

Husky Career Closet

Graduating? Searching for jobs?
In need of workplace attire?

Style Guide

choose your own style



Foundations

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1 be authentically you

Always stay true to who you are and your preferred style.

2 learn your preferred sizes

Choosing clothing pieces that fit you and your body type well is important. Avoid anything too tight or too loose. Utilize a tailor for alterations, if needed.

3 know your company's dress etiquette

If you aren't sure, you can always ask! If you're attending an interview and you're not sure of the dress etiquette, pay close attention to how formal or casual correspondence has been and always assume the interview dress etiquette is more formal than casual.

4 choose your colors

Black is the most formal color, followed by navy blue.

5 suit, blazer, or dress?

If you're looking for a suit or blazer, you'll probably need to know your neck, sleeve, chest, waist and inseam sizes. If you're looking for a dress, you'll need to know your chest, waist and hip sizes.



Accessories

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1 when is it too much?

When in doubt - opt for classic, understated accessories and jewelry

2 avoid the leggings

Leggings should mostly be avoided. When wearing a dress or skirt, opt for tights or stockings instead.

3 have nice shoes

Always ensure your shoes are clean, comfortable, and presentable.

4 choose a neutral belt

Brown or black with a subtle belt buckle is a go-to, but depends on the suit, blazer, or dress color palette.

5 add a tie to your suit

Ensure your tie is neutral or complimentary with your other clothing items.



Husky Career Closet Styling Guide

Resources

here's a few places to go

Big W Cleaners & Alterations

bigwcleaners.com
(206) 527-6655

Blue Tulip Tailoring and Design

bluetuliptailoring.com
(206) 556-8579

Frayed Threads Mending

frayedthreadsmending.com
(206) 327-8291



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