

DRESS CODE FOR LEADERSHIP CONFERENCES

From the time delegates leave their home chapters and until their return and throughout the Leadership Conferences, delegates shall adhere to the following dress code requirements:

During a DECA conference, a DECA sweatshirt or a DECA t-shirt will be allowed only at a social DECA activity. If seen in jeans, students will not be allowed to participate in that activity until they are wearing proper attire. If refusing to change clothing, or if they are seen again in jeans, the participant will no longer be allowed to take part in the scheduled activities.

The Dress Code follows:

When Appearing before Judges at District and State Conferences

For a more polished, professional appearance, it is recommended that students wear appropriate hosiery/sock

Females

Business suit or blazer highly recommended. Dress, dress skirt or dress slacks and a dress blouse; dress shoes.

Males

Business suit or blazer highly recommended. Dress slacks, collared dress shirt and necktie; dress shoes and dress socks required.

DECA General Sessions, Meal Functions

Females

Business suit or blazer highly recommended. Dress, dress skirt or dress slacks and a dress blouse; dress shoes.

Males

Business suit or blazer highly recommended. Dress slacks, collared dress shirt and necktie; dress shoes and dress socks required.

Event Briefing, Manual Registration and Testing

Females

Business suit or blazer highly recommended. Dress, dress skirt or dress slacks and a dress blouse; dress shoes.

Males

Business suit or blazer highly recommended. Dress slacks, collared dress shirt and necktie; dress shoes and dress socks required.

Dance Attire

Casual slacks with blouse or shirt. (appropriately worn DECA logo sweatshirt or t-shirt is ok) Appropriate jeans and athletic shoes may be worn to the dance if the Colorado DECA advisory committee approves it during their January committee meeting. Shoes are required.

The following are unacceptable during DECA activities:

- Skin-tight or revealing clothing
- Midriff-baring clothing
- Clothing with printing that is suggestive, obscene or promotes illegal substances
- Athletic clothing, t-shirts (appropriate DECA t-shirt is ok)
- Swimwear
- Jeans (appropriate for DECA dance if approved by advisory committee)