

# U.S. NAVAL SEA CADET CORPS



## UNIFORM MANUAL

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## CHAPTER 1

## GENERAL REGULATIONS

### SECTION 1: UNIFORM POLICY

#### 1101 - General

**1101.1 POLICY.** The purpose of the U.S. Naval Sea Cadet Corps Uniform Regulations is to:

- a. Provide descriptions of all authorized U.S. Naval Sea Cadet Corps (NSCC) uniforms and components.
- b. Provide guidance for prescribing uniform wear in order to present a uniform image, Corps wide.
- c. Ensure that NSCC personnel present a proud and professional appearance that will reflect positively on the individual, the NSCC, the maritime services, and the United States.

The Executive Director will periodically issue changes and updates to these regulations, primarily to keep the Corps uniform policy consistent with the U.S. Navy's and to meet the Corps requirements.

NSCC personnel (officers, uniformed instructors, midshipmen and cadets) are authorized to wear appropriately modified versions of some, ***BUT NOT ALL***, uniforms prescribed in U.S. Navy Uniform Regulations (NAVPERS 15665[current release]). The modifications will be such as to clearly identify the wearer as a member of the Naval Sea Cadets Corps. Uniforms, insignia or other uniform devices not specifically addressed in these NSCC Uniform Regulations are prohibited.

Uniformity within the unit is paramount. It is the Corps goal to have all unit members in like uniforms. The very word "uniform"-one form, implies a desire for a common, correct and appropriate dress for military attire.

**1101.2 APPLICABILITY.** The provisions of this manual apply to all personnel who are authorized to wear the NSCC uniform or the alternative NSCC civilian attire. It is issued for information and guidance, and compliance is required when wearing NSCC uniforms.

**1101.3 DEFINITION.** Uniform - the dress of a unique or distinctive design, worn by members of a particular group, and serving as a means of identification.

**1101.4 ENFORCEMENT.** These regulations describe authorized NSCC uniforms. NSCC uniforms are distinctive visual evidence of the authority and responsibility vested in the Corps by the Navy. The Executive Director is the prescribing authority that determines when and where the uniforms in this manual are appropriate to wear. Uniforms and components shall be worn as described in these regulations. NSCC personnel must present a proud and professional appearance that will reflect positively on the individual, the Naval Sea Cadet Corps, the maritime military services and the United States. All personnel shall comply with these regulations. Exemplary military appearance should be the norm for all NSCC uniformed and non-uniformed personnel. All adult leaders and cadets must take in upon themselves to ensure that uniforms are worn correctly, are in good physical condition and are replaced as they become unserviceable. Additionally all NSCC are required to comply with published height/weight standards so as to appropriately reflect the respect for our country's and our Navy's uniform.

## **1101.5 ADDITIONAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**a. Unique requirements:** NSCC personnel should reference U.S. Navy Uniform Regulations (NAVPERS 15665[current release]) or host military commands for amplification of certain uniform issues, i.e., uniform fabric or other restrictions associated with the wearing of NSCC uniforms aboard ships, etc.

**b. Seasonal or other local restrictions:** To the extent possible, NSCC personnel will conform to the uniform policy established by the cognizant Navy Area Coordination Authority. In attempting to comply with Navy Area Coordination Authorities, and others charged with enforcing uniform policy, NSCC NHQ Representatives and Regional Directors should bear in mind that NSCC personnel receive no uniform allowance, or any other reimbursement to defray costs of uniforms. They cannot authorize, locally, the wearing of uniforms that are not authorized in this manual.

**c. Demeanor in Uniform:** It is inappropriate for NSCC personnel, while in uniform, to walk or stand with their hands in their pockets as it detracts from military smartness. Additionally, NSCC personnel shall not smoke or use any tobacco product nor consume beverages or food while walking in uniform.

## **1102 - Headgear**

**1102.1 GENERAL.** The cap or hat is considered an integral part of the uniform. Uniform headgear will not be required to be worn when ships are at sea outside harbor limits, except on specific watches specified by the Commanding Officer, and on special ceremonial occasions specified by the Commanding Officer or appropriate authority. Uniform headgear shall be worn in port, with suitable relaxations for appropriate work or when safety prohibits wear, i.e., foreign object damage (FOD).

**1102.2 OUTDOOR WEAR.** When outdoors, personnel in uniform shall remain covered at all times except when ordered to uncover, or during religious services not associated with a military ceremony. Personnel remain covered during invocations or other religious military ceremonies such as change of command, ships' commissioning and launchings, and military burials, etc. The chaplain conducting the religious ceremony will guide participants following the customs of their church.

**1102.3 INDOOR WEAR.** Indoors, personnel will normally remain uncovered at all times unless directed otherwise by appropriate authority for a special situation/event. An NSCC officer or cadet in a duty status and wearing a guard belt may only remove headgear indoors when entering dining, medical or FOD hazard areas or where religious services are being conducted.

**1102.4 SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES.** Personnel are permitted to remove their cap or hat when traveling inside a private automobile off base. A cover shall be mandatory when entering/leaving or within a military reservation, except where the wearing of the cap is impracticable or hazardous, the good judgment of the individuals concerned may require the cap to be removed. A military cover may be removed when riding a bicycle on or off base. A safety helmet is recommended

## **CHAPTER 2**

### **GROOMING STANDARDS**

## **SECTION 1: GENERAL INFORMATION**

### **2101 - General**

**2101.1** *The primary consideration is to have a neatly groomed appearance while wearing the NSCC uniform or the Alternative NSCC civilian attire.* Grooming standards are based on several elements including neatness, cleanliness, safety, military image and appearance. The standards established herein are not intended to be overly restrictive, or to isolate NSCC personnel from society. The limits set forth are reasonable and ensure that personal appearance contributes to a favorable military image. NSCC male and female grooming policies recognize the difference between the sexes, and establish appropriate grooming and personal appearance standards for male and female officers and cadets.

