Blue Rim T-Shirt	
Name Tag	3.80

(2) Prescribable:

Raincoat	2.145/4.0
Reefer	2.130/4.0
Blue Rim White Hat (Plebe Summer only)	2.5

(3) Optional:

Black Handbag

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Morning Quarters Formation, morning classes and personal activities, unless otherwise prescribed, when midshipman has Physical Education class that morning  
Afternoon classes and personal activities until the beginning of the physical mission period, unless otherwise prescribed, when midshipman has Physical Education class that afternoon  
When prescribed by Medical and approved by the Company Officer

**2.95. INFANTRY DRESS BRAVO**

a. MEN



(1) <u>Required:</u>	<u>Section</u>
Blue Long Sleeve Drill Shirt	4.0
Heavyweight Blue Drill Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
White Gloves	4.0
Four-in-Hand Necktie	4.0
Class/Rank Collar Insignia	3.5
White Bayonet Belt	
(2) <u>Prescribable:</u>	
Bayonet with Scabbard, and Rifle or Sword	3.75
Reefer w/o Shoulder Boards	2.130
Jacket, Black Relaxed Fit	2.135
Sweater, Black V-Neck	2.140/4.0
(3) <u>Optional:</u>	
None	
(4) <u>Occasions for Wear:</u>	
Practice Parades	
Drill Practice	

**2.95. INFANTRY DRESS BRAVO**

b. WOMEN

(1) Required: Section



Blue Long Sleeve Drill Shirt	4.0
Blue Heavyweight Drill Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Flat Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
White Gloves	4.0
Black Bow Necktie	4.0
Class/Rank Collar Insignia	3.5
White Bayonet Belt	

(2) Prescribable:

Bayonet with Scabbard, and Rifle or Sword	3.75
Reefer w/o Shoulder Boards	2.130
Jacket, Black Relaxed Fit	2.135
Sweater, Black V-neck	2.140/4.0

(3) Optional:

None

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Practice Parades  
Drill Practice

2.100. INFANTRY DRESS FOXTROT

a. MEN



(1) Required: Section

Full Dress Blue Jacket	4.0
Blue High Rise Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
White Gloves	4.0
Collar Anchor Insignia	3.0
White Collar	
White Cuffs	
Gold Cuff Links	

(2) Prescribable:

White Bayonet Belt, Bayonet with Scabbard, and Rifle or Sword	3.75
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(3) Optional:

None

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Dress Parades (Except  
**Color** Parade)

**2.100. INFANTRY DRESS FOXTROT**

b. WOMEN



(1) Required: Section

Full Dress Blue Jacket	4.0
Blue High Rise Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Flat Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
White Gloves	4.0
Collar Anchor Insignia	3.0
White Collar	
White Cuffs	
Gold Cuff Links	

(2) Prescribable:

White Bayonet Belt, Bayonet with Scabbard, and Rifle or Sword	3.75
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(3) Optional:

None

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Dress Parades (Except  
**Color** Parade)

2.105. INFANTRY DRESS GOLF

a. MEN



(1) Required: Section

Full Dress Blue Jacket	4.0
White High Rise Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
White Gloves	4.0
Collar Anchor Insignia	3.0
White Collar	
White Cuffs	
Gold Cuff Links	

(2) Prescribable:

White Bayonet Belt, Bayonet with Scabbard, and Rifle or Sword	3.75
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(3) Optional:

None

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Color Parade

**2.105. INFANTRY DRESS GOLF**

b. WOMEN



(1) Required: Section

Full Dress Blue Jacket	4.0
White High Rise Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Flat Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
White Gloves	4.0
Collar Anchor Insignia	3.0
White Collar	
White Cuffs	
Gold Cuff Links	

(2) Prescribable:

White Bayonet Belt, Bayonet with Scabbard, and Rifle or Sword	3.75
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(3) Optional:

None

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Color Parade

2.110. INFANTRY DRESS HOTEL

a. MEN



(1) Required: Section

Blue Short Sleeve Drill Shirt	4.0
Blue Lightweight Drill Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
Class/Rank Collar Insignia	3.0

(2) Prescribable:

White Bayonet Belt, Bayonet with Scabbard, and Rifle or Sword	3.75
Jacket, Black Relaxed Fit	2.135
Sweater, Black V-Neck	2.140/4.0

(3) Optional:

None

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Practice Parades  
Drill Practice

2.110. INFANTRY DRESS HOTEL

b. WOMEN



(1) <u>Required:</u>	<u>Section</u>
Blue Short Sleeve Drill Shirt	4.0
Blue Lightweight Drill Trousers	4.0
White Combination Cap	2.5
Black Flat Shoes	4.0
Black Socks	
Class/Rank Collar Insignia	3.0
(2) <u>Prescribable:</u>	
White Bayonet Belt, Bayonet with Scabbard, and M-1 Rifle or Sword	3.75
Jacket, Black Relaxed Fit	2.135
Sweater, Black V-Neck	2.140/4.0
(3) <u>Optional:</u>	
None	
(4) <u>Occasions for Wear:</u>	
Practice Parades	
Drill Practice	

**2.115. PE GEAR**  
(Men and women)

(1) Required: Section

Blue Rim T-shirt with Name	4.15
Blue USNA Gym Shorts	
USNA Issue Gym Shoes	
Athletic Socks	4.15

(2) Prescribable:

Reversible Intramural Jersey

(3) Optional:

Running Shoes  
Gray USNA Sweatshirt  
Gray USNA Sweatpants  
Blue and Gold Jogging Suit 4.120  
Black Watch Cap or Navy Ball Cap  
Black Gloves

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Bancroft Hall living spaces and  
basement areas  
Outdoor Yard Liberty except:  
Tecumseh Court, Stribling Walk, and  
other ceremonial areas  
Intramural practices and competitions



**2.120. BLUE AND GOLD JOGGING SUIT**  
(Men and Women)



(1) <u>Required:</u>	<u>Section</u>
USNA Blue and Gold Jogging Suit	4.0
Blue Rim T-Shirt	4.15
Blue USNA Gym Shorts	
Athletic Shoes	4.0
Athletic Socks	4.15

(2) Prescribable:

Removal of Jacket/Pants (Commandant/Brigade Commander approval)

(3) Optional:

Black Watch Cap  
Navy related ball cap

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Bancroft Hall living spaces, basement areas, and Yard Liberty unless otherwise specified.  
Dahlgren Hall and Rotunda (after 1700).

Not Authorized in the following areas:  
USNA Store, Uniform Store, barber/beauty shops, Medical and Dental Facilities, Memorial Hall, King Hall (unless special event approval).  
Main Office, Academic buildings and Nimitz Hall prior to 1700.  
Ceremonial areas prior to evening colors.

Not authorized from Friday, 1200 until End of Liberty Formation, Sunday (or equivalent day during long weekends).  
Weekend exceptions: Authorized Sporting/spirit related events, ice skating in Dahlgren Hall, special events/activities (Company Officer/Officer Rep approval).  
Midshipmen shall use discretion while transiting to and from these events and shall not loiter enroute.

2.125. OVERCOAT

a. MEN



(1) Required: Section

Blue Overcoat	4.0
White Scarf	4.0
Black Gloves	4.0
Shoulder Boards (Hard)	3.5

(2) Prescribable:

White Gloves

(3) Optional:

None

(4) Occasions for Wear:

When prescribed

When weather conditions dictate with  
the following uniforms:

Dinner Dress Blue Jacket  
Dinner Dress Blue  
Full Dress Blue  
Service Dress Blue

**2.125. OVERCOAT**

b. WOMEN



(1) Required: Section

Blue Overcoat	4.0
White Scarf	4.0
Black Gloves	4.0
Shoulder Boards (Hard)	3.5

(2) Prescribable:

White Gloves

(3) Optional:

None

(4) Occasions for Wear:

When prescribed

When weather conditions dictate with  
the following uniforms:

Dinner Dress Blue Jacket  
Dinner Dress Blue  
Full Dress Blue  
Service Dress Blue

2.130. REEFER

a. MEN



(1) <u>Required:</u>	<u>Section</u>
Blue Reefer	4.0
Black Gloves	4.0
Shoulder Boards	3.5

(2) Prescribable:

None

(3) Optional:

None

(4) Occasions for Wear:

When prescribed

When weather conditions dictate with  
the following uniforms:

Winter Blue

White Works

Infantry Dress Bravo

Service Dress Blue on the Yard only  
except when on watch

2.130. REEFER

b. WOMEN



(1) <u>Required:</u>	<u>Section</u>
Blue Reefer	4.0
Black Gloves	4.0
Shoulder Boards	3.5

(2) Prescribable:

None

(3) Optional:

None

(4) Occasions for Wear:

When prescribed

When weather conditions dictate with the following uniforms:

Winter Blue

White Works

Infantry Dress Bravo

Service Dress Blue on the Yard only  
except when on watch

**2.135. JACKET, BLACK RELAXED FIT**  
(Men and Women)

<u>(1) Required:</u>	<u>Section</u>
Jacket, Black	4.0
Large Metal Shoulder Insignia	3.5

(2) Prescribable:

None

(3) Optional:

Black Gloves

(4) Occasions for Wear:

When weather conditions dictate with  
the following uniforms:

Winter Blue  
Summer Blue  
Summer White



**2.140. SWEATER, BLACK V-NECK**  
(Men and Women)

(1) <u>Required:</u>	<u>Section</u>
Sweater	4.0
Name Patch	3.80

(2) Prescribable:

None

c. Optional:

None

d. Occasions for Wear:

When directed

When no other outer garment required  
with the following uniforms:

Winter Blue

Summer Blue

Infantry Dress Bravo

Infantry Dress Hotel

When prescribed, over white shirts  
for informal hops, popular music  
concerts, ice skating, etc.



**2.145. RAINCOAT**  
(Men and Women)



<u>a. Required:</u>	<u>Section</u>
Raincoat	4.0
Large Metal Shoulder Insignia	3.5

b. Prescribable:

None

c. Optional:

Black Gloves

d. Occasions for Wear:

When weather conditions dictate with  
all USNA uniforms

**2.150. "N" SWEATER**  
(Men and Women)



a. Required: Section

"N" Sweater  
Service Dress Blue without  
Coat and **Combo Cover** 2.35

b. Prescribable:

None

c. Optional:

None

d. Occasions for Wear:

Monday through Friday for the following: sporting events in the Yard (white shirt only), PEP rallies, team send offs, and Army Week. Classes, inside formations and King Hall on Fridays. Members of teams participating in an Army/Navy competition during the coming weekend may wear the "N" sweater Monday through Friday of the preceding week.

**2.151. CLASS JACKET**  
(Men and Women)

a. Required: Section

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Class Jacket  
Service Dress Blue without  
Coat and **Combo Cover** 2.35

b. Prescribable:

None

c. Optional:

None

d. Occasions for Wear:

Monday through Friday for the following: sporting events in the Yard (white shirt only), PEP rallies, team send offs, and Army Week. Classes, inside formations and King Hall on Fridays.

**2.155. UNIFORM NOTES**

1. Skirts may be prescribed for attending Forrestal Lectures, professional receptions, and church or chapel. Plebe women will wear slacks to evening meal formation but have the option to wear skirts or slacks to town liberty or when departing on leave. Upperclass female midshipmen have the option of wearing skirts with SDB's on leave, liberty, evening meal formations and after 1800 when pants or skirts are not prescribed.

2. Unlike the overcoat, reefer, raincoat, or Ike jacket, the blouse for the Service Dress Blue (SDB) uniform is integral to the uniform. It is not a protective layer to be taken off when the wearer comes inside from out of doors or sits down in a social environment. Midshipmen shall wear their SDB blouses in King Hall and in the classrooms. Midshipmen shall not remove the SDB blouse in public (e.g., in restaurants, theaters, and other public or social settings). The SDB blouse can be removed in someone's room in their company area and when moving temporarily around or inside a company area, or in a private residence of a family member or sponsor. In the classrooms, the blouse shall be worn unless there is a lab, during which there could be damage to the blouse, and then the blouse can come off but only for that portion of the lab where it is impracticable to wear the blouse.

insert pic **2.160 MIDSHIPMEN CASUAL LONG**  
(Men and women)



(1) Required:

Blue Collared Shirt with Embroidered  
USNA Emblem (Issued only)  
Long Khaki Trousers (Issued only)  
Brown belt (conservative)  
Brown shoes (conservative)  
Brown Socks (conservative)

(2) Prescribable:

BGJS Jacket or Midshipmen Leisure  
Jacket (Warm-up)

(3) Optional:

Golf Shoes (as applicable)

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Town or Weekend Liberty when Civilian  
Clothes are authorized  
USNA Golf Course  
Ice Skating in Dahlgren Hall (No  
Loitering Before/After)  
Company Outings (Company Officer  
Approval Required)  
ECA/MAG activities (Officer Rep  
Approval Required)  
Movement Order Extended Travel  
(Officer Rep Approval Required)  
Sailing (Aboard USNA Vessels Only for  
3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Class Midshipmen)  
Sporting/Spirit Related Events  
(Commandant/Brigade Commander Approval  
Required)  
Introductory Flight Syllabus Program

**2.161 MIDSHIPMEN CASUAL SHORT**

(Men and women)

(1) Required:

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Blue Collared Shirt with Embroidered  
USNA Emblem (Issued only)  
Short Khaki Trousers (Issued only)  
Brown belt (conservative)  
Brown shoes (conservative)

(2) Prescribable:

