

TROOP 1 PORTSMOUTH UNIFORM STANDARDS

1. A uniform inspection will be conducted at every Troop meeting.
2. Since the Scout uniform reflects a Scout's pride in himself and Scouting, all uniform items should be neat and clean.
3. The following uniforms are hereby standardized for Scouts in Troop 1:
 - a. Full (Class A) uniform, which shall be worn to all troop meetings, PLC s, Scoutmaster Conferences, and Boards of Review, and on other designated occasions, e.g., departing on and returning from campouts, includes the following items:
 - 1) Scout shirt (short or long-sleeved) displaying appropriate insignia for rank, position, and patrol, and other appropriate items, e.g., Quality Unit patch (most recent year only), award knots, service stars (not required on campouts), and one temporary insignia (on right pocket).
 - 2) Scout pants or shorts with Scout belt.
 - 3) Troop hat and neckerchief with slide. (Scout-related bolo tie may be worn to PLCs and on certain other occasions as authorized in advance by Scoutmaster).
 - 4) Scout socks and shoes. (No sandals.)
 - 5) Merit badge sash. (Optional. Troop custom is to tuck folded merit badge sash into belt, but may be worn over shoulder.)
 - 6) Scout Handbook.
 - b. Ceremonial (Class A+) uniform, which shall be worn to all courts of honor and other ceremonial events, includes the following items:
 - 1) Class A Scout shirt (short or long-sleeved) with any medals earned, e.g., religious awards.
 - 2) Scout pants or shorts with Scout belt.
 - 3) Troop hat and neckerchief with slide. (Eagle Scouts may wear Eagle neckerchief.)
 - 4) Scout socks and clean shoes.
 - 5) Merit badge sash and Order of Arrow sash, if member. (OA sash worn in accordance with Order guidelines; however, merit badge and OA sashes may not be worn over shoulder simultaneously.)
 - c. Informal (Class B) uniform, which may be worn on occasions as authorized in advance by the Scoutmaster, includes the following items:
 - 1) Scout shirt (short or long-sleeved) displaying (as a minimum) Troop identification and rank patch; Scout-related (e.g., Camp Yawgoog) collared shirt or T-shirt; tropical (Hawaiian) collared shirt; or plain T-shirt.
 - 2) Scout pants or shorts with Scout belt.
 - 3) Troop or other Scout-related (e.g., annual Camp Yawgoog) hat. No neckwear required.
 - 4) Scout socks and shoes or sandals (in summer).
 - d. Work (Class C) uniform, which may be worn to non-uniformed events or for activities when uniforms would be subject to unnecessary soiling, includes the following:
 - 1) Shirt or T-shirt (no inappropriate messages).
 - 2) Pants or shorts (no embroidery or chains) with belt.
 - 3) Troop or other Scout-related (e.g., annual Camp Yawgoog) hat (optional). No neckwear required.
 - 4) Footwear appropriate to event.
4. If Scouts come to meetings directly from other events, such as sporting activities, they may wear clothing appropriate for the previous event (with the exception of cleated footwear). However, Scouts are encouraged to change into appropriate Scout uniform if time permits.