## **SECTION 2: SMARTNESS**

### **2201 - General**

**2201.1** **IMAGE.** NSCC personnel must set and maintain the highest possible standards of smartness in uniform appearance. The military image reflected by attention to detail in wearing of the uniform is a key element in the positive public image of the NSCC.

**2201.2** **CLEANLINESS.** Uniforms shall be kept scrupulously clean and pressed, with lace, devices and insignia bright and free from tarnish and corrosion.

**2201.3** **ARTICLES.** *No articles shall protrude from or be visible on the uniform,* including such items as pencils, pens, watch chains, fobs, pins, jewelry, handkerchiefs, combs, keys, large wallets, tobacco products or similar items. Pagers and or cellular phones may be authorized by a Commanding Officer in situations where the unit leaders require such devices for the safety and control of the NSCC event in progress.

**2201.4** **GLASSES.** Prescription Glasses cannot be eccentric or faddish in design or style. Conservative sunglasses are permitted, except in military formations. If retainer straps are required, they shall be plain, black and worn snugly against the back of the head

**2201.5** **UNDERGARMENTS.** Appropriate undergarments shall be worn to preserve the dignity and appearance of the uniform. Male and female personnel shall wear white undergarments when wearing any of the white uniforms. Cadets shall wear an all white crew neck tee shirt with the jumper (cracker jacks style top).

**2201.6** **MILITARY CREASES.** Military creases on shirts are an individual option. Sewn-in creases are not authorized. When used, they will conform to current Navy standards. (U.S. Navy Uniform Regulations, NAVPERS 15665 [current release] in Chapter 2, Section 2).

**2201.7** **UNIFORM CARE.** Long service life of the various uniform articles can be attained only by proper care and maintenance. Even new, properly fitted uniforms will not continue to look their best or keep their shape unless you care for them properly. Uniforms should be stored on hangers. If uniforms are to be stored for a long time, they should be cleaned thoroughly, then packed away in an airtight plastic bag with a packet of desiccant (drying agent which is obtainable in many of the large chain department stores). The Navy Uniform

manual should be consulted for the best ways to clean the uniform and its insignia. (U.S. Navy Uniform Regulations, NAVPERS 15665 [current release] in Chapter 2, Section 2).

**2201.8 STANDARDS.** - No eccentricities or faddish dress, jewelry or grooming will be permitted.

### **2202 - Personal Appearance**

**2202.1 GENERAL.** Because it is impossible to provide examples of every appropriate or unacceptable grooming facet, the good judgment of leaders at all levels is key to enforcement of the NSCC grooming policy.

### **2203 - Grooming Standards - Male**

**2203.1 GENERAL.** - Hair will be neat, clean and present a well-groomed appearance. Hair above the ears and around the neck shall be tapered from the lower natural hairline upwards at least 3/4 inch and outward no greater than 3/4 inch to blend with the hairstyle. Hair on the back of the neck may not touch the collar. The "block out" is permitted as long as a tapered appearance is maintained. Hair shall be no longer than 4 inches and groomed so that it does not touch the ears or collar, extend below the eyebrows when headgear is removed, show below the front edge of the headgear, nor interfere with the proper wearing of military headgear. Bulk of the hair shall not exceed 2 inches. Bulk is defined as the distance that the mass of hair protrudes from the scalp when groomed (as opposed to the length of the hair). Hair coloring must look natural and complement the individual. Faddish styles and outrageous multicolored hair are not authorized. The primary consideration remains a neatly groomed appearance for the hairstyle and the type of hair that the individual has, with 4 inches length and 2-inch bulk the maximum under any circumstances. (Figure 13, Appendix 1, Page 1-13)

**2203.2 BULK.** Military headgear shall fit properly and in no case shall the bulk or length of hair interfere with the proper wearing of any military headgear.

**2203.3 TAPER.** The unique quality and texture of curled, kinked, waved and straight hair is recognized, and in some cases the 3/4-inch taper at the back of the neck may be difficult to attain. In those special cases, hair must present a graduated appearance and may combine the taper with a line at the back of the neck. One (cut, clipped or shaved) natural, narrow, fore-and-aft part is authorized.

**2203.4 STYLES.** Varying hair styles, including afro, are permitted provided these styles meet the criteria of maximum length and bulk, tapered neck and sides, and do not interfere with the proper wearing of military headgear. Plaited or braided hair shall not be worn while in uniform. Faddish and outrageous multi-color hair is not authorized. Exaggerated styles, including those with excessive fullness or extreme height, are not authorized.

**2203.5 SIDEBURNS.** Sideburns (if worn) shall be neatly trimmed and tapered in the same manner as the haircut. Sideburns shall not extend below a point level with the middle of the ear, shall be even width (not flared) and shall end with a clean-shaven horizontal line. "Muttonchops," "ship's captain" or similar grooming modes are considered to be merely elongated sideburns and thus are not authorized.