BGJS Jacket or Midshipmen Leisure  
Jacket (Warm-up)

(3) Optional:

Golf Shoes (as applicable)  
Socks (conservative)  
USNA White Issued Gym Shoes with White  
Socks  
USNA Issued Ballcap

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Town or Weekend Liberty when Civilian  
Clothes are authorized  
USNA Golf Course  
Company Outings (Company Officer  
Approval Required)  
ECA/MAG activity (Officer Rep Approval  
Required)  
Sailing (Aboard USNA Vessels Only for  
3<sup>rd</sup> and 4th Class Midshipmen)  
Sporting/Spirit Related Events  
(Commandant/Brigade Commander Approval  
Required)  
CSNTS Cruises  
Introductory Flight Syllabus Program

**2.162 MIDSHIPMEN INFORMAL**

a. Men

(1) Required:

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Blue Blazer with USNA Emblem Pin  
White Dress Shirt  
Gray Dress Trousers  
USNA Issued Necktie  
Conservative Black Shoes (Issued  
Leathers Okay)  
Conservative Belt  
Black Socks

(2) Prescribable:

N/A

(3) Optional:

Khaki Trousers (Midshipmen Casual Long  
Issue) vice Gray Trousers  
Brown Shoes (as applicable when  
wearing Khaki Trousers)  
Brown Socks (as applicable when  
wearing Khaki Trousers)

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Town or Weekend Liberty when Civilian  
Clothes are authorized  
CDS Sessions  
Alumni Association Receptions  
USNA Staff Dinner Engagements  
Company Outings (Company Officer  
Approval Required)  
ECA/MAG activities (Officer Rep  
Approval Required)  
Movement Order Extended Travel  
(Officer Rep Approval Required)  
Movement Order Receptions/Dinner  
Engagements (Officer Rep Approval  
Required)  
Other Informal Events  
(Commandant/Brigade Commander Approval  
Required)

**2.162 MIDSHIPMEN INFORMAL**

a. Women

insert pic (1) Required:

Blue Blazer with USNA Emblem Pin

White Dress Blouse

Gray Dress Trousers

Conservative Black Shoes (Issued

Leathers Okay)

Black socks

(2) Prescribable:

N/A

(3) Optional:

Khaki Trousers (Midshipmen Casual Long  
Issue) vice Gray Trousers

Brown Shoes (as applicable when  
wearing Khaki Trousers)

Brown Socks (as applicable when  
wearing Khaki Trousers)

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Town or Weekend Liberty when Civilian  
Clothes are authorized

CDS Sessions

Alumni Association Receptions

USNA Staff Dinner Engagements

Company Outings (Company Officer  
Approval Required)

ECA/MAG activities (Officer Rep  
Approval Required)

Movement Order Extended Travel

(Officer Rep Approval Required)

Movement Order Receptions/Dinner

Engagements (Officer Rep Approval  
Required)

Other Informal Events

(Commandant/Brigade Commander Approval  
Required)

**2.163 MIDSHIPMEN LEISURE (WARM-UP)**  
(Men and women)

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(1) Required:

USNA Warm-up Suit (Jacket and Pants)

Blue Rim T-Shirt  
Blue USNA Gym Shorts  
Athletic Shoes  
Athletic Socks

(2) Prescribable:

Blue Collared Shirt with Embroidered  
USNA Emblem vice Blue Rim T-Shirt  
Removal of Jacket/Pants  
(Commandant/Brigade Commander Approval  
Required)  
USNA Issued Watch Cap

(3) Optional:

N/A

(4) Occasions for Wear:

Dahlgren Hall (authorized after 1700  
Mon-Fri)  
Ice Skating in Dahlgren Hall  
Company Outings (Co Off Approval  
Required)  
ECA/MAG activities (Off Rep Approval  
Required)  
Movement Order Extended Travel  
(Officer Rep Approval Required)  
Sporting/Spirit Related Events  
(Commandant/Brigade Commander Approval  
Required)  
Bancroft Hall Living Spaces, Basement  
Areas, and Yard Liberty Unless  
Otherwise  
Specified  
Academic Buildings, Nimitz Library,  
Smoke Hall, the Rotunda, Areas Visible  
from the  
Rotunda (authorized after 1700)  
Not Authorized in the Following Areas:  
USNA Store, Uniform Store, Barber  
and Beauty Shops  
Medical and Dental Facilities

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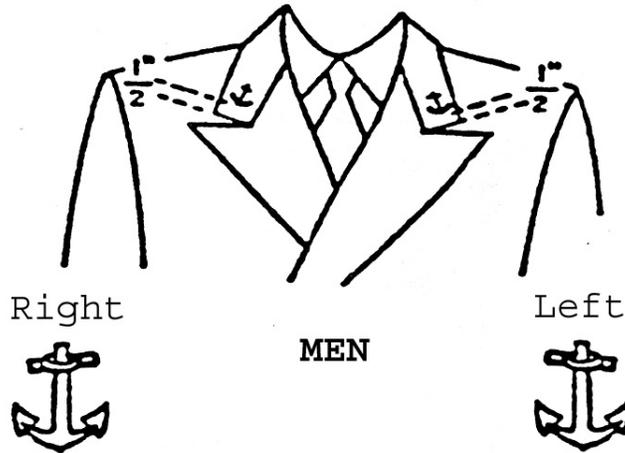
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and Main Office

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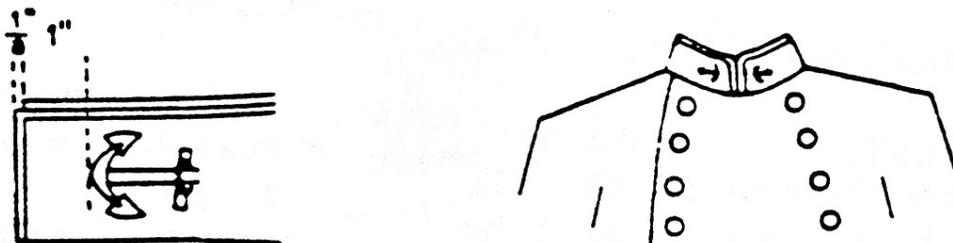
INSIGNIA AND DECORATIONS

3.0. ANCHOR INSIGNIA

1. Lapel Anchors. Shall be pinned on the Service Dress Blue coat so that the crown of the anchor is  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch above the notch of the lapel for men and 1 inch above the bottom of the lapel for women. The center line of the anchor shank is worn parallel to and  $\frac{3}{4}$  inch from the outer edge of the collar. The lower arm of the anchor stock will be outboard.



2. Full Dress Anchors. Shall be pinned on each side of the full dress collar in a horizontal position, crown to the front 1 inch from the inside edge of the gold piping on the collar. The lower arm of the anchor stock shall be worn down.



**3.05. CLASS AND RANK INSIGNIA**

1. Sleeve Class Insignia - Shall consist of stripes worn on the sleeve of Blue Service and Full Dress Blue coats.

a. Midshipman First Class - Shall wear one stripe of yellow silk braid, 1/8 inch wide, around each sleeve, the lower edge of the stripe to be 2 inches from and parallel to the edge of the cuff.



b. Midshipmen Second Class - Shall wear two stripes of yellow silk braid 1/8 inch wide on the left sleeve only. The stripes shall be placed diagonally on the sleeve between the rear and front seams, the lower stripe being a 4 ½ inches above the cuff at the front seam and 11 inches at the rear seam.



c. Midshipman Third Class - Shall be the same as second class, except only the lower stripes shall be worn.



d. Midshipmen Fourth Class - Shall wear no sleeve stripes.

2. Sleeve Rank Insignia. Midshipman first class officers shall wear stripes and a gold star on both sleeves of the Blue Service coat and Full Dress Blue coat. The stripes shall be of yellow silk braid 1/8 inch wide, to be worn around each sleeve with the lower edge of the first stripe 2 inches from and parallel to the edge of the cuff, 1/4 inch spacing between stripes. A gold embroidered 5 point star, one inch in diameter, shall be centered above the stripe(s) with one ray pointing down, the point 3/4 inch above the upper stripe.

a. Midshipman Captain - Shall wear six stripes.



- b. Midshipman Commander - Shall wear five stripes.



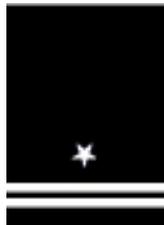
- c. Midshipman Lieutenant Commander - Shall wear four stripes.



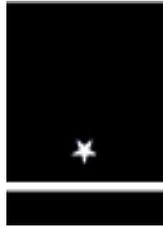
- d. Midshipman Lieutenant - Shall wear three stripes.



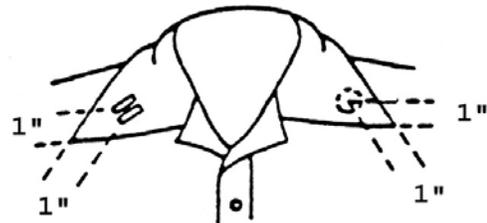
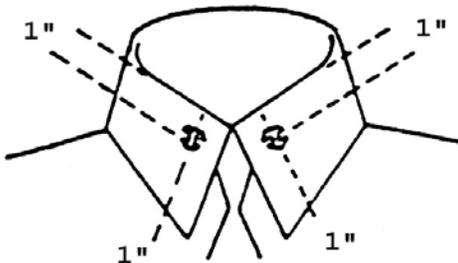
- e. Midshipman Lieutenant (Junior Grade) - Shall wear two stripes.



- f. Midshipman Ensign - Shall wear one stripe.



3. Shirt Collar Class Insignia - Shall consist of gold fouled anchor, eagle, and bar (striper) insignia, to be worn on collar tips of blue and khaki shirts. The anchor and eagle insignia shall be pinned to the long sleeved blue shirt collar in a vertical position with the center of the insignia approximately one inch from the front edge and one inch below the upper edge of the collar. The stock of the anchor shall be parallel to the edge of collar. The eagles head and the unfouled arm of the anchor stock shall be to the front. On open collar blue and khaki shirts, insignia will be worn centered one inch from the front and lower edges of the collar and the vertical axis of the insignia along an imaginary line bisecting the angle of the collar point.



- a. Midshipman First Class - Of other than officer rank shall wear the eagle insignia on both collars.
- b. Midshipman Second Class - Shall wear the anchor insignia on both collars.
- c. Midshipman Third Class - Shall wear the anchor insignia on the right collar only.
- d. Midshipman Fourth Class - Shall wear no insignia on the collar.

4. Shirt Collar Rank Insignia. Midshipmen officers shall wear from one to six 1/8 inch gold colored metal bars on the collar tips of Blue Drill and Khaki shirts. On Blue Drill shirts, this insignia shall be pinned on the long sleeve Blue Drill shirt collar so that the center of the first bar is approximately one inch from the front edge and one inch below the upper edge of the collar; upper edge of bars to be parallel to upper edge of the collar. On the open collared blue drill and khaki shirt, insignia will be worn centered 1 inch from the front and lower edges of the collar and the vertical axis of the insignia

along an imaginary line bisecting the angle of the collar point.

5. Shoulder Boards. Shall consist of two types; one that indicates rank and one that indicates class. In all cases, men's shoulder boards are secured to the uniform with a gold button snap fastener through shoulder loops. Women will wear this style of shoulder board on Dinner Dress Jackets and Service Dress White Jackets.

a. Class Shoulder Boards. The insignia to be worn on shoulder boards shall consist of a metal fouled anchor along or in combination with stripes to indicate the wearer's class.

(1) Midshipman First Class. A gold metal fouled anchor centered on the shoulder board, unfouled arm to the front with one stripe of yellow yarn parallel to the squared end of the board.



(2) Midshipman Second Class. Same as prescribed for Midshipman First Class except that there shall be two stripes of yellow yarn placed diagonal across the board.



(3) Midshipman Third Class - Same as prescribed for Midshipman Second Class except that the upper stripe shall be omitted (right to left).



(4) Midshipman Fourth Class - Same as Midshipman First Class except that the stripe shall be omitted.



b. Rank Shoulder Boards. The insignia to be worn on shoulder boards shall consist of a star in combination with stripes to indicated the wearer's rank.

(1) Midshipman Captain - Shall wear six stripes of yellow yarn with the star insignia.



(2) Midshipman Commander - Shall wear five stripes of yellow yarn with the star insignia.



(3) Midshipman Lieutenant Commander - Shall wear four stripes of yellow yarn with the star insignia.



(4) Midshipman Lieutenant - Shall wear three stripes of yellow yarn with the star insignia.



(5) Midshipman Lieutenant (Junior Grade) - Shall wear two stripes of yellow yarn with the star insignia.

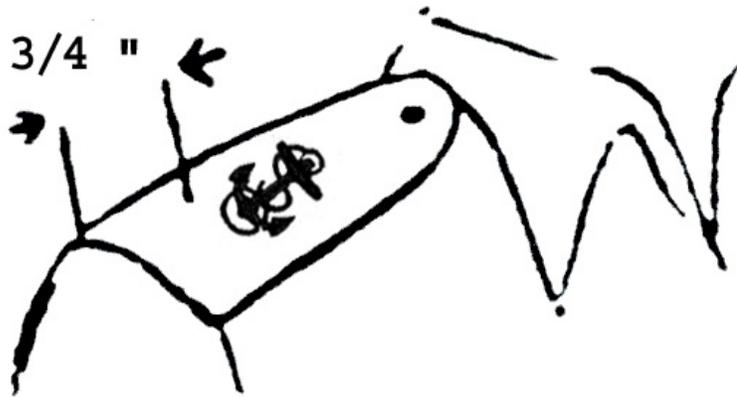


(6) Midshipman Ensign - Shall wear one stripe of yellow yarn with the star insignia.



c. Metal Shoulder Insignia. This insignia will be enlarged versions of the shirt collar insignia and shall be worn centered on the shoulder straps of Navy raincoats. The outer edge of the devices will be placed 3/4 inch from the squared end of the shoulder strap, unfouled arm of the anchor or eagle facing forward.

