

TAFE DRESS CODE FOR ALL CONFERENCES:

NEW! Student Mandatory Attire for General Sessions, Recognition Sessions, Exhibits, Workshops, Breakout Sessions, Competitions and Luncheons



ACCEPTABLE ATTIRE:

- TAFE black blazer is encouraged
 - Area and State Officers cannot wear their royal blue blazers during competitions
- Red, Royal blue, black, white polo, button down, professional shirt or blouse (long or short sleeves)
 - Red, black, white cardigan/blazer may be worn over blouses, shirts, and sheath dresses
- Black or Khaki bottoms (slacks, skirt, sheath dress)
- Dress shoes (black or brown preferred) (no athletic shoes, flip flops or sandals without a heel strap) (maximum 3" heel)
- Jeans, t-shirts, athletic wear are NOT acceptable
- Clean and neatly groomed (wrinkle-free)
- Conference name badge worn for competition and awards
- No shorts are allowed at any TAFE Area or State Conference

Schools who are flagged for dress code violations, could lose IN GOOD STANDING status with the TAFE organization.

UNACCEPTABLE ATTIRE:

- Jeans
- T-Shirts
- Skin-tight clothing
- Midriff-baring clothing
- Extremely short skirts or dresses (shorter than 2 inches above the knee)
- Clothing with printing that is suggestive, obscene, or promoting alcohol or illegal substances/activities
- Athletic clothing
- Swimwear, unless wearing a cover-up and only traveling to and from and at the pool
- Rubber, beach type flip-flops
- Nightwear (pajamas) should not be worn outside of your hotel room



NOTE: Students should be aware that when competing points may be deducted for what the judge considers to be inappropriate or non-businesslike appearance and dress. (Examples of this may include visible tattoos, facial piercing, hair styles or colors, etc.)

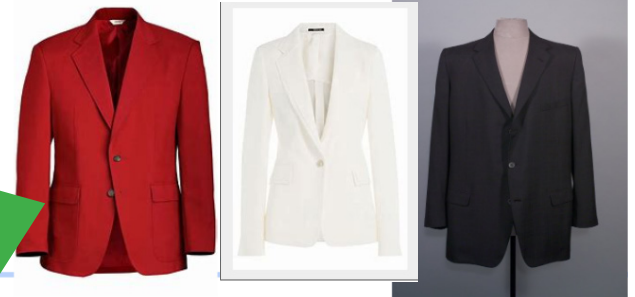
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TAFE BLAZER INFORMATION:

TAFE black blazer is encouraged, however any red, black, or white blazer can be worn. The official TAFE black blazer, can be ordered online.

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Dress Code Do's



Black and Brown Shoes Preferred



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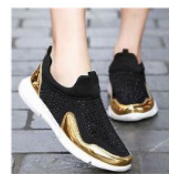
Dress Code Don'ts



No prints/patterns on blouses



No athletic shoes
Dress is wrong color & style



No heels over 3 inches
No athletic shoes including designer athletic, flip flops or sandals

Blue & white skirt is not a black or Khaki sheath dress/skirt



No printed cardigans /blazers



No shorts



No colored bottoms



Messy, not neatly groomed, wrinkled



No athletic wear



No jeans & t-shirts

No athletic shoes including designer athletic, flip flops or sandals!