**2203.6 FACIAL HAIR.** The face shall be clean-shaven. Unit leaders should use discretion and not require cadets to start shaving until it is required. The wearing of mustaches and beards is not authorized for Sea

Cadets. However, NSCC officers/midshipmen/uniformed instructors may wear mustaches, but shall be kept neatly and closely trimmed and no portion of the mustache shall extend below the lip line of the upper lip. The wearing of a beard is not authorized unless required for a medical reason, in which case, a waiver must be requested from Sea Cadet Headquarters who will provide the grooming standards if a waiver is granted. If worn, a mustache will not go beyond a horizontal line extending across the corner of the mouth and no more than 1/4 inch beyond a vertical line drawn upward from the corners of the mouth. The length of an individual mustache hair fully extended shall not extend more than 1/2 inch. Handlebar mustaches, goatees, beards or eccentricities are not permitted.

## **2204 - Grooming Standards - Female**

**2204.1 GENERAL.** Hair will be clean and neatly arranged. No outrageously multicolored or faddish hairstyles, to include shaved portions of the scalp (other than the neckline), or have designs cut or braided into the hair. Hair coloring must look natural and complement the individual. Haircuts and styles shall present a balanced appearance. Lop-sided and extremely asymmetrical styles are not authorized. Ponytails, pigtails, widely spaced individual hanging locks, and braids, which protrude from the head, are not authorized. Multiple braids are authorized. Braided hairstyles shall be conservative and conform to the guidelines listed herein. When a hairstyle of multiple braids is worn, braids shall be of uniform dimensions, small in diameter (approx. 1/4 inch), and tightly interwoven to present a neat, professional, well-groomed appearance. Foreign material (i.e., beads, decorative items) shall not be braided into the hair. Short hair may be braided in symmetrical fore-and-aft rows (corn rowing), which minimize scalp exposure. Cornrow ends shall not protrude from the head, and shall be secured only with inconspicuous rubber bands that match the color of the hair. Appropriateness of a hairstyle shall also be judged by its appearance when headgear is worn. All headgear shall fit snugly and comfortably around the largest part of the head without distortion or excessive gaps. Hair shall not show from under the front of the brim of the combination hat, garrison, or command ball caps. Hairstyles which do not allow headgear to be worn in this manner, or which interfere with the proper wear of protective masks or equipment are prohibited. When in uniform, the hair may touch, but not fall below a horizontal line level with the lower edge of the back of the collar. With jumper uniforms, hair may extend a maximum of 1 1/2 inches below the top of the jumper collar. (Figure 13, Appendix 1, Page 1-13)

**2204.2 BULK.** Long hair, including braids, which fall below the lower edge of the collar shall be neatly and inconspicuously fastened, pinned, or secured to the head. No portion of the bulk of the hair as measured from the scalp will exceed approximately 2 inches.

**2204.3 HAIR ORNAMENTS.** Conspicuous rubber bands, pins or hair ornamentation of any kind is not authorized. A maximum of two small barrettes/combs/clips, similar to the hair color may be used in the hair. Additional bobby pins or rubber bands matching hair color may be used to hold hair in place, if necessary. Fabric elastics and colored rubber bands/pins are not authorized. Hair ornaments shall not present a safety or FOD (Foreign Object Damage) hazard. Hairnets shall not be worn unless authorized for a specific type of duty.

**2204.4 COSMETICS.** Cosmetics shall be applied in good taste so that colors blend with natural skin tones and enhance natural features. Exaggerated or faddish cosmetic styles are not authorized. Care should be taken to avoid an artificial appearance. Lipstick colors shall be conservative and complement the individual. Long false eyelashes are not authorized.

**2204.5 EARRINGS.** Earrings shall be small 6mm ball (approximately 1/4 inch), plain, screw on or post type. Gold for NSCC officers, midshipmen, uniformed instructors and CPOs, and silver for cadets E6 and below, with brushed matte finish.

**2204.6 HOSIERY.** Hosiery shall be worn with skirts. Shall be made of nylon material, individual's flesh tone color, undecorated, and seamless.

### **2205 - Grooming Standards - Male and Female**

**2205.1 BODY PIERCING.** Not authorized. No articles, other than earrings for women specified above, shall be attached to or through the ear, nose, or any other body part.

### **2205.2 FINGERNAILS.**

a. **Males.** Fingernails shall not extend past fingertips. They shall be kept clean.

b. **Females.** Fingernails shall not extend more than 1/4 inch measured from the fingertip. They shall be kept clean. Nail polish may be worn, but colors shall be conservative and complement the skin tone.

**2205.3 JEWELRY.** Conservative jewelry is authorized for all personnel and shall be in good taste. Eccentricities or faddishness are not permitted. Jewelry shall not present a safety or FOD (Foreign Object Damage) hazard. Jewelry shall be worn within the following guidelines:

a. **Bracelets.** Only one may be worn. Ankle bracelets are not authorized.

b. **Earrings.**

(1) **MALES.** Not authorized.

(2) **FEMALES.** One earring per ear (centered on earlobe) may be worn. Earrings shall be 4mm - 6mm ball (approximately 1/8 - 1/4 inch), plain with shiny or brushed matte finish screw-on or with posts. Gold for officers, midshipman, uniformed instructors and CPOs, and silver for cadets E6 and below. Small single pearl earrings are authorized for wear at formal occasions (dinners, balls, etc.).

c. **Necklaces/Chokers.** Only one necklace may be worn and it shall not be visible.

d. **Rings.** Only one ring per hand is authorized, plus a wedding/engagement ring set. Rings are not authorized for wear on the thumbs or toes.

e. **Wristwatch.** Only one may be worn.