- (1) Midshipman First Class - Shall wear eagle insignia on both shoulders.
- (2) Midshipman Second Class - Shall wear the anchor insignia on both shoulders.
- (3) Midshipman Third Class - Shall wear the anchor insignia on the right shoulder only.
- (4) Midshipman Fourth Class - Shall wear no insignia on the shoulders.



### 3.10. RIBBONS AND MEDALS

1. Ribbons. Ribbons shall be worn on uniforms as designated in Chapter 2 of these Regulations.

a. Manner of Wearing. One, two, or three ribbons are worn in single rows sewn or arranged on a bar or bars attached to the uniform. When more than three ribbons are authorized, they shall be worn in horizontal rows of three each. If not in multiples of three, the uppermost row shall contain the lesser number, the center of the row to be centered over the row below it. Ribbons shall be worn without intervals between ribbons or rows of ribbons. They shall be worn with the lower edge of the bottom row centered 1/4 inch above the left breast pocket and parallel to the floor. Ribbons worn on the right breast shall be worn with the lower edge of the bottom row centered 1/4 inch above the right breast pocket or in the same relative position as if there were a pocket.

b. Arrangement. The arrangement of ribbons shall be in order of precedence in rows from the top down and wearers inboard to outboard within rows. The order of precedence is as stated in the **USN Uniform Regulations NAVPERS 156651, Article 5304, dated January 2003**. A minimum of three ribbons shall be worn by those possessing three or

more; all may be worn if desired. If only one row of ribbons is worn, they shall be the three senior ribbons.

c. Wearing of Ribbons with Medals. When large medals are prescribed in Chapter 2, awards not having large medals shall be worn centered on the right breast in the same relative position as the holding bar of the lowest row of medals. The arrangement of ribbons shall be in order of precedence in rows from the top down and inboard to outboard within rows. When miniature medals are prescribed, ribbons for which no medals are provided, shall not be worn.

2. Large Medals. Large medals shall be worn on uniforms as designated in Chapter 2.

a. Manner of Wearing. If more than one medal is worn, large medals are arranged in single rows suspended from a holding bar. The holding bar of the lowest row of medals shall be located in the same position as the lowest ribbon bar. The bar shall be 4 1/8 inch wide and each row of medals shall be 3 1/4 inch long from top of ribbons to bottom of medals, so that bottom of medals dress in a horizontal line. When more than one row is worn, no row is to contain a lesser number of medals than the row above. Except for the uppermost row, all rows shall contain the same number of medals, 3 medals side by side or up to 5 medals overlapping. Overlapping shall be equal and the right or inboard medal shall show in full. Upper rows of medals, if worn, shall be mounted so that these medals cover the suspended ribbons of the medals below.

b. Arrangements. The arrangement of medals shall be in order of precedence in rows from top down and inboard to outboard within rows. A minimum of five medals shall be worn by those possessing five or more; all may be worn if desired. If only one row of medals are worn, they shall be the five senior medals.

c. Polished Medals. The plating or polishing of medals is prohibited.

3. Miniature Medals. Miniature medals shall be worn with all Dinner Dress uniforms.

a. Manner of Wearing. On men's Dinner Dress jackets the holding bar of the lowest row of miniature medals shall be positioned 3 inches below the notch and centered on the lapel. When worn on the male officer's Blue or White Service coats the holding bar is centered immediately above the left breast pocket. When worn on the women officer's Blue or White Service coats the holding bar is worn in the same relative position as on the men's Dinner Dress jackets. Each row of miniatures shall be 2 1/4 inches long from top of ribbons to bottom of medals so that bottom of medals dress in a horizontal line. Upper rows of medals shall be positioned so that these medals cover the ribbons of the medals below.

b. Arrangement. The holding bar will permit the wear of up to five miniature medals in a row with no overlap. The arrangement of medals

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shall be in order of precedence in rows from top down and inboard to outboard within rows. A minimum of five medals shall be worn by those possessing five or more; all may be worn if desired. If only one row of medals is worn, they shall be the five senior medals.

Table 3-1

TABLE FOR WEARING LARGE OR MINIATURE MEDALS					
Number of Medals to be worn	Prescribed Number of Rows	Number of Medals Per Row			
		Top Row	2nd Row	3rd Row	4th Row
1-5	1 row only	1-5			
6	2	3	3		
7	2	3	4		



**WEARING OF RIBBONS ILLUSTRATED**

SERVICE DRESS BLUE  
(MEN)

SERVICE DRESS BLUE  
SERVICE DRESS WHITE  
(Women)

SUMMER WHITE  
SUMMER KHAKI  
(Men and Women)

**WEARING OF MINIATURE MEDALS ILLUSTRATED**



**DINNER DRESS JACKET**

**FULL DRESS BLUE  
WHITE**  
(Men & Women)

**FULL DRESS WHITE**  
(Men)

**FULL DRESS**  
(Women)

**WEARING OF MINIATURE MEDALS ILLUSTRATED**



**DINNER DRESS JACKET**

**3.15 BREAST INSIGNIA**

1. General. Warfare and other Qualification Insignia are worn on uniforms as indicated in Chapter 2 to indicate special qualifications.

2. Approved Insignia List. Listed below are those breast insignia, alphabetically by category, authorized for wear on the midshipmen uniform. Breast or qualification insignia of other services shall **not** be worn.

- a. Aviation Warfare Insignia
- b. Explosive Ordnance Disposal Warfare Insignia
  - Master Explosive Ordnance Disposal
  - Senior Explosive Ordnance Disposal
  - Basic Explosive Ordnance Disposal
- c. Fleet Marine Force (FMF) Enlisted Warfare Specialist Insignia
- d. Seabee Combat Warfare Specialist Insignia
- e. Special Operations Warfare Insignia
  - Special Warfare Insignia
  - Special Warfare Insignia (SEAL)
  - Special Warfare Combatant-Craft Crewman
- f. Submarine Warfare Insignia
  - Submarine (Dolphins)
- g. Surface Warfare Insignia
- h. Aircrew Insignia
  - Navy Aircrew
  - Marine Corps Combat Aircrew
- i. Integrated Undersea Surveillance System Insignia
- j. Officer In Charge/Petty Officer in Charge Small Craft
  - Craftmaster
- k. Parachutists Insignia
  - Naval Parachutist
  - Basic Parachutist
- l. Submarine Patrol Insignia
  - Submarine Combat Patrol
  - SSBN Deterrent Patrol
- m. Underwater Insignia
  - Master Diver
  - Diving (Medical Technician)
  - Diving, First Class
  - Diver, Second Class
  - Diver, Scuba
  - Deep Submergence

3. Provisions for Wear

- a. Wear metal pin-on breast insignia on the following uniforms.

When two sizes of insignia exist, the miniature size insignia is normally worn on uniforms requiring miniature medals. **Exception: Miniature Small Craft insignia is worn on all uniforms except full dress uniforms.**

<u>Large Insignia</u>	<u>Miniature Insignia</u>
SERVICE DRESS BLUE	FORMAL DRESS
FULL DRESS BLUE	DINNER DRESS BLUE JACKET
SERVICE DRESS WHITE	DINNER DRESS WHITE JACKET
FULL DRESS WHITE	DINNER DRESS BLUE
SUMMER WHITE	DINNER DRESS WHITE
WINTER BLUE	
SERVICE KHAKI	
WINTER WORKING BLUE	
WORKING KHAKI	
SUMMER BLUE	

b. One or two earned warfare devices or breast insignia may be worn on the following working uniforms in the same relative positions as described below. Insignia may be pin-on or embroidered. The background material for embroidered devices shall match the uniform on which it is worn.

WORKING KHAKI	WINTER WORKING BLUE
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c. One or two earned warfare devices or breast insignia embroidered on tape strips may be worn on the following working uniforms in the same relative positions as described below.

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d. Pin-on devices shall not be worn on working uniforms when metal devices might present a FOD or safety hazard.

e. Pin-on breast insignia shall not be polished to the degree that the basic details of the standard insignia are defaced, removed, or altered in general appearance.

#### **4. Manner of Wearing Warfare and Other Qualification**

a. Breast insignia are worn on the left side of the uniform in a primary position, or a primary and secondary position. (a) **Primary position with ribbons or medals.** The insignia is centered above ribbons or medals with the lower edge of the device 1/4 inch above the top row of ribbons or medals.

b. **Primary position without ribbons or medals.** The insignia is centered above the left pocket with the lower edge of the device 1/4 inch above the top of the pocket. For Navy Coveralls and Utilities the insignia is centered above the left pocket with the lower edge of the fabric strip approximately 1/4 inch above the "U.S. NAVY" tape strip. For Dinner Dress Jackets, men center the insignia on the left lapel, 3 inches below the notch; women center the insignia on the left lapel

down one-third the distance between the shoulder seam and coat hem.

c. **Secondary position with ribbons or medals.** The insignia is centered below ribbons with the top of the device 1/4 inch below the top of the pocket or pocket flap, or centered below medals with the top of the device 1/4 inch below the lowest row of medals.

d. **Secondary position without ribbons or medals.** The insignia is centered 1/4 inch below the top of the pocket or pocket flap. For Dinner Dress Jackets, center the insignia on the left lapel, 1/4 inch below the primary insignia.

e. If wearing only one device, place it in the primary position.

f. Personnel with multiple qualifications, may wear two insignia, placing one in the primary position and the second in the secondary position, within the following guidelines:

- Only one insignia from any single category of insignia listed above is authorized for wear at the same time.
- Warfare qualification insignia take precedence over other qualification insignia and are placed in the primary position.
- Two warfare insignia, each from separate warfare categories, are authorized following these rules:

- i. The warfare insignia of the specialty in which currently serving will be worn in the primary position.
- ii. If not currently serving in a warfare specialty, or have not earned the warfare insignia of the specialty in which currently serving: officers will wear the insignia corresponding to their designator, otherwise the warfare insignia earned first in the primary position; all other personnel will wear the warfare insignia earned first in the primary position.
- iii. If no longer designated as a warfare specialist, continue wearing the earned warfare insignia, following the guidelines of this chapter, unless prohibited from doing so by administrative action.
- iv. When insignia has both gold and silver versions, enlisted personnel wear silver, officers wear gold, within the following rules:
  - Enlisted personnel who qualify for insignia, and are subsequently advanced to officer status continue wearing the enlisted insignia until qualified for a corresponding officer insignia; then replace the enlisted insignia with the officer insignia.
  - Enlisted personnel who have been awarded the Small Craft insignia and are subsequently

advanced to officer status wear the gold Small Craft Insignia.

g. Enlisted personnel awarded the Craftmaster insignia and subsequently advanced to officer status may continue to wear the Craftmaster Insignia.

5. Description of Breast Insignia.

a. Aircrew Insignia (AC). A gold metal winged pin with an anchor inscribed in a circle in the center. The letters "AC" straddle the shank of the anchor.



b. Aviation Warfare Specialist Insignia (EAWS). A silver metal winged pin with an anchor on a shield in the center and a scroll at the bottom of the shield.



c. Submarine Insignia (SS). A gold or silver embroidered or metal pin showing bow view of a submarine proceeding on the surface with bow planes rigged for diving; flanked by dolphins in horizontal position, their heads resting on upper edge of bow planes.

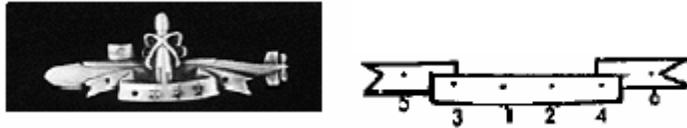


d. SSBN Deterrent Patrol Insignia. A silver or gold metal pin showing the broadside view of a "LAFAYETTE" class SSBN proceeding submerged, with a POLARIS missile circled by three electron paths, centered in the foreground, and a scroll across the bottom of missile and submarine. Gold or silver stars, with silver given priority, are mounted on the scroll in the order shown on diagram at left to indicate each additional patrol, as follows:

- Silver pin alone, without stars, one patrol.
- Add a gold star for each additional patrol (maximum four gold stars).
- Patrol pin with silver star, six patrols.
- Add a gold star for each additional patrol

maximum four stars).

- In with two silver stars, eleven patrols.
- Add a gold star for each additional patrol (maximum four gold stars).
- Pin with three silver stars, sixteen patrols.
- Add a gold star for each additional patrol (maximum three gold stars).
- Gold patrol pin, 20 patrols.
- Repeat sequence adding gold stars for each additional patrol (maximum four gold stars) and a silver star for each additional five patrols.



e. Enlisted Surface Warfare Insignia (ESWS). A silver metal pin showing the bow and superstructure of a modern naval warship on two crossed cutlasses, on a background of ocean swells.



f. Small Craft Insignia. A gold or silver metal pin with a small craft circumscribed by an anchor flukes on the sides and bottom and a three star pennant on top.



g. Craftmaster Insignia. A ship's helm with two crossed fouled anchors in the center.



h. Special Warfare Insignia (SEAL). A gold metal pin with an eagle holding a trident and a flint-lock pistol, in front of an anchor.



i. Special Warfare Combatant-Craft Crewman (SWCC). A silver metal pin showing the Mark V Special Operations Craft on a crossed flint-lock

pistol and enlisted cutlass, on a background of ocean swells.



j. Seabee Combat Warfare Specialist Insignia (SCWS). A gold or silver metal pin with a bee on crossed sword and gun superimposed on an anchor on a background of leaves.



k. Basic Parachutist Insignia (PJ). A silver metal pin with an open parachute flanked on either side by wings that curve upward.



l. Naval Parachutist Insignia (PJ). A gold embroidered or gold metal winged pin with a gold open parachute in the center.



m. Master Diver Insignia (DVM). Same as the Diving Officer Insignia, but silver.



