

## Page Dress Code

The House of Representatives Employee Manual requires that employees should observe a business professional dress code. “Business professional” means suits or sport coats/slacks/ties for gentlemen and dresses, slacks or skirts/blouses, jackets or sweaters for ladies.

Basic guidelines for appropriate workplace dress **do not** include tight pants or short skirts. Skirts should be knee length, and dark tights are acceptable. Tank tops, halter tops, spaghetti straps, low-cut blouses or sweaters, or any extreme style or fashion in dress, footwear, accessories or hair is not appropriate. Clothing that is distracting, offensive, revealing or provocative, is not suitable. Visible body art and piercings, with the exception of a single set of earrings, are prohibited and must be removed or covered.

**Please note that if the guidelines above are not followed, the Page Coordinators have the authority to require the Page to change.**

High heels are **strongly** discouraged as the floors and stairwells are marble and can be very slick in places. There is a great amount of walking involved in Page duties. For comfort and safety reasons please consider flat heeled shoes. As an exception, clean athletic shoes may be worn. The House Chamber is kept quite cool. Young ladies are encouraged, but not required, to wear slacks. A sweater or jacket may be worn or brought.

Business casual is the expected dress for any outings outside of the Capitol or after-hours. Jeans and appropriate tops are included in that dress. Please plan accordingly!

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Parent or Guardian Signature