**2205.4 HAIRPIECES.** - Hairpieces or wigs shall be of good quality and fit, present a natural appearance, and conform to the grooming standards set forth in these regulations. They shall not interfere with the proper performance of duty nor present a safety hazard or FOD (Foreign Object Damage) hazard.

## **CHAPTER 3**

### **AUTHORIZED UNIFORMS AND UNIFORM COMPONENTS**

#### **SECTION 1: GENERAL**

##### **3101 - Ownership Markings**

**3101.1 STENCIL.** Uniform components of all NSCC cadets shall have ownership markings. Markings shall be a stencil consisting of owner's surname (and last four digits of owner's social security number when there are more than one cadet with the same surname) placed inside the garment as outlined in U.S. Navy Uniform Regulations, Chapter 3, Section 5, unless directed otherwise. Stencil letters shall be approximately 1/2-inch high blocked letters. Markings shall be black on white uniforms, and white on blue uniforms. Blue utility shirts shall be marked in black. Blue working jackets and utility trousers shall be marked in white.

**3101.2 SURNAME EMBROIDERED TAPE.** Embroidered surnames (over right breast pocket) on utility shirts, blue working jackets and (over right rear pocket) on utility trousers, shall be approximately 1/2 inch blocked letters. Embroidered letters on the coveralls shall be approximately 3/4-inch high blocked letters. Name/breast insignia tape shall match color and fabric as uniform component and shall be the length of the width of the pocket. Blue utility shirts shall be embroidered in black. Blue working jackets and utility trousers shall be embroidered in white. Coveralls shall be embroidered in black.

**3101.3 USNSCC EMBROIDERED TAPES.** Coveralls and utility uniform are required to have "USNSCC" on a tape worn approximately 1/4 inch, centered side to side, over the wearer's left breast pocket. The length of the embroidered tape, size of lettering and color shall be in accordance with article 3101.2.

**3101.4 RESTRICTIONS.** All NSCC personnel shall maintain required uniforms and are forbidden to wear other than the authorized uniform or insignia of their respective grade or rating, or to wear decorations, medals, badges, or ribbons in any way other than prescribed or authorized. All NSCC personnel must wear Sea Cadet Shoulder Flashes on their outer garments so they are identifiable as Sea Cadet personnel at all times.

## **SECTION 2: AUTHORIZATION**

### **3201 Authorized Uniforms**

**3201.1 GENERAL.** Uniformed NSCC personnel may only wear the following uniforms. *They are NOT authorized to wear any other Navy uniforms.* A primary consideration when a uniform is prescribed is that all unit members, for that evolution, be in like uniforms. NSCC shoulder insignia must be worn with all uniforms. Keeping personnel's expense for additional uniform items to a minimum should be a key consideration.

### **3201.2 NSCC OFFICERS, MIDSHIPMAN, UNIFORMED INSTRUCTORS AND CPO's:**

- a. **Dinner Dress Blue**
  - (1) **WEAR.** Worn to official functions when civilians normally wear Black Tie.
  - (2) **ITEMS.** Same as Service Dress Blue uniform except:
    - Bow Tie is worn instead of the Four-In-Hand Necktie
    - White Formal Shirt can be worn instead of the White Dress Shirt
    - Miniature medals are worn instead of ribbons where provided
  
- b. **Full Dress Blue**
  - (1) **WEAR.** Worn for ceremonial occasions.
  - (2) **ITEMS.** Same as Service Dress Blue uniform except:
    - Large medals and ribbons are worn

- c. **Service Dress Blue**
  - (1) **WEAR.** May be prescribed for wear year-round to all official functions when formal dress, dinner dress or full dress uniforms are not prescribed and civilian equivalent dress is coat and tie.
  - (2) **ITEMS.** See Table I.
- d. **Service Khaki**
  - (1) **WEAR.** Worn in summer/winter for office work, watch standing, liberty, or business ashore when prescribed as uniform of the day.
  - (2) **ITEMS.** See Table II.
- e. **Summer White**
  - (1) **WEAR.** Worn in summer for office work, watch standing, liberty, or business ashore when prescribed as uniform of the day.
  - (2) **ITEMS.** See Table I.
- f. **Winter Blue**
  - (1) **WEAR.** Worn in winter for office work, watch standing, liberty, or business ashore when prescribed as uniform of the day.
  - (2) **ITEMS.** See Table II.
- g. **Winter Working Blue**
  - (1) **WEAR.** Worn when other uniforms would be unsafe or become unduly soiled.
  - (2) **ITEMS.** Same as Winter Blue but without Necktie and ribbons. Table II.
- h. **Working Khaki**
  - (1) **WEAR.** Worn when other uniforms would be unsafe or become unduly soiled.
  - (2) **ITEMS.** See Table II.