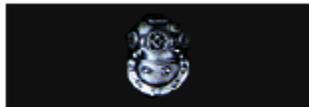
n. Diving Medical Technician Insignia (DV). Same as Diving (medical) Insignia, but silver in color.



o. First Class Diver Insignia (DV). A silver metal diving helmet surrounded by sea serpents.



p. Second Class Diver Insignia (DV). A silver metal diving helmet and breastplate.



q. Scuba Diver Insignia. A silver metal pin wet suit hood and face mask with breathing apparatus.



r. Basic Explosive Ordnance Disposal Warfare Insignia (EOD). A silver metal pin with a conventional drop bomb, point down on a shield, and radiant with four lightning flashes, all within a wreath of laurel leaves.



s. Senior Explosive Ordnance Disposal Warfare Insignia (EOD). Same as the basic EOD Insignia, but with a star center on the bomb.



t. Master Explosive Ordnance Disposal Warfare Insignia (EOD). Same as the Senior EOD Insignia, but with star in a laurel wreath affixed to the top of the shield.



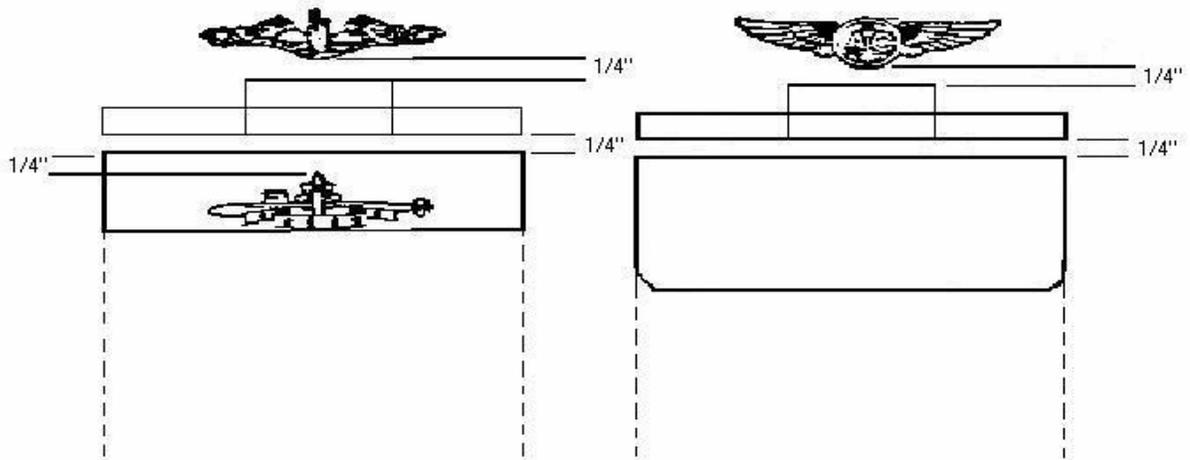
u. Deep Submergence. A gold or silver metal trieste, on a trident, surrounded by dolphins.



v. Integrated Undersea Surveillance System. A gold or silver metal pin with a trident and seahorse twined on a globe superimposed on a breaking wave.

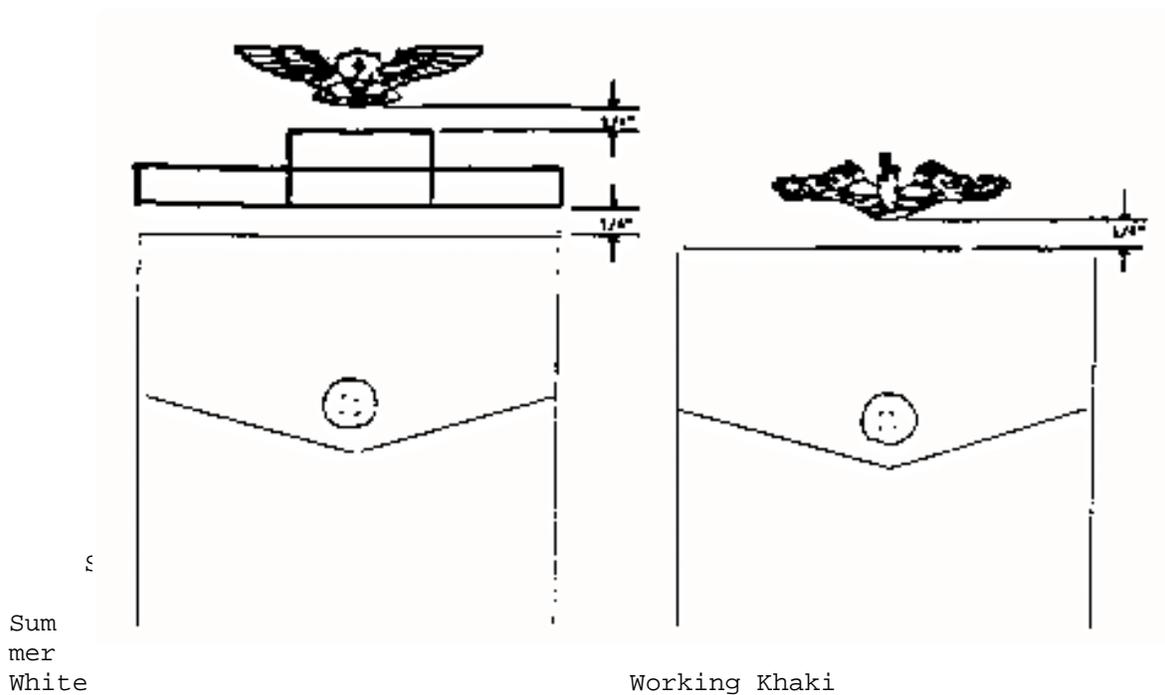


w. Fleet Marine Force (FMF) Enlisted Warfare Specialist Insignia. A silver metal device depicting the eagle, globe and anchor atop two crossed rifles on a background of ocean swells breaking on a sandy beach.



Service Dress Blue  
Men

Service Dress Blue  
Women



#### WEARING OF METAL BREAST INSIGNIA ILLUSTRATED

##### 3.20. STAR INSIGNIA

1. Description. Gold, silver, or bronze colored metal 5 pointed star  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch in diameter.

2. Provisions for Wear. The gold star is awarded to midshipmen assigned to the Superintendent's List. The silver star is assigned to midshipmen who have obtained athletic excellence. The bronze star is awarded to midshipmen assigned to the Dean's List.

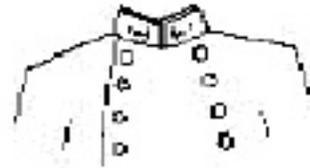
3. Manner of Wear. The gold star insignia will be worn with Service Dress Blue (SDB), Full Dress Blue (FDB), and Winter and Summer Blues. The silver and bronze stars will be worn with Winter and Summer Blues only.

a. For SDB uniform, stars will be centered  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch above the lapel anchors. Two rays of the star will be bisected by the centerline of

the anchor.

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b. For FDB uniform, the star will be worn in the same relative position to the collar anchors as with SDB



c. For Winter and Summer Blue, the star shall be worn on the left breast pocket flap centered 1/4 inch below the top of the pocket.

d. When two or more awards are authorized, they shall be worn on the left breast pocket in the manner described above in a horizontal line with each award 3/4 inch apart. Order of precedence from the wearer's right to left is Superintendent's List Star, Dean's List Star, "N" or "N"-Star, Plebe Detail Pin, Summer Seminar Pin, Trident Scholar Award, Color Company "E", and Service Assignment Insignia.

### **3.25. ATHLETIC AWARDS**

1. Description, Gold colored metal 11/32 inch N. The "N"-Star device will include a 5 pointed 1/8 inch star attached to the upper right serif.

2. Provision for Wear. Awarded to midshipmen who have earned a varsity "N" or "N"-Star.

3. Manner of Wear. The "N" or "N"-Star Insignia will be worn with Winter and Summer Blue uniforms.

a. The "N" or "N"-Star shall be worn on the left breast pocket flap 1/4 inch below the top of the pocket.

b. When two or more awards are authorized, they shall be worn centered in the position indicated in the previous paragraphs in a horizontal line with each award 3/4 inch apart. Order of precedence from the wearer's right to left is Superintendent's List Star, Dean's List Star, "N" or "N"-Star, Plebe Detail Pin, Summer Seminar Pin, Trident Scholar Award, Color Company "E", and Service Assignment Insignia.

4. Letter Sweater "N". Varsity and Club Sport "N" or "N"-Star winners will wear a gold colored 7 inch "N" on the front left side of the letter sweater. Club sport letters will indicate the sport for which the letter has been awarded.

### **3.30. PLEBE DETAIL PIN**

1. Description. Gold colored metal 1/2" in diameter with raised anchor surrounded by words USNA PLEBE DETAIL.

2. Provision for Wear. Worn by first and second class midshipmen that participated in the plebe summer detail and assigned to fourth class regiment/company leadership positions.

3. Manner of Wear. Authorized for wear on Winter and Summer Blue uniforms.

a. The pin will be worn centered on the left breast pocket flap 1/4" below the top of the pocket.

b. When two or more awards are authorized, they shall be worn centered in the position indicated above in a horizontal line with each award 3/4" apart. Order of precedence from the wearer's right to left is Superintendent's List Star, Athletic Excellence Star, "N" or "N"-Star, Plebe Detail Pin, Summer Seminar Pin, Trident Scholar Award, Color Company "E", and Service Selection Insignia.

### **3.35. SUMMER SEMINAR PIN**

1. Description. Gold colored metal 1/2" in diameter with raised anchor surrounded by words USNA SUMMER SEMINAR.

2. Provisions for Wear. Worn by midshipmen that participated in the Candidate Guidance sponsored Summer Seminar for high school seniors.

3. Manner of Wear. Authorized for wear on Winter and Summer Blue uniforms.

a. The pin will be worn centered on the left breast pocket flap 1/4th below the top of the pocket.

b. When two or more awards are authorized, they shall be worn centered in the position indicated above in a horizontal line with each award 3/4" apart. Order of precedence from the wearer's right to left is Superintendent's List Star, Athletic Excellence Star, "N" or "N" Star, Plebe Detail Pin, Summer Seminar Pin, Trident Scholar Award, Color Company "E", and Service Selection Insignia.

**3.40. TRIDENT SCHOLAR INSIGNIA**

1. Description. Gold colored metal trident.
2. Provision for Wear. Worn by midshipmen participating in the Trident Scholar program.
3. Manner of Wear. Authorized for wear on Winter and Summer Blue uniforms.
  - a. The Trident pin will be worn centered on the left breast pocket flap 1/4 inch below the top of the pocket.
  - b. When two or more awards are authorized, they shall be worn centered in the position indicated above in a horizontal line with each award 3/4 inch apart. Order of precedence from the wearer's right to left is Superintendent's List Star, Athletic Excellence Star, "N" or "N"-Star, Plebe Detail Pin, Summer Seminar Pin, Trident Scholar Award, Color Company "E", and Service Assignment Insignia.

**3.45. COLOR COMPANY "E"**

1. Description. Gold colored metal 11/32" letter "E".
2. Provision for Wear. Midshipmen of the Color Company qualify for this insignia and wear it for one year following the date of qualification.
3. Manner of Wear. Authorized for wear on Winter and Summer Blue uniforms.
  - a. The pin will be worn centered on the left breast pocket flap 1/4" below the top of the pocket.
  - b. When two or more awards are authorized, they shall be worn centered in the position indicated above in a horizontal line with each award 3/4 inch apart. Order of precedence from the wearer's right to left is Superintendent's List Star, Athletic Excellence Star, "N" or "N"-Star, Plebe Detail Pin, Summer Seminar Pin, Trident Scholar Award, Color Company "E", and Service Assignment Insignia.

### **3.50. YP COMMAND ASSISTANT QUALIFICATION INSIGNIA**

1. Description. Circular, silver colored metal 5/8" in diameter embedded with the words LANTPATRAMID.
2. Provision for Wear. Midshipmen third class would earn this insignia during their third class cruise. Authorization for wear rests with the **Chairman**, SEANAV.
3. Manner of Wear. Authorized for wear on Winter and Summer Blue uniforms.

a. This insignia will be worn centered on the left breast pocket flap 1/4" below the top of the pocket.

b. When two or more awards are authorized, they shall be worn centered in the position indicated above in a horizontal line with each award 3/4 inch apart. Order of precedence: is placed after the Color Company "E" and before the Service Assignment Insignia as noted in article 3.45 of this chapter.

