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The clothing you wear to work, will send the appropriate message. Choosing your clothes and accessories carefully communicates that you are professional and prepared for the job.

The most important rule in clothing etiquette is; **Follow the dress code policy of your company.** If you don't know, look around; if you still don't know, ask.

Pay attention to your colour choices. “Darker colours (black, dark gray, navy blue e.t.c.) usually convey a stronger impression than lighter ones.”

Avoid overly flashy clothes. Clothes that are too flashy can be distracting and the visual equivalent of shouting.



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Be appropriate even on casual days. You surely are being permitted to wear something that is casual, but it does not mean you have to wear something that is illustrating what you imply to do in the weekend



It is not important how expensive your clothes are rather how clean and neat they are matters a lot. **Your clothes must be cleaned and ironed every day.**



If your clothes are too big or too small, they are not going to look good. **Wear clothes that best fit you.**

Pick one color for each day of the week and shop accordingly, it makes choosing an outfit everyday a lot easier.



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Clothing essentials for women

Suits - Best material is pure wool or a wool blend. Color: navy, charcoal gray and black are all acceptable. Patterns, if any, should be muted. Choose a conservative style that is versatile.

Blouses - Tops can be button ups, turtle necks, shells, or fashion blouses. - Keep colors neutral, don't wear loud colors or patterns. - Whatever you wear make sure it keeps you covered

Skirts - Should be a modest length, no shorter than 2 inches above the knee. Skirts for professional wear should be fitting but not clingy and not flowing.

Shoes - Ensure that your shoes are well maintained and polished before leaving for the office. Heels should be no higher than two inches.

Accessories - should be kept to a minimum. - handbags should match your outfit, as well as scarves and/or belts.



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Clothing essentials for men

Suits - Pants with a matching jacket - Best material is pure wool or a wool blend. As for color, navy, charcoal gray and black are all acceptable. Patterns, if any, should be muted. Choose a conservative style that is versatile.

Shirts - Best material is cotton or cotton blend. Long sleeve shirts are more professional than short sleeve.

Shoes - Best material is leather. Shoes can be with or without shoe ties and should be well polished.

Ties - Ties should reach the top of your belt buckle and complement your shirt and suit

Socks - Should match color of your shoes and pants, and that they cover or reach mid calf. Exposing skin due to short socks is not professional.





The Bottom Line

Dressing for success in business is quite simple when you adhere to the few simple rules. Opt for classic professional pieces; maintain a clean, well-groomed image and whenever you are unsure of the dress code, over-dress rather than taking the casual route.

Thank you



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