**3201.3 NSCC CADETS E6 AND BELOW:**

- a. **Dinner Dress Blue**
  - (1) **WEAR.** Worn to official functions when civilians normally wear Black Tie.
  - (2) **ITEMS.** Same as Service Dress Blue uniform except:
    - Miniature medals are worn instead of ribbons where provided
- b. **Dinner Dress White**
  - (1) **WEAR.** Worn to official functions when civilians normally wear Black Tie. This is a prescribable summer uniform.
  - (2) **ITEMS.** Same as Service Dress White uniform except:
    - Miniature medals are worn instead of ribbons where provided

- c. **Full Dress Blue**
  - (1) **WEAR.** Worn for ceremonial occasions.
  - (2) **ITEMS.** Same as Service Dress Blue uniform except:  
- Large medals and ribbons are worn
  
- d. **Full Dress White**
  - (1) **WEAR.** Worn for ceremonial occasions.
  - (2) **ITEMS.** Same as Service Dress White uniform except:  
- Large medals and ribbons are worn
  
- e. **Service Dress Blue**
  - (1) **WEAR.** May be prescribed for wear year-round to all official functions when formal dress, dinner dress or full dress uniforms are not prescribed and the civilian equivalent dress is coat and tie.
  - (2) **ITEMS.** See Table III.
  
- f. **Service Dress White**
  - (1) **WEAR.** May be prescribed for summer wear to all official functions when dinner dress or full dress uniforms are not prescribed and civilian equivalent dress is coat and tie.
  - (2) **ITEMS.** See Table III.
  
- g. **Summer White**
  - (1) **WEAR.** Worn in summer for office work, watch standing, liberty, or business ashore when prescribed as uniform of the day.
  - (2) **ITEMS.** See Table IV.
  
- h. **Winter Blue**
  - (1) **WEAR.** Worn in winter for office work, watch standing, liberty, or business ashore when prescribed as uniform of the day.
  - (2) **ITEMS.** See Table IV.
  
- i. **Winter Working Blue**
  - (1) **WEAR.** Worn when other uniforms would be unsafe or become unduly soiled.
  - (2) **ITEMS.** Same as Winter Blue but without Necktie and ribbons. Table IV.
  
- j. **Utilities**
  - (1) **WEAR.** Worn when other uniforms would be unsafe or become unduly soiled.
  - (2) **ITEMS.** See Table V.
  
- k. **Coveralls**
  - (1) **WEAR.** Worn when other uniforms would be unsafe or become unduly soiled.
  - (2) **ITEMS.** See Table V.

**3201.4 NLCC CADETS E6 AND BELOW:**

- a. **Salt and Pepper**

- (1) **WEAR** May be prescribed year round as the NLCC Dress uniform
- (2) **ITEMS** See Table VI

**b. Utilities**

- (1) **WEAR.** Worn when other uniforms would be unsafe or become unduly soiled.
- (2) **ITEMS.** See Table VI.

**SECTION 3: UNIFORM COMPONENTS**

**3301 - Uniforms and Clothing Articles**

**3301.1 GENERAL.** Uniform components pertain to all NSCC personnel unless otherwise specified. Further definition of uniform items can be obtained in the U.S. Navy Uniform Regulations (NAVPERS 15665[current release]), Chapter 3, Section 5.

The number in parentheses ( ) at the end of each item corresponds to the item number in the Navy Uniform Regulations.

The reference number at the beginning of each line in the insignia subheading below is the item number in Chapter 4 of this manual, which describes the articles insignia requirements. If the uniform article is restricted to certain NSCC personnel, it will be noted immediately following the items name in parentheses ( ), otherwise the item can be worn by all NSCC uniformed personnel. When “officer” is specified in this section, it implies Officers, Warrant Officers, Midshipmen and Uniformed Instructors.

**3302 - Description and Correct Wear**

**3302.1 DESCRIPTION AND CORRECT WEAR OF UNIFORM COMPONENTS** (\* denotes a foot note at end of section).

**a. All -Weather Coat, Blue.** A black, single-breasted, beltless, water repellent coat. The coat has epaulets, tabs on cuffs, and a zip out lining. (3501.1)

**Correct Wear.** Woman's coats button to the left and men's coats button to the right. Button all buttons except the collar button. Collar button may be buttoned in inclement weather. When wearing the all-weather coat, the clear plastic combination cap rain cover may be worn.

- Insignia.**
- 4105.1 - NSCC Officer/CPO Shoulder Flash
  - 4109.1 - Metal Grade Insignia - Shoulder - Full Size
  - 4302.1 - Rating Badge - Chief Petty Officer
  - 4401.1 - NSCC Shoulder Flash
  - 4402.1 - Cadet Rating Chevron - NSCC
  - 4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC

**b. Belts.** Shall be made of plain cloth (fabric must match the uniform) or webbing, same color as the uniform and 1-1/4 inches wide (male), 1 inch wide (female) and fitted with a clip (brass for officers/CPOs and silver for E6 and below). (3501.2)

**Correct Wear.** The belt is worn through all belt loops with the metal clip end to the left of the buckle for males and to the right of the buckle for females.

**c. Beret (Female).** Is a black, semi rigid, feminine style. (3501.3)

**Correct Wear.** The beret is worn toward the front of the head, approximately 3/4 inch from the forehead hairline, tilted slightly to the right side of the head. Align the insignia above the left eye. The beret is not worn forward of the front hairline or on the back of the head.

**Insignia.** 4102.3 - Officers and Warrant Officers  
4103.3 - Midshipman  
4104.3 - Uniformed Instructor  
4301.3 - Female Cadets

**d. Brassiere (Female).** Shall be white or wearer's skin tone when worn with white shirts, otherwise, color is optional. (3501.6)

**Correct Wear.** Wear right side out with all uniforms and with all fasteners secured.

**e. Buckle.** A plain brass or anodized Navy buckle for Officers/CPO's and pewter or anodized Navy buckle for E6 and below. Decorated buckles are not authorized. (3501.7)

**Correct Wear.** The buckle shall be of the appropriate size (1-1/4 inch or 1 inch) for the belt being worn.

**1. Male.** Wear the buckle so the belt clip end touches the left side of the buckle. Align the right side of the buckle with the opening of the shirt and opening of the fly, forming a straight line.