### **3.55. SERVICE ASSIGNMENT INSIGNIA**

1. Description. Gold colored metal approximately 3/8" miniature warfare specialty or staff corps distinguishing device.
2. Provision for Wear. Midshipmen first class are authorized to wear the device representing their service assignment from the date of Service Assignment through Graduation.
3. Manner of Wear. Authorized for wear on Winter and Summer Blue uniforms.

a. The pin will be worn centered on the left breast pocket flap 1/4" below the top of the pocket.

b. When two or more awards are authorized, they shall be worn centered in the position indicated above in a horizontal line with each award 3/4 inch apart. Order of precedence from the wearer's right to left is Superintendent's List Star, Athletic Excellence Star, "N" or "N"-Star, Plebe Detail Pin, Summer Seminar Pin, Trident Scholar Award, Color Company "E", and Service Assignment Insignia.

### **3.60. YP SQUADRON INSIGNIA.**

1. Description. ½ inch diameter smooth gold star
2. Provision for wear. Midshipmen who currently are designated in command of a YP shall wear a command distinguishing device.
3. Manner of Wear. Authorized for wear on the Service Dress Blue, Service Dress White, Summer White, Winter and Summer Blue uniform.

a. This device will be worn centered 1/4 inch above the name badge.

**3.65. DRUM AND BUGLE CORPS INSIGNIA**

1. Description. Embroidered bugle insignia of gold yarn.
2. Provision for Wear. This insignia will be worn by members of the U.S. Naval Academy Drum and Bugle Corps on Service Dress Blue and Full Dress Blue uniforms.
3. Manner of Wear. The insignia will be worn centered on the outer face of the sleeve with the lower edge of the bugle nine inches above the edge of the cuff; bugle horizontal, bell to the front.

**3.70. BRASSARDS**

1. Description. Band of cloth, suitably marked with symbols, letters or words indicating a type of duty to which the wearer is assigned.
2. Provision for Wear. As required by temporary duty assigned, such as watch, usher, etc.
3. Manner of Wear. Worn on the right arm midway between shoulder and elbow on outer garments.



3.75. SWORDS

1. Swords and sword belts, belonging to the Commandant are maintained by the First Lieutenant for issue to midshipmen officers and members of their staffs.

2. Midshipmen first class may have and use a regulation sword of their own. Midshipmen will not wear sword knots.

3. Wearing the sword:

a. The sword belt, worn under the coat, should be put on first. The shorter belt strip and lock swivel is passed through the coat opening on the left side (as shown) and the longer strap allowed to hang free.

b. Hold the sword with the right hand and attach the swivels to the scabbard rings.

c. Twist the sword one-half turn in a clockwise direction and suspend on the sword hook with the uppermost scabbard ring. The sword handle faces aft when properly worn.

d. When wearing the overcoat, the sword hook and shorter belt strap go through the slit in the side of the overcoat and the sword is worn outside the overcoat. The long belt strap is passed through the vent in the back of the overcoat. Swivels are attached to the scabbard as shown above.



**3.80. NAME TAGS**

1. Name tags will be worn on all class uniforms, Service Dress uniforms, Summer White uniforms, and may be prescribed for wear with any other uniform.
2. On the White Works uniforms, name tags will be worn centered 1/4 inch above the left breast pocket. Name tags will be worn on all other uniforms above the right breast pocket or on uniforms with no right breast pocket in the same relative position as ribbons.
3. Plastic name tags will be worn on uniforms which do not have a sewn on cloth name badge. Plastic name tags will be engraved with the midshipman's last name and class year only.
4. Cloth name badges listing the midshipman's initials and surname will be sewn on all Winter and Summer Blue uniform shirts above the right breast pocket.
5. A cloth 2 inch by 4 inch name patch with an embroidered academy crest and velcro backing will be worn on the left breast of the blue sweater. The patch will list the midshipman's initials and surname in embroidered ½ inch lettering.
6. Last names and class will be embroidered on the Blue and Gold Jogging Suits. (Example: JONES 99)
7. Standard issued name tags inscribed with the surname and class are to be worn at all times. When in authorized leave or liberty status, U.S. Naval Academy name tags are authorized.

## CHAPTER 4

### UNIFORM REGULATIONS

#### 4.0. SMARTNESS

1. Image. Midshipmen must maintain the highest possible standards of smartness in uniform appearance. The military image reflected by attention to detail in wearing of the uniform is a key element in the public image of the U.S. Naval Academy and the U.S. Navy.

2. Cleanliness. Uniforms shall be kept scrupulously clean with lace, devices, and insignia bright and free from tarnish and corrosion.

3. Maintenance. **Unit Commanders and/or Company Officers/Senior Enlisted Leaders** shall inspect uniforms of their companies for fit, quantity, condition, and legibility of markings. Uniforms that are excessively worn shall be replaced. Uniforms that fit poorly will be altered by the Midshipmen Tailor Shop.

#### 4. Articles.

a. No articles such as personal electronic pagers/cellular phones, pens, pencils, watch chains, key chain fobs, pins, jewelry, handkerchiefs, combs, cigars, cigarettes, pipes, or similar items shall be worn or carried exposed upon the uniform. USNA issue tie clasps, cuff links, shirt studs, and earrings shall be worn with uniforms as prescribed elsewhere in these regulations. Wearing of wrist watches, medical or POW/MIA bracelets, and rings is permitted with all uniforms; however, these items shall be in good taste and in conformance with the grooming standards contained in Chapter 5 of these regulations. Eccentric or faddish glasses are not permitted. Conservative sunglasses are permitted except in military formations.

b. Bags such as briefcases, gym bags, backpacks, lunch bags, suit cases, and garment bags, but not including women's handbags shall generally be hand carried in the left hand to facilitate saluting.

(2) Sea bags, backpacks, and gym bags may NOT be carried or worn on the shoulders when wearing service dress uniforms, e.g., Service Dress Blue.

(3) Computer bags, brief cases, and backpacks may be worn across the left shoulder of service and working uniforms to facilitate saluting. When wearing a bag, the strap must be worn across the left shoulder (fore and aft) with the bag hanging on the same side of the body. The case or bag will not be worn with the strap and bag on the opposite shoulders when wearing the working uniform (e.g., coveralls, utilities, summer working blues, winter working blues, PE gear, Blue & Gold jogging suites, team warm-ups or when required for medical reasons)

5. Uniform Items

a. USMA, USAFA Bathrobes, Sweatshirts and Sweatpants. May be worn within the living areas of Bancroft Hall in lieu of USNA regulation bathrobes, sweatshirts, and sweatpants after 1700. Only regulation PE gear, Navy/Marine Corps related shirts/shorts, BGJS, or Uniform of the Day are authorized in Steerage.

b. Belts. The belt is worn with the clip touching the buckle. The open side of the buckle will be aligned with the open edge of the shirt (right for men, left for women).

c. Belt Buckles. Will be plain Navy brass buckles.

d. Coats. All coats prescribed in these regulations are worn completely buttoned.

e. Cummerbund. The cummerbund is worn pleats up, around the waist overlapping the trouser top or skirt by at least one inch.

f. Gloves

(1) Black leather gloves shall be worn with overcoats and reefers (optional with black relaxed fit jacket). Black gloves are authorized for wear with the ice skating uniform. Members of the watch, chapel and church parties shall wear white gloves.

(2) White gloves will be worn by midshipmen on **usher** duty wearing Service Dress Blue or Service Dress White.

(3) When white gloves are prescribed with Formal or Dinner uniforms, they may be worn or carried. When white gloves are prescribed with Full Dress uniforms, they shall be worn except to shake hands.

g. Handbags

(1) Regulation handbags are optional for women midshipmen with all uniforms, but shall not be worn when drilling or in formation.

(2) The black dress handbag is the only handbag authorized when wearing the Dinner Dress Blue Jacket and the Dinner Dress White Jacket uniforms. Handbags shall be carried over the left shoulder or forearm, placing the top of the handbag at waist level.

h. Jackets. Jackets are worn with the zipper closed 3/4 of the way up. Dinner Dress White jacket is worn with the gold chain buttoned and Dinner Dress Blue with the gold elastic closure buttoned (men only).

i. Jogging Suit. The jogging suit will be worn zipped three-quarters of the way up. Any athletic shoe may be worn.

j. Neckerchief. Shall be folded diagonally and rolled from corner to corner. After rolling, the neckerchief should be three-quarters inch to one inch in diameter. The rolled neckerchief is worn tied in a square knot at the bottom of the "v" neck opening of the jumper. The ends of the neckerchief shall be even.

k. Neckties. Four-in-hand neckties are worn knotted with a four-in-hand windsor knot so that a "dimple" is formed in the tie centered just below the knot. The top of the knot is always worn parallel with and slightly above the top of the shirt collar closure (two-blocked) hiding the shirt (i.e., shirt will not be visible above the knot). The bottom of the tie will be worn within one inch of the belt buckle. The tie will be tucked into the shirt between the second and third button on the long sleeved blue drill shirt (winter working blue). Midshipmen shall NEVER loosen their ties or unbutton their top button while in class or in public.

l. Rain Gear. Rain gear, when carried, shall be folded and placed in carrying pouch and carried under the left arm.

m. Scarf. The scarf is worn folded lengthwise twice with one inch of the folded side protruding above the collar of the overcoat. The scarf will follow the contour of the overcoat allowing the white shirt collar and necktie to show.

n. Shirts. Shirts shall be worn with all buttons buttoned and sleeves full down. This includes the camouflage utilities blouse and coveralls. Shirrtails and t-shirts of all types shall be tucked in using "Navy" or "Marine Corps" style tucks toward the center of the back.

o. Shoes. Shoes will be kept well shined and in good repair. Chukka boots are considered field shoes and are authorized for wear on cruise, at the rifle range, during YP drill, drill practice and tours. Sea boots or half-Wellington boots are not regulation shoes for midshipmen and are not authorized for uniform wear.

p. Skirts. When prescribed, skirts may range from one and one-half inches above to one and one-half inches below, the crease behind the knee. Belted skirts are worn with the zipper centered on the back. Belted skirts are to be "A" lined in design and are not to be tailored as a straight shirt. When prescribed as formal, skirts are worn full length.

q. Slacks and Trousers. Slacks and trousers are worn at a length to cover the upper part of the rear of the shoes by about one inch.

r. Sweaters. The "N" sweater will be worn buttoned. On all sweaters, sleeves will not be pushed or rolled up past the wrist.

s. Swimsuits. Midshipmen are permitted to wear a solid Navy blue or a Navy blue and gold Speedo (or other competitive) swimsuit for personal swimming workouts outside of PE classes. Otherwise,

regulation swimsuits are prescribed.

t. Undergarments. Appropriate undergarments will be worn with all uniforms to preserve their dignity and appearance. Underwear, including boxer shorts, briefs, brassieres, and panties shall never be visible when in uniform.

#### 4.05. CIVILIAN CLOTHING

1. Possession. Unless specifically authorized, only first and second class midshipmen may store civilian clothes in their rooms or basement lockers in Bancroft Hall.

2. Wear. MIDSHIPMEN WILL "DRESS UP". What this means is when a midshipman is faced with a choice of fashion, dressing up can never be wrong. Dressing up or wearing civilian clothing meeting the standards of casual attire or better (paragraph 3 below) may be worn as follows:

a. First and Second Class Midshipmen:

(1) On town liberty (during weekend only), weekend liberty or leave. While in civilian clothes, midshipmen must proceed directly to/from Bancroft Hall to/from outside the Yard. Civilian attire is not authorized to be worn at sporting events, religious services or other events/activities that take place within the Yard without special approval. (For the purposes of this instruction, Navy-Marine Corps Stadium is considered an extension of the Yard.) Midshipmen are not authorized to loiter in civilian clothes while on the Yard.

(2) In the Yard at private homes only.

b. Third and fourth class midshipmen are authorized to wear civilian clothes only when on approved overnight weekend liberty when greater than 22 miles away from the Naval Academy or when on leave away from the Naval Academy. This DOES NOT authorize the ownership of civilian clothes in Bancroft Hall.

c. Midshipmen who return to the Naval Academy on official business during their leave period must wear an appropriate uniform (Uniform of the Day).

#### 3. Standards of Dress.

a. When civilian clothing is worn, midshipmen shall ensure that their dress and personal appearance are appropriate for the occasion and will not discredit the U.S. Naval Academy or U.S. Naval Service. The following dress code classification will be followed by midshipmen when civilian clothes are authorized:

<u>Occasion</u>	<u>Men</u>	<u>Women</u>
Formal dress	Dark business suit or tuxedo	Long formal/cocktail or formal pants outfit
Informal	Business suit or conservative sports jacket	Short or long dress, dress slacks and jacket, skirt

	(blazer) with tie. (Sweater with shirt/tie without jacket is NOT informal)	with blazer or blouse/sweater
Casual	Dress trousers, walking shorts and collared shirt/sweater.	Casual dress, dress slacks, walking shorts and blouse/collared shirt/sweater.

b. Midshipmen take part in a wide variety of activities while on liberty. Therefore, a wide range of clothing styles are acceptable. The important point to bear in mind is that the clothes worn on liberty must be appropriate for the occasion. All clothing shall be neat, clean, and wrinkle-free. Jeans are appropriate for certain recreational settings and events (picnics, battlefield tours, yard work, clean-up work, hiking, painting, repair work, etc.) and should not normally be worn on town or yard liberty. Clearly, a midshipman going hiking is going to be dressed differently than a midshipman going to a fine restaurant. The key is for a midshipman to wear civilian apparel commensurate with that expected of a young professional in an executive service. Bottom line: A midshipman confronted with the choice of civilian clothing will always "DRESS UP" consistent with the high standards of the officer corps.

c. The minimum acceptable standard for casual civilian attire is described below:

(1) Men: Trousers or walking shorts (NO gym shorts or shorts that extend below the knees), belt (when trousers/shorts are designed to be worn with a belt), shirt (with collar) tucked in and/or sweaters that are neat in appearance, and appropriate shoes (sandals must have back strap/NO flip flops). Jeans should not normally be worn but are appropriate for certain recreational settings and events. If jeans are worn, they will be neat in appearance, clean, serviceable, and without holes, tears, frays, stains, or varying patterns of color/dye. Hats (caps) in good taste may be worn on liberty (with brim forward) but shall be removed when indoors.

