



NAVY LEAGUE  **LIGUE NAVALE**
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NAVY LEAGUE CADET OFFICER TRAINING

Midshipman(NL) Qualification

Module V - Dress Standards

INTRODUCTION

This module is intended to give junior Officers an overview of the National Uniform Dress Standards.

RATIONALE

All Officers are required to know and maintain the proper uniform standards at all times.

PREREQUISITES

None

GENERAL OBJECTIVES

To prepare the Midshipman candidate for the requirements that s/he will encounter as per Uniform Dress Standards, while a Civilian Instructor and while a warranted Officer.

LEARNING ACTIVITIES

Study printed material
Attend Officers Rank Qualification Course
Answer questions

RESOURCES

Module
NL Dress Regulations
Self-help test

UNIFORMS

Dress and deportment will be covered in other rank qualification courses. In this module we will discuss the Alberta Division Directives for acceptable uniforms within the division. These directives do not supersede the NL Dress Regulations but merely streamline the content.

CEREMONIAL (C-1)

CAP: Naval pattern, white with plain black peak for male Officers. Naval pattern, white females cap with plain black peak.

CAP BADGE: Navy Pattern for all Officers.

JACKET	Navy pattern, black double breasted with six buttons for males and females.
TROUSERS	Of same material and color as jacket for both males and females. Female trousers may or may not have belt loops.
SKIRT	Optional for females. A-line pattern of same material and color as jacket. Not worn when fallen in on a parade deck.
SHIRT	Long sleeved white shirt with a button up collar.
INSIGNIA	Only Navy League approved insignia shall be worn on Navy League Officer uniforms
TIE	Plain black for all Officers
SHOES	Black oxford style with plain toe for all Officers
SOCKS	Plain black.
NAMETAGS	Outlined in NL Dress Regulations
SERVICE PINS	Outlined in NL Dress Regulations
STOCKINGS	For females in skirts, black or beige, consistent within a Corp
OVERCOAT	A naval pattern, double breasted overcoat with Navy League Brass buttons, slip on rank insignia, Navy League shoulder flashes or naval style Burberry with same.
GLOVES	Black leather

Note: Overcoat not to be worn on Parade. Gloves acceptable if all Officers wear them.

WINTER DRESS (non-ceremonial) (W-1)

CAP	As outlined in C-1
BERET	(Optional) Black beret with approved cap badge. Only to be worn at Corp level parades or functions and to be worn by all Officers, not a mix of caps & berets.
SWEATERS	Black/navy ribbed knit sweater with crew/v-neck, cloth elbow and shoulder patches, epaulettes with approved rank insignia. No name tags.

SHIRT Long sleeved white shirt. Open collar outside of sweater. For all Officers

SHOES Shoes as outlined in C-1.

BOOTS & SOCKS Military style ankle high parade boots with grey wool socks -
NO COMBAT STYLE BOOTS

TROUSERS As outlined in C-1

OVERCOAT As outlined in C-1

SUMMER DRESS (non-ceremonial) (C-2)

CAP, BERET, As outlined in C-1

TROUSERS, SHOES, BOOTS, SOCKS, OVERCOAT

SHIRT White short sleeved shirt with button up breast pockets and epaulettes with approved slip ons or shoulder boards.

NAMETAGS, Outlined in NL Dress Regulations

SERVICE PINS

WORK DRESS

BERET As outlined in W-1. Corps ball caps may be worn.

BOOTS As outline in W-1. No shoes with work dress.

TROUSERS Navy pattern, black work dress pants.

SHIRT Navy pattern, postal blue long sleeved work shirt, sleeves to be rolled up above elbows when in summer dress. Can be worn with sweater when in winter dress.

NAMETAGS As per NL regulations.

CIVILIAN INSTRUCTOR (C.I.)

CEREMONIAL DRESS Black shoes or boots (polished), black/grey socks, black trousers, white long sleeved shirt, black Officers tie, name tag, medals if authorized. NO cap.

WINTER DRESS	Black shoes or boots (polished), black/grey socks, black trousers, white long sleeved shirt, black sweater. NO cap.
SUMMER DRESS	Black shoes or boots (polished), black/grey socks, black trousers, white short sleeved shirt, name tag. NO cap.
WORK DRESS	Same rig of the day for all Officers.

MEDALS / RIBBONS

Corp Administration Officers should send a letter to the Division Administration Officer if they have an Officer who is entitled to wear any medals or ribbons. The Division Administration Officer will forward that entitlement to National so that an entitlement may be issued. A copy of that entitlement should be kept on the Officer's file at the Corp level.

NOTE: These orders are very explicit and permission must be requested by the Commanding Officer through Branch, Division and National Council to wear them.

CONCLUSION

The Navy League Dress manual is the governing document that every Navy League Cadet Corp must adhere to in its day-to-day operation. These rules and regulations, along with specific rules and regulations laid down by the Division must be followed. Every Officer should be familiar with these regulations and should have a copy given to them for reference purposes. We have only formally discussed some of these regulations, but now it is up to you to take the time to become more knowledgeable of the Navy League Dress manual's contents.

SELF - HELP TEST

COMPLETE THIS BEFORE ATTENDING THE OFFICER RANK QUALIFICATION COURSE AND BE PREPARED TO HAND IT IN.

1) Female Officers must wear skirts for Ceremonial dress:

- a) True
- b) False

2) Only Navy League approved insignia shall be worn on Navy League Officers uniforms:

- a) True
- b) False

3) Combat boots are acceptable for ceremonial dress:

- a) True
- b) False

4) Navy League Officers will NOT wear berets with work dress:

- a) True
- b) False

5) Only crew neck sweaters are acceptable as part of the winter dress uniform:

- a) True
- b) False