**2. Female.** Wear the buckle so the belt clip end touches the right side of the buckle. Align the left side of the buckle with the opening of the shirt forming a straight line.

**f. Cap, Ball.** Shall be dark blue color made of durable fabric that reflects and complements a smart, neat appearance. Ball caps shall be appropriately identified with the NSCC insignia (yellow on blue field with the eagle facing the wearers right), or NLCC insignia (white on blue field) applied by a silk screen/puff print process, on the front. Unit name, if used on the ball cap, shall be centered below the NSCC/NLCC logo in sans serif (arial / helvetica block lettering), as shown in Figure 7, Appendix 1, Page 1-6. The flash is 2-1/2 inches high in the center and 3-1/2 inches at the widest tip. (3501.8)

**Correct Wear.** The cap is worn squarely on the head, with the bottom edge parallel to and 1-1/2 inches (approximately 2 fingers) above the eyebrows.

**Insignia.** 4401.1 - NSCC Shoulder Flash  
4401.2 - NLCC Shoulder Flash

**g. Cap, Combination.** A military-style cap with black visor. Fabric match of cap cover and uniform is not required. When wearing an all-weather coat, a clear or blue plastic combination cap rain cover may be worn. (3501.9)

**1. Male (Officer and CPO's).** Has a rigid standing front, flaring circular rim and black cap band worn with detachable khaki or white cap cover as required.

**2. Female.** Has a brim with rigid upsweep sides and black cap band worn with detachable white or khaki cap cover as required.

**Correct Wear.** The cap is worn squarely on the head, with bottom edge parallel to and 1-1/2 inch (approximately 2 fingers) above the eyebrows. White cap cover for blue and white uniforms and khaki cap cover for khaki uniforms.

**Insignia.** 4102.1 - Officers and Warrant Officers  
4103.1 - Midshipman

4104.1 - Uniformed Instructor  
4301.1 - Chief Petty Officer and Female Cadets

**h. Cap, Garrison\*.** A fore-and-aft cap made of the same fabric and color as the uniform, which is being worn. Optional wear of men's style garrison cap is authorized for females with corresponding uniforms. (3501.10)

**Correct Wear.** The garrison cap is worn squarely on the head, with the fore-and-aft crease centered vertically in between the eyebrows with the lowest point approximately 1 inch (slightly less than two fingers) above the eyebrows.

**Insignia.** 4102.2 - Officers and Warrant Officers  
4103.2 - Midshipman  
4104.2 - Uniformed Instructor  
4301.2 - Chief Petty Officer and Female Cadets

**i. Cap, Knit (Watch).** Is made of navy blue wool, closely knitted, bell shaped, pullover style, 11 to 12 inches long, 8-1/4 inches wide at bottom, with 5/8 inch border. (3501.11)

**Correct Wear.** It is worn squarely on the head, double folded approximately 2-1/2 inches - 3 inches, with the bottom edge parallel to and above the eyebrows.

**j. Coat, Service Dress Blue (Male Officer/CPO's and all Females)\*.** (3501.16)

**1. Male.** A double-breasted coat made of authorized Navy blue fabric with three outside pockets, one on each hip and one on left breast, and three 35-line buttons down each forefront.

**2. Female.** A single-breasted coat made of authorized Navy blue fabric with one welt left breast pocket, and four 35-line buttons on the left front. Buttons are gold for officers/CPOs and silver for E6 and below.

**Insignia.** 3303.1 - NSCC Buttons  
4105.1 - NSCC Officer/CPO Shoulder Flash  
4106.1 - NSCC Officer Sleeve Insignia  
4107 - NSCC Officer Gold Rank Sleeve Stripes  
4201.1 - Coat and Collar Anchor Insignia - Midshipman  
4302.1 - Rating Badge - Chief Petty Officer  
4401.1 - NSCC Shoulder Flash  
4402.1 - Cadet Rating Chevron - NSCC  
4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC

**k. Coveralls.** Made of Navy blue fabric with zippered front, buttoned long sleeves, belt loops, and two side pockets and two back pockets. (3501.18)

**Correct Wear.** Coveralls shall hang approximately 2 inches from the floor at the back of the shoe. Embroidered tapes (i.e., surname and USNSCC) are required on the breast. When authorized, sleeves will be rolled with the inside out, forming a roll approximately 3 inches wide, and terminating at a point approximately 2 inches above the elbow. Males wear the belt with clip to the left of the buckle and females wear the belt with clip to the right of the buckle. The buckle is centered on the zipper flap.