(2) Women: Casual type dresses, skirt/slacks/walking shorts (NO gym shorts or shorts that extend above mid thigh), belt (when slacks/shorts are designed to be worn with a belt) and blouse (sleeveless okay)/collared shirt/sweaters that are neat in appearance, and appropriate shoes (sandals must have heel strap/NO flip flops). NOTE: Dress/formal shoes with heels without heel strap are authorized. Jeans should not normally be worn but are appropriate for certain recreational settings and events. If jeans are worn, they will be neat in appearance, clean, serviceable, and without holes, tears, frays, stains, or varying patterns of color/dye. Hats (caps) in good taste may be worn on liberty (with brim forward) but shall be removed when indoors.

(3) The following are NOT considered casual attire and therefore are inappropriate for wear on liberty/leave:

- (a) Dirty, frayed or torn clothing

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- (b) Cut-off shorts
- (c) Tee-shirts or athletic shirts/jerseys (except to sporting/recreational events when are actively participating)
- (d) Halter tops, tops with spaghetti straps, tank tops, or clothes with bare midriffs.
- (e) Shower shoes, flip flops or barefoot
- (f) Jogging suits, sweat suits, PE gear (unless specifically authorized for special events - e.g., clean-up, repair work, yard work, etc.)
- (g) Any clothing that is so unusual it is clearly inappropriate for wear.

d. The wear or display of clothing, jewelry, or hats (caps) advocating drug or alcohol abuse or depicting drug or alcohol related advertisements or slogans are prohibited. Similarly, the wearing of clothing bearing political slogans, statements of a socially provocative or sexual nature, or may be perceived as offensive in nature, shall NOT be worn.

#### **4.10. CLASS RINGS**

1. The Naval Academy class ring is a symbol which, through the years, has signified the successful and honorable completion of the course of instruction and the receipt of a Naval Academy diploma. To the graduate, the class ring becomes a symbol of honor, loyalty, and devotion to duty in keeping with the highest traditions of Naval Service and high standards demanded of its officers. Midshipmen of each class may, during their second class year, purchase a class ring. This ring will be designed and contracted by the Class Ring and Crest Committee. The policy set forth below will govern an individual's right to obtain and wear a class ring.

a. Midshipmen who do not graduate and receive a diploma, for any reasons whatsoever, are ineligible to retain a class ring. If a midshipman is turned back, the individual will be required to return the ring back to the manufacturer and may order the ring of the new class. Miniatures purchased through the contract manufacturer may be returned at the contract agreed price.

b. All contracts for class rings will contain specific provision requiring the manufacturer to:

(1) Issue rings only upon the order of an accredited class representative.

(2) Accept the return of the ring and miniature, and refund the amount agreed in the contract should any owner become ineligible to retain the ring before graduation.

c. The family of any deceased midshipman who was eligible to wear the Naval Academy class ring may retain the ring.

d. In conformity with custom, the ring may be worn beginning with the Ring Dance at the end of the second class year. The ring should be worn on the third finger of the left hand. Midshipmen should wear the ring so that the class crest faces inward.

**4.15. WEARING OF UNIFORMS**

1. Outside of Bancroft Hall. Anytime a midshipman is outside of Bancroft Hall, that midshipman shall be in an appropriate uniform that is in compliance with this instruction. An appropriate uniform is defined as:

a. Uniform of the Day.

b. Working Uniform of the Day.

c. Uniform that has been prescribed for a specific event. Example: Dinner Dress White for Ring Dance.

d. Physical Education Whites (when prescribed). Issued white court shoes or white court shoes similar in appearance are the only shoes authorized with this uniform. If special athletic shoes are required for a specific evolution, those shoes are to be carried by the midshipman.

e. Regulation Physical Education Gear.

(1) Issue grey sweat suits which are not to be cut or hemmed. Top or bottom may be worn independently.

(2) Blue and Gold Jogging suit with last name and class embroidered on jacket.

(3) All Regulation PE Gear clothing items shall be in good repair. Discolored or torn items shall not be worn. Blue rim T-shirts with visible writing on the outside are not authorized for wear.

f. Varsity and club sport athletic gear. Team athletic gear may be worn during practices or competition. Midshipmen shall transit to and from Bancroft Hall in uniform and change into their athletic gear in the team locker room. Exceptions will be approved by the Deputy Commandant via the OREP on a case by case basis.

(1) For teams whose practice involves running on or off the yard, the Coach, OREP, and Team Captain are responsible for ensuring that all team members are wearing approved (by the OREP) practice uniforms and that they are in fact, uniform in appearance.

g. Midshipmen are authorized to wear the following uniforms for recreational golfing at the USNA Golf Course:

(1) Regulation PE Gear.

(2) Blue collared sport (polo type) shirt over khaki trousers or shorts.

(3) Civilian golf shoes are authorized.

(4) Appropriate civilian attire (for 1/C and 2/C only) as authorized by article 4.05 when on town liberty (during weekend only) or on weekend liberty.

(5) Uniforms for use by the Golf Team during sanctioned competitions and practices will be specified by the golf coach and approved by the OREP.

2. Inside of Bancroft Hall

a. Midshipmen in the following areas will be in the uniform of the day or working uniform of the day at all times unless otherwise indicated:

(1) Rotunda, and areas visible from the Rotunda (including all office spaces) (Blue and Gold Jogging Suit authorized after 1700).

(2) Smoke Hall (Blue and Gold Jogging Suit authorized after 1700).

(3) Memorial Hall

(4) USNA Store

(5) Barber and Beauty shops

(6) King Hall (unless specifically authorized)

b. PE gear authorized INSIDE Bancroft Hall:

(1) Regulation PE Gear.

(2) USNA sweat shirt and pants.

(3) Blue and Gold Jogging suit.

(4) Appropriate Navy/Marine Corps related PE gear (1700-0700, upperclass only).

3. Medical Restrictions to Uniforms: Modified uniforms may be worn only when prescribed by the Medical Department and approved by the Company Officer.

4. General Regulations:

a. Underwear, including boxer shorts, briefs, brassieres, and panties shall never be visible when in uniform.

b. Midshipmen in athletic uniforms will remain clear of the center of the Yard (areas visible from Stribling Walk), Porter Road, Fullam Court, Officers and Faculty Club and Leahy Hall. Midshipmen are authorized to transit T-court and Stribling walk in Blue and Gold Jogging Suits after evening colors.

c. Company or larger sized units may authorize temporary modifications to Reg PE Gear for workouts outside of Bancroft Hall. Ex: Leatherneck may run as a unit in utility trousers, green T-shirt and combat boots. The Company Officer or OREP of the unit must approve the uniform modification in advance of the evolution.

#### **4.20. LAUNDRY PROCEDURES (INCLUDING FOLDING/STORAGE)**

1. Laundry is prepared in the following manner:

a. Soiled laundry will be placed in the corridor outside each midshipman's room between reveille and breakfast formation in accordance with the schedule promulgated by the Regimental Office for subsequent pick-up by laundry personnel.

b. Clean laundry will be returned by laundry personnel and will be placed in the corridor of the wing of Bancroft Hall from which it came. A midshipman designated by the Company Sub-Commander will distribute, immediately upon arrival, the fourth class laundry to the fourth class rooms.

c. Instructions for making up soiled laundry in bags:

(1) Empty laundry bag completely.

(2) Check all items for marking - make sure they are all owned by the owner of the bag, they are marked in the proper places and markings are legible.

(3) Empty all pockets. Remove all collar buttons, pens, cuff links, and uniform buttons. Don't forget to empty the pockets.

(4) Inventory all items and fill out laundry bag ticket.

(5) Place black socks in black sock net bag. Tie it tightly and secure with safety pin to prevent loss. Place the sock net bag in the bottom of the laundry bag.

(6) Place white socks and athletic socks in the white sock net bag. Tie it tightly and secure with safety pin to prevent the loss of socks during washing.

(7) Stencil your alpha number clearly and legibly on the patch provided on both nylon net bags. Consult marking instructions before marking other clothing. Place the following items of clothing in the nylon net:

White Net Bag

Cloth, dust  
Undergarments  
Gloves, white  
Supporters, athletic  
Towels  
Washcloths  
Sheets and pillow cases

Orange Net Bag

Hat, white with blue band  
Shirts, athletic with blue band  
Shorts, blue with gold stripe  
Sweat gear

(8) Close net bag tightly by securing tightly with a safety pin. The safety pin will be secured no more than 1/4" from the top of the laundry bag.

(9) A fine mesh bag will be used by women to send all "personals" to the laundry. Items such as panties, bras, and slips must be sent in this bag. This bag will not be opened by laundry employees. Pantyhose are not to be included in the women's personal bag. Pantyhose shall be sent to the laundry in the small black sock net bag.

(10) Note: All net bags must be secured with safety pin of the laundry will reject them.

d. Place the remainder of the clothes, including white works, in the bag by putting the bedspreads in last and tucking them in to keep the smaller items from falling out of the laundry bag. Be sure to put laundry bag ticket into the bag, retaining the original white copy for reference.

e. DO NOT FILL NET LAUNDRY BAG ABOVE THE LEVEL WHERE THE NAMETAG IS AFFIXED. Exceeding this level will result in incompletely dried laundry which may smell and will be badly wrinkled when returned

f. Summer White uniforms and Service Dress White uniforms will be tied in a bundle, a laundry press ticket will be completed and inserted in the bundle, and the bundle will be placed inside the canvas laundry bag.

g. Blankets, bathrobes, and scarves should be placed in the blue dry cleaning bag with a dry cleaning ticket. The dry cleaning bag is then placed inside the laundry bag.

h. Secure the bag so that in handling and trucking the clothes cannot fall out.

i. Ensure name, room number and company number are marked in the middle half of laundry bag with indelible ink and mark midshipman identification number across the left bottom of the bag - both left sides.

j. Do not place damp clothing in laundry bags. Allow such clothing to dry thoroughly or it will mildew quickly and be rendered unserviceable.

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k. If, through error, another's clothes are received, return them immediately to the laundry, not to the owner. Each Battalion Office has a complete list of midshipmen identification numbers.

l. MOST LAUNDRY LOST BY MIDSHIPMEN IS CAUSED BY THEIR FAILURE TO MARK IT PROPERLY OR TO PICK IT UP PROMPTLY WHEN RETURNED TO THEIR DECK.

m. Claims for lost or damaged items will be submitted within two weeks after loss or damage, through the Company Officer, to the Fifth Wing Laundry Claims Office.

2. Laundry will be collected/redistributed in accordance with schedule published by Brigade Services.

3. After labeling all items with the proper alpha number, issued clothing should be folded in accordance with the following instructions:

a. Underwear (male and female) - divide into thirds; fold right third and then left third back; fold bottom up to form a square with waistband at the top; stack in locker with rounded ends flush and facing out (Figure 4-A).

b. Brassieres - divide into thirds; fold right third and then left third back; fold top straps down to form a square; stack in locker with bottom sweatbands flush and facing out (Figure 4-B).

c. Socks - line pair up one sock on top of the other; beginning at the toes, roll the pair into one tight ball until the tops of the socks are reached; pinch free ends to the ball while pulling the edge of the outside sock back around the ball in the opposite direction of the roll; resulting enclosed ball should form a "smile"; line balled socks up from the front of the locker to the back, smiles facing up (Figure 4-C).

d. T-shirts (blue rims, intramural jerseys, white T-shirts, V-necks) - with shirt face down on a hard surface, fold bottom half of shirt back until the bottom edge lines up with the shoulders; fold both sleeves back to form a rectangle; fold bottom third of resulting rectangle back (crest should still be face down); fold top third back; fold this new rectangle in half lengthwise so that crest is now face up; stack shirts in locker with rounded ends flush and facing out and all crests facing up (Figure 4-D).

e. Shorts - (including male swimsuits) - holding waistband, bring yellow side-stripes together; fold bottom third of shorts up; fold top third of shorts down; fold resulting rectangle in half lengthwise so that yellow stripe runs across the rounded end; stack in locker with yellow stripes flush and facing out (Figure 4-E).

f. Swimsuits (female) - fold bottom half back; fold resulting form in half width-wise (Figure 4-F).

g. Trousers (white works, gray sweatpants) - fold pants in half so that legs line up; fold bottom third up; fold top third down; stack in locker with waistbands facing up and rounded ends flush and facing out (Figure 4-G).

h. Jumpers (white works gray sweatshirts, blue sweaters) - with jumper face down on a hard surface, fold right third back and fold sleeve down behind; do the same with the left third to form a rectangle; fold bottom half of rectangle back; stack in locker with rounded ends flush and facing out and front of jumper facing up (Figure 4-H).

i. Towels - dividing the width into thirds, fold the right third forward and then the left third; fold bottom third of resulting rectangle up and top third down; stack in locker with rounded ends flush and facing out (Figure 4-I).

j. Washcloths - fold in half widthwise; fold in half lengthwise; stack in locker on top of towels with rounded ends flush and facing out (Figure 4-J).

k. Pillowcases - fold in half widthwise; fold in half lengthwise twice; stack in locker on top of sheets with rounded ends flush and facing out (Figure 4-K).

l. Flat Sheets (to include blue bedspreads) - fold in half widthwise; fold in half lengthwise twice; divide the new width into thirds; fold the right and left thirds back; fold the new length in half; stack in locker with rounded ends flush and facing out (Figure 4-L).

m. Fitted Sheets - folded in half widthwise placing left top corner inside right top corner and left bottom corner inside right bottom corner so that the extra material due to the elasticized corners lines three sides of the new rectangle; fold the length over a distance equal to the width of the extra material lining that length; fold this rectangle in half lengthwise three times; stack in locker with the flat sheets and pillowcases with rounded ends flush and facing out (Figure 4-M).

n. Large Laundry Bags (to include large net bags and dry-cleaning bags) dividing the width into thirds, fold the right third back and then the left third; dividing the length into fifths, fold the first top and bottom fifths back and then the second top and bottom fifths back to form a square; stack in locker with other laundry bags with rounded ends flush and facing out and names facing up (Figure 4-N).

o. Small Laundry Bags - fold in half lengthwise; stack on top of large bags with rounded ends flush and facing out (Figure 4-O).

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p. Wool Blankets - to be stowed in lockers in their plastic preservation bags; when displayed on the end of a rack, first bring the yellow ends together; fold the resulting rectangle in half lengthwise; fold this new rectangle into thirds so that the yellow ends remain on the outside; stow on rack with yellow ends facing up and the rounded edge facing out.

4. Locker Stowage: Proper locker stowage should be uniform and in accordance with the following guidelines in Figure 4-P.

a. Figure 4-P illustrates the general locker set-up.

b. These stowage procedures are established for rooms with the same number of midshipmen as there are lockers. In the event that a room is occupied by more midshipmen than there are lockers to accommodate them, one midshipman will be required to divide his/her issue between the lockers to maintain the uniform stowage delineated above.

c. The general rule for uniforms is always black to white, left to right, top to bottom. The only exception to this is shoe stowage in the closet. To preserve the white shoes, they should be placed on the top rungs (toes out), followed by the black shoes on the middle rung (toes out), and lastly the sneakers, high-tops, and slippers on the bottom rungs (toes in).

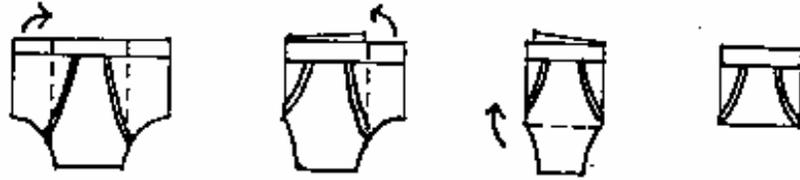


Figure 4-A Underwear (Male and Female)

Figure 4-B Brassieres

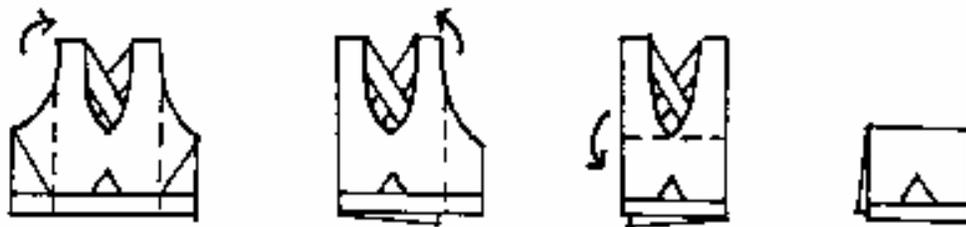


Figure 4-C Socks



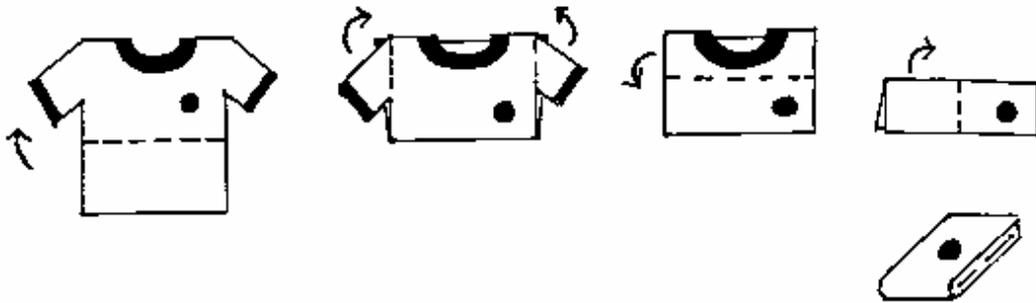


Figure 4-D  
Blue Rim T-Shirts, Intramural Jerseys, White T-shirts, V-Neck Shirts

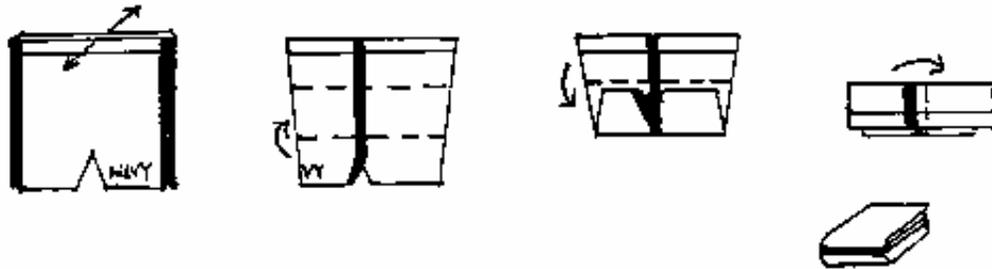


Figure 4-E Shorts, Swimsuits (Male)



Figure 4-F Swimsuits (Female)