**Insignia.** 3101.2 - Surname Embroidered Tape  
3101.3 - USNSCC Embroidered Tape  
4105.1 - NSCC Officer/CPO Shoulder Flash  
4110 - Miniature Metal Insignia - Collar

4302.1 - Rating Badge - Chief Petty Officer  
4401.1 - NSCC Shoulder Flash  
4402.1 - Cadet Rating Chevron - NSCC  
4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC

**l. Cuff Links.** Link or stud pattern of conservative design. Cuff links are gold for officers/CPOs and silver for E-6 and below, except mother-of-pearl cuff links are worn with Formal Dress (white tie). (3501.19)

**Correct Wear.** Wear with the face of the cuff link directed outboard from the wearer.

**m. Earmuffs.** Plain, Navy blue cloth earmuffs with black elastic retainer. (3501.22)

**Correct Wear.** Wear earmuff retainer underneath the cap/hat.

**n. Earrings, Ball, Pearl (Female).** All earrings (ball or pearl) must be 4mm - 6 mm (approximately 1/8 inch - 1/4 inch). Ball earrings may be plain with shiny or brushed matte finish, screw-on or post type. Ball earrings are yellow gold for officers/CPOs and silver for E6 and below. Pearl earrings have one small single white pearl. (3501.23)

**Correct Wear.** Pearl earrings may be worn with Dinner Dress or Formal uniforms; ball earrings may be worn with all other uniforms. Only one earring may be worn per ear, centered on the ear lobe.

**o. Gloves, Black\*, White.** Black gloves are made of smooth leather or smooth synthetic leather; white gloves are made of authorized fabric. Glove stitching is the same color as the basic glove material. (3501.24)

**Correct Wear.** Black leather gloves are worn, never carried. White gloves (when required) may be worn or carried with uniforms. Gloves will be removed to shake hands.

**p. Handbags, Black, Brown, White (Female).** A plain black, brown, white leather or synthetic material, envelope style handbag, of semi-rigid construction approximately 10-1/4 inches wide, 7-1/4 inches high, 3-1/2 inches deep, with three separate inside compartments and 1 inch adjustable shoulder strap. The bag has an outside lined pocket and is closed by means of a gold twist lock and flap plate. The color of the handbag will match the color of the shoes worn. (3501.25)

**q. Hat, White (Male E6 and below).** Made of white cotton twill with rounded crown and full-stitched brim. (3501.27)

**Correct Wear.** The white hat is worn squarely on the head with the lower front edge approximately 1-1/2 inch above the eyebrows and not crushed, bent or rolled.

**r. Hosiery (Female)\*.** Made of nylon, wearer's skin tone, undecorated and seamless. They may be panty/hose combination. (3501.29)

**Correct Wear.** They must be worn right side out.

**s. Jacket, Black\*/Jacket, Blue, Khaki, Windbreaker.** Close zipper at least 3/4 of the way. Button collar back when not in use. (3501.30)

**1. Black (Officer/CPOs).** A black jacket, with a stand-up collar and knit cuffs and bottom. Jacket is single-breasted with a zipper front closer, two inverted slant pockets, and shoulder epaulets.

**2. Black (E6 and below).** A black jacket, with a pointed collar and knit cuffs and bottom. Jacket is single-breasted with a zipper front closer, two inverted slant pockets, and no shoulder epaulets.

**3. Blue Windbreaker (All), Khaki Windbreaker (Officers/CPOs).** A single-breasted, short style jacket made of water repellent poly/cotton poplin cloth. It has a plain collar, two pockets located on side fronts, a zipper and a collar button closure. Blue windbreaker phased out by the Navy in October 2001.

**Correct Wear.** May be worn with liner. Patches and nametags are not authorized for wear on the jacket.

**Insignia.** 4105.1 - NSCC Officer/CPO Shoulder Flash  
4109.1 - Metal Grade Insignia - Shoulder - Full Size  
4302.1 - Rating Badge - Chief Petty Officer  
4401.1 - NSCC Shoulder Flash  
4402.1 - Cadet Rating Chevron - NSCC  
4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC

**t. Jacket, Blue Working.** Made of Navy Blue (black in appearance) authorized fabric, with zipper/hook and pile closure, side pockets, knit wristlets and bodice, and pointed collars. (3501.31)

**Correct Wear.** Close the zipper/velcro at least 3/4 of the way. No military organizational patches may be worn on the jacket.

**Insignia.** 4401.1 - NSCC Shoulder Flash  
4402.1 - Cadet Rating Chevron - NSCC  
4401.2 - NLCC Shoulder Flash  
4402.2 - Cadet Rating Chevron - NLCC  
4402.4 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NLCC

**u. Jumper, Blue Dress (Males E6 and Below).** Made of dark blue 100% wool surge, loose fitting, open at the neck and with a square sailor collar, which is trimmed with 3 white stripes. Jumper has a front and back yoke. (3501.32)

**Correct Wear.** Wear jumpers hanging straight at the sides, fitting comfortably across the shoulders without binding the armholes, and covering all but the lowest button on each side of the broad fall trousers. The sleeves shall be sufficiently bloused so that the button edge of the buttoned cuff covers the wrist bone when the elbow is bent across the front of the body. When worn with the pea coat or raincoat, the jumper collar shall be inside the coat. An inverted sleeve crease extends down the arm at the inside and outside edges. The body of the jumper has an outward crease in the front, inverted crease in the back, and the collar has three, evenly spaced outward vertical creases. When fitting the jumper to the individual, the unbuttoned cuff's edge shall reach the knuckles at the base of the fingers with hands hanging naturally at the sides.

**Insignia.** 4401.1 - NSCC Shoulder Flash  
4402.1 - Cadet Rating Chevron - NSCC  
4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC

**v. Jumper, White Dress (E6 and Below).** Made of white 100% polyester, (Certified Navy Twill) fabric, with a square, plain sailor collar, open at the neck, and sleeves cut square at cuff openings. (3501.33)

**Correct Wear.** Jumper should hang straight. Wear jumper fitting comfortably across the shoulders and bust without binding the armholes. When worn with an outer garment, the jumper collar shall be inside the garment. An inverted sleeve crease extends down the arm at the inside and outside edges. The body of the jumper has an outward crease in the front, inverted crease in the back, and the collar has three, evenly spaced outward vertical creases. The bottom of the jumper should be loose fitting at the hips with the hem falling within one inch above the bottom of the side pocket opening on the jumper slacks. When fitting the

jumper to the individual, the cuff's edge shall reach the knuckles at the base of the fingers with hands hanging naturally at the sides.