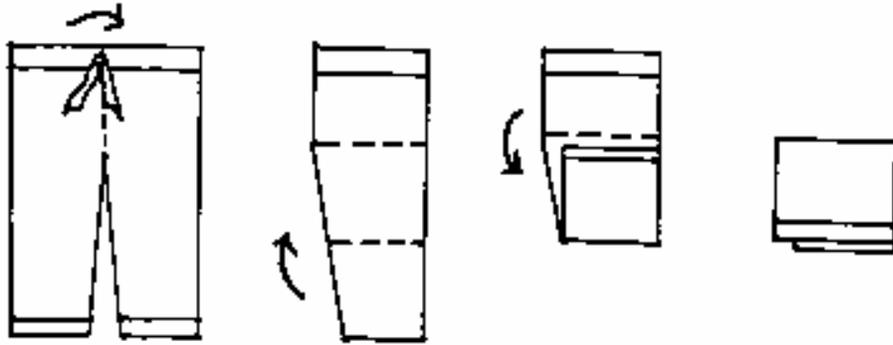


Figure 4-G White Works Trousers, Gray Sweatpants

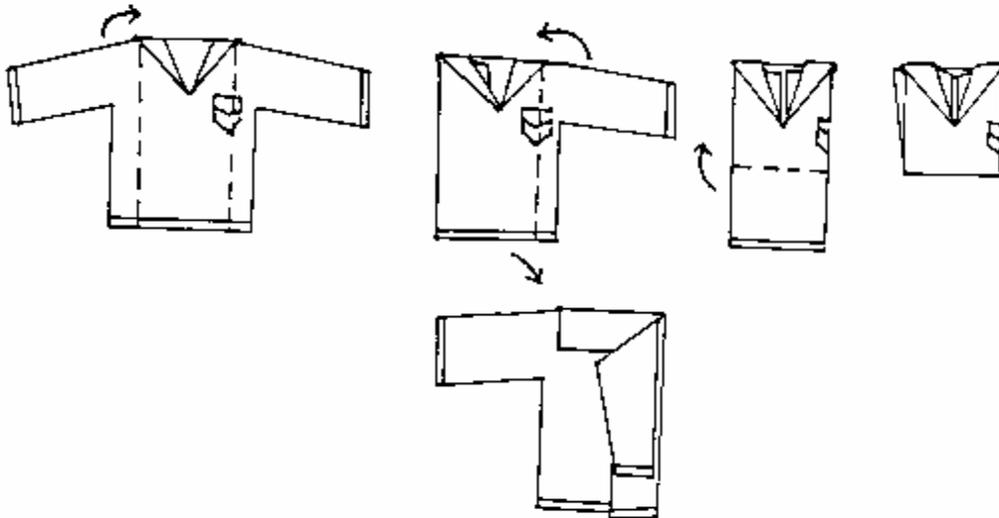


Figure 4-H White Works Jumpers, Gray Sweatshirts, Black Sweaters

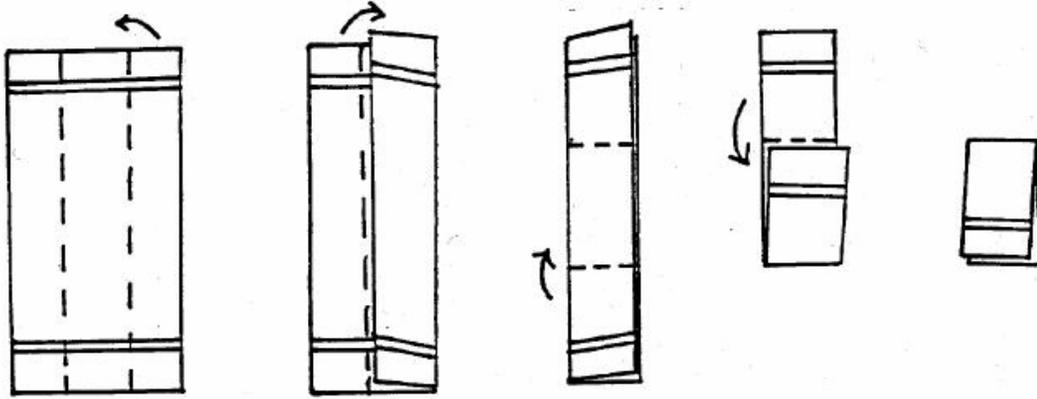


Figure 4-I Towels

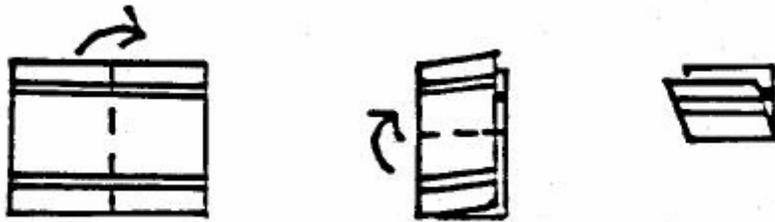


Figure 4-J Washcloths

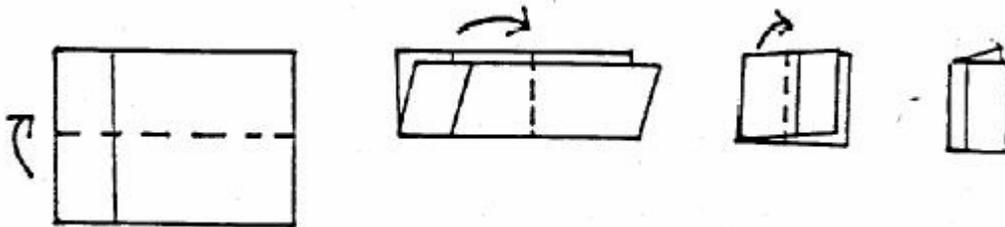


Figure 4-k Pillowcases

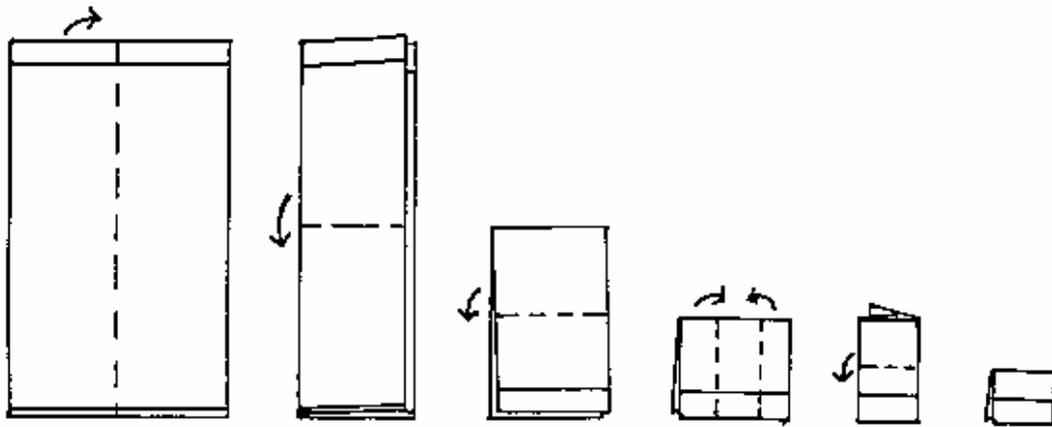


Figure 4-L Flat Sheets, Bedspreads

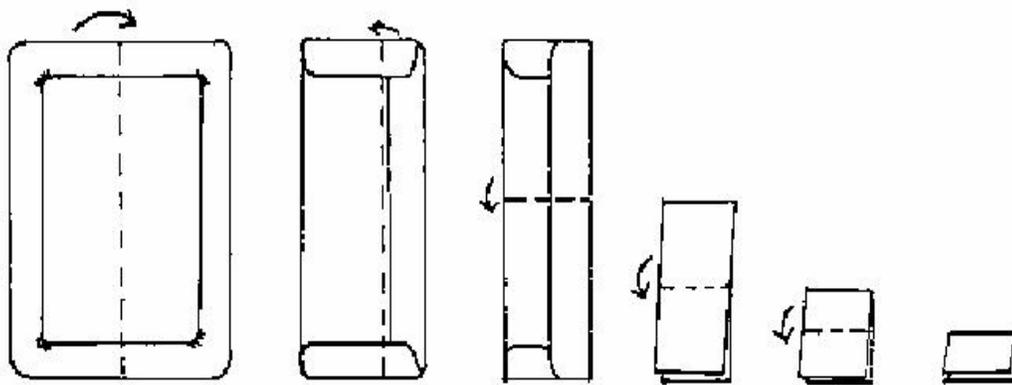


Figure 4-M Fitted Sheets

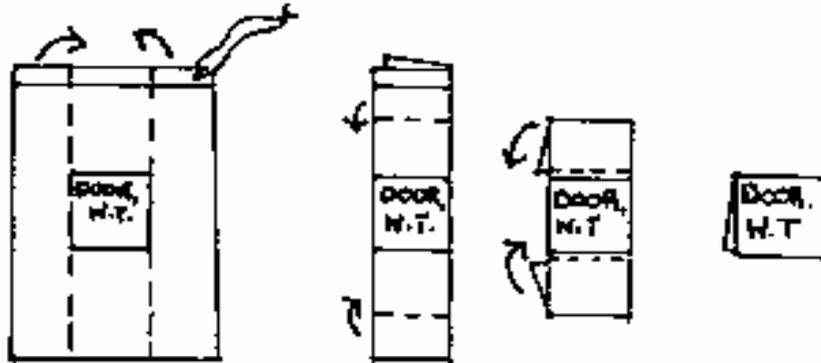
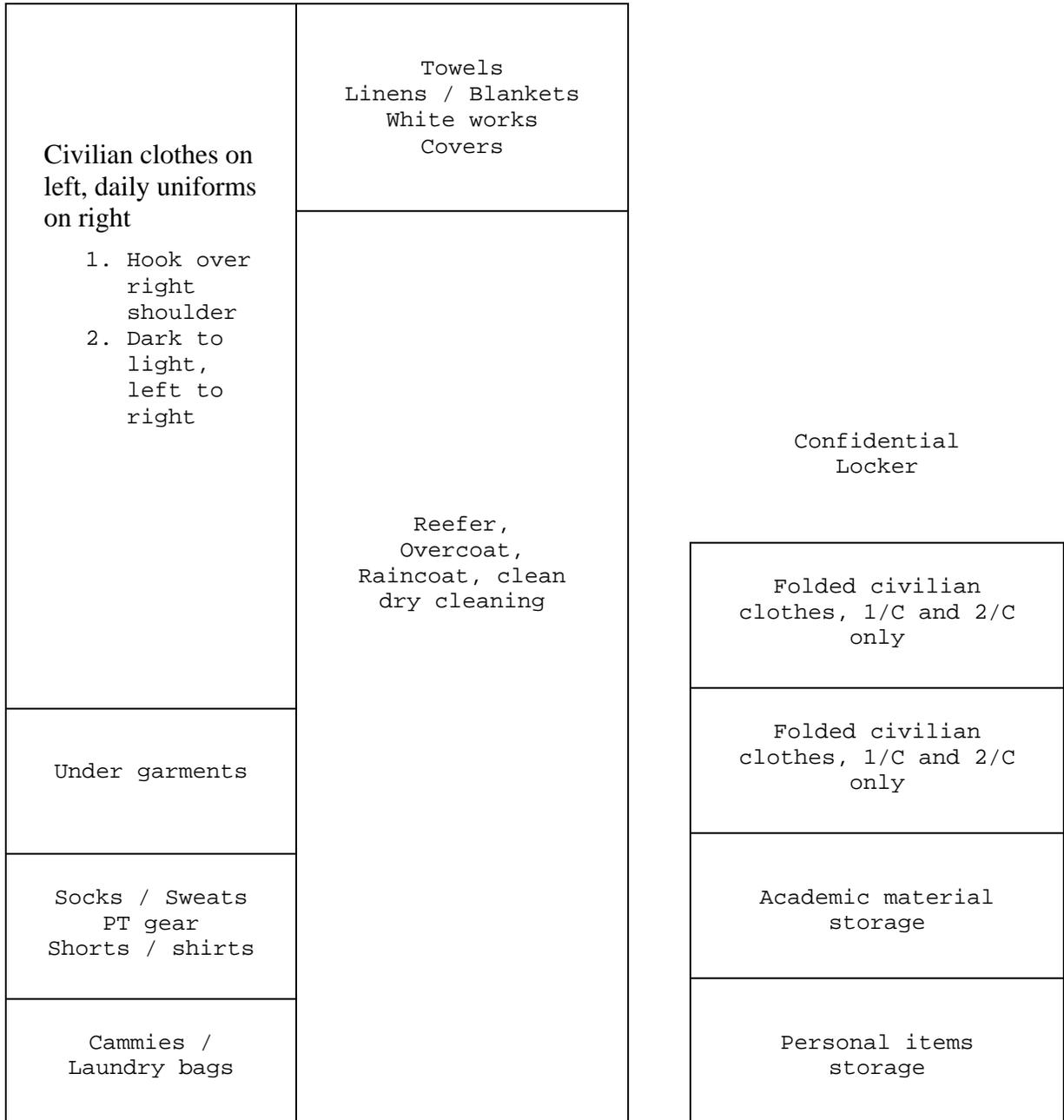


Figure 4-N Large Laundry Bags, Large Netbags, Dry Cleaning Bags



Figure 4-O Small Laundry Bags

CLOSET STOWAGE DIAGRAM FOR RENOVATED WINGS



Notes: For storage of all items, dark to light, left to right. For additional person, add up to 2 shelves, to storage side, and split locked storage. Shoes will be on door racks, white to black, top to bottom.

Figure 4-P

## CHAPTER 5

### GROOMING STANDARDS

#### 5.0. GENERAL (GROOMING)

1. Grooming standards are based on several elements including neatness, cleanliness, safety, military image, and appearance. The standards established are not intended to be overly restrictive nor are they designed to isolate midshipmen from society. The limits set forth are reasonable, enforceable, and ensure the personal appearance contributes to a favorable military image.

2. Midshipmen are associated and identified with the Naval Service in and out of uniform, and when on or off duty. Tattoos and brands are unprofessional. Therefore, midshipmen may not be tattooed or branded. Any pre-existing tattoos or brands must not be visible when wearing regulation PE gear. Any tattoos or brands prejudicial to good order and discipline, offensive, or those of a nature to bring discredit to the Naval Service are prohibited.

#### 5.05. PERSONAL APPEARANCE (MEN)

1. Male midshipmen should be well groomed at all times and shall meet the following minimum standards:

a. Hair. Will be neat, clean, and present a good appearance. Hair above the ears and around the neck shall be tapered from the lower hairline upwards at least three-fourths inch and outwards not greater than three-fourths inch to blend with hair style. Blocked haircuts and rounded or square back haircuts are not authorized. Hair on the back of the neck will not touch the collar. Hair shall be no longer than four inches. When groomed, it may not touch the ears, extend below the eyebrows when headgear is removed, nor interfere with the proper wearing of military headgear. Bulk of the hair shall not exceed two inches. Bulk is defined as the distance the mass of hair protrudes from the scalp. Hair color must look natural and complement the individual. Faddish and outrageous multicolor hair is not authorized.

(1) Midshipmen are not permitted to cut other midshipmen's hair or to receive haircuts from other midshipmen.

NOTE: The unique quality and texture of curly, kinked, waved, and straight hair is recognized, and in some cases the three-fourths inch taper at the back of the neck may be difficult to obtain. In those special cases, hair must present a graduated appearance and may combine the taper with a line at the back of the neck. Varying hair styles, including afro, are permitted provided these styles meet the criteria of maximum length and bulk, tapered neck and sides, and do not interfere with the proper wearing of the military headgear. Plaited or braided hair shall not be worn while in uniform or in a duty status.

b. Sideburns. Shall be trimmed neatly and shall not extend below a point level with the middle of the ear. They shall be uniform in width throughout their length (no flare) and shall end with a clean-shaven horizontal line.

c. Hairpieces. May be worn while in uniform for cosmetic reasons to cover natural baldness or physical disfigurement. When a wig or hairpiece is worn, it will be of good quality and fit, present a natural appearance, not interfere with the proper performance of duty, not present a safety or FOD (foreign object damage) hazard, and will conform to the grooming standards in these regulations.

d. Facial Hair. Is not authorized for midshipmen for other than medical reasons. Facial hair permitted for medical reasons shall not exceed one-quarter inch in length and will present a neat overall appearance.

e. Fingernails. Shall be trimmed so as not to extend past fingertips. They shall be kept clean.

f. Jewelry. The wearing of jewelry is authorized for male midshipmen. Jewelry, when worn, shall not present a FOD hazard. Jewelry shall be worn within the guidelines set herein.

(1) Rings. Only one ring per hand is authorized. Thumb rings are not authorized.

(2) Earrings and other pierced jewelry. Never authorized.

(3) Necklaces. When in uniform, only one may be worn and it shall not be visible.

(4) Wristwatches. One is authorized to be worn. The style and color of the watch should complement the uniform. Faddish colors and styles will not be worn.

(5) Bracelets. While in uniform, only medical and POW/MIA bracelets are authorized.

#### **5.10. PERSONAL APPEARANCE (WOMEN)**

1. Female midshipmen shall be well groomed at all times and shall meet the following minimum standards:

a. Hair. Keep hair clean, neatly shaped, and arranged in an attractive and professional style. Faddish and exaggerated styles are prohibited. Hair styles with multiple braids are authorized. Braided hairstyles shall be conservative and conform to the guidelines listed herein. When a hairstyle of multiple braids is worn, braids shall be of uniform dimension, small in diameter (approx. 1/4 inch), and tightly interwoven to present a neat, professional, well groomed appearance. Foreign material (i.e. beads, decorative items) shall not be braided into the hair. Short hair may be braided in symmetrical fore and aft

rows (corn rowing) which minimizes scalp exposure. Corn row ends shall not protrude from the head, and shall be secured only with inconspicuous rubber bands that match the color of the hair. Appropriateness of a hairstyle will be judged by its appearance when headgear is worn. Ponytails and pigtails are not permitted. When in uniform, hair on the back of the head may not touch or fall below the lower edge of the collar. Long hair, including braids, must be neatly and inconspicuously fastened, pinned or secured to the head presenting a professional hair style and may not hang free at any point. Hair must not show under the front of the combination hat, garrison cap or command ball cap. Afro, natural, bouffant, and other similar hair styles, which do not interfere with the wearing of military head gear, are permitted. The bulk of the hair shall not exceed two inches. Bulk is defined as the distance that the mass of the hair protrudes from the scalp. Hair coloring must look natural and compliment the individual. Faddish and outrageous multicolor hair is not authorized. Visible hair nets may be worn only if authorized for specific duties such as hospitals or galleys.



Hair shall not fall below the  
lower edge of the back of the  
collar as indicated by line A.

These regulations will apply at all times when in uniform, including White Works. When wearing White Works, the "bottom of the collar" will be a point where the collar of a regular uniform would reasonably be. Hair will be allowed to fall freely or be worn in ponytails when in P.E. gear. Midshipmen are not permitted to cut other midshipmen's hair or to receive haircuts from other midshipmen.

b. Hair Ornaments. Conspicuous rubber bands, combs and pins are not authorized. When worn, hair ornaments shall not present a safety

or FOD (Foreign Object Damage) hazard. A maximum of two barrettes, similar to hair color, may be used to pin up hair.

c. Cosmetics. Cosmetics shall be applied in good taste so that colors blend with natural skin tone and enhance natural features. Exaggerated or faddish cosmetic styles are inappropriate with the uniform and shall not be worn. Care should be taken to avoid an artificial appearance. Lipstick shall be conservative in color and complement the Navy uniform. Long false eyelashes shall not be worn when in uniform.

d. Fingernails. Fingernails shall not exceed one-quarter inch measured from the fingertip. Nail polish shall be a soft shade complementary to the skin tone.

e. Jewelry. The wearing of jewelry is authorized for all women midshipmen. Jewelry, when worn, shall not present a safety or FOD hazard. Jewelry shall be worn within the guidelines set here:

(1) Rings. Only one ring per hand is authorized. Thumb rings are not authorized.

(2) Earrings. One earring per ear (centered on earlobe) may be worn while in uniform. Earrings shall be 4mm - 6mm ball (approximately 1/8 - 1/4 inch), plain with shiny or brushed matte finish, screw-on or with posts. Small single pearl earrings are authorized for wear with Dinner and Formal Dress uniforms. Earrings are not authorized for wear with the camouflage utility uniform. Other types of pierced jewelry are never authorized.

(3) Necklaces. When in uniform, only one necklace may be worn and it shall not be visible.

(4) Wristwatch. One is authorized to be worn. The style and color of the watch should complement the uniform. Faddish colors and styles will not be worn.

(5) Bracelets. While in uniform, only medical and POW/MIA bracelets are authorized.