**Insignia.** 4401.1 - NSCC Shoulder Flash  
4402.1 - Cadet Rating Chevron - NSCC  
4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC

**w. Necktie (Neck tab), Black (Female).** Navy blue necktie (neck tab) made of authorized fabric. (3501.34)

**Correct Wear.** The neck tab's outer edges should be parallel to the outer edges of the collar. An equal amount of neck tab should show on each side of the collar.

**x. Necktie Bow, Black (Male).** Shall be plain style with square ends between 2 inches and 2-3/4 inches in vertical width. May be clip-on or hand tied. (3501.36)

**Correct Wear.** The bow tie should cover the top shirt button.

**y. Necktie, Black Four-In-Hand (Male).** Made of authorized fabric measuring no more than 3-1/4 inches wide. May be clip-on or hand tied. (3501.37)

**Correct Wear.** Wear hand tied knotted with either a four-in-hand, half Windsor or Windsor knot. Wear the top of the knot parallel to and slightly above the tip of the shirt collar closure, hiding the shirt button. The bottom hangs within 1 inch of the top of the belt buckle. The tie does not cover the belt buckle.

**z. Neckerchief (E6 and Below).** A 36-inch square made of plain black silk, or synthetic fabric. It shall be folded diagonally from corner to corner and rolled continuously to end. (3501.38)

**Correct Wear.** Wear the rolled neckerchief with a large square knot, tied at the bottom of the V-neck opening of jumper, with ends of the neckerchief even. Cheater knots are not authorized. The upper edge of the knot should be even with the point where the collar opens.

**aa. Overshoes/Rain or Snow Boots.** Overshoes are black rubber, conventional, low cut style. Rain or snow boots are made of plain black vinyl or leather and may be from mid calf to knee high. (3501.40)

**Correct Wear.** Shall be worn with all fasteners closed. Wear only during inclement weather with an outer garment and removed indoors.

**ab. Peacoat (E6 and Below).** A double-breasted, hip length coat made of dark blue authorized fabric with a convertible collar, a set-in pocket in each forefront, and a single row of four 35-line black plastic anchor buttons down the right front and three on the left. (3501.41)

**Correct Wear.** The peacoat will be worn with all buttons buttoned except for the collar button. Collar button may be buttoned in inclement weather. Wear the jumper collar inside the coat. Sleeves are to reach about three-quarters of distance from the wrist to the knuckles when arms hang naturally at the sides.

**1. Male.** The male peacoat buttons to the right. The male peacoat does not have shoulder epaulets.

**2. Female.** The female peacoat buttons to the left. The female peacoat has shoulder epaulets. Females may wear either the male peacoat (without epaulets) or the female's peacoat (with epaulets) as long as serviceable.

**Insignia.** 4401.1 - NSCC Shoulder Flash  
4402.1 - Cadet Rating Chevron - NSCC  
4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC

4401.2 - NLCC Shoulder Flash  
4402.2 - Cadet Rating Chevron - NLCC  
4402.4 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NLCC

**ac. Scarf, White.** Plain white scarf made of knitted or woven silk or synthetic fabric. (3501.43)  
**Correct Wear.** May be worn under peacoats, all-weather coats, overcoats, or jackets.

**ad. Shirt, Blue Winter.** Made of plain Navy blue authorized fabric, with long sleeves and two breast pockets with flaps fastened with 25-line black anchor buttons. Collar points measure no more than 3-1/4 inches and have a medium spread. (3501.44)

**Correct Wear.** Female's shirts button to the left and male's shirts button to the right. Winter Blue-button all buttons, tie/ribbons required. Winter Working Blue-unbutton top collar button, tie/ribbons not worn.

**Insignia.** 4105.1 - NSCC Officer/CPO Shoulder Flash  
4110 - Miniature Metal Insignia - Collar  
4302.1 - Rating Badge - Chief Petty Officer  
4401.1 - NSCC Shoulder Flash  
4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC

**ae. Shirt, Khaki, Service (Officers/CPO's).** Made of authorized fabric, with short sleeves and two breast pockets with button flaps, and an open collar forming a V-neck. (3501.46)

**Correct Wear.** Female's shirts button to the left and male's shirts button to the right. The shirt and trousers/slacks/skirt fabric must match. Effective 1 October 1999, poly/cotton may be worn only as Working Khaki.

**Insignia.** 4105.1 - NSCC Officer/CPO Shoulder Flash  
4110 - Miniature Metal Insignia - Collar  
4302.1 - Rating Badge - Chief Petty Officer

**af. Shirt, Khaki, Working (Officers/CPO's).** Made of authorized fabric, with two breast pockets with button flaps. The short sleeve shirt will have an open collar forming a V-neck. The long sleeve will have a button closure at the neck. May be either long or short sleeve as prescribed. (3501.47)

**Correct Wear.** Female's shirts button to the left and male's shirts button to the right. The shirt and trousers/slacks/skirt fabric must match. Button all buttons except the collar button on the long sleeve shirt when worn with Working Khaki uniform.

**Insignia.** 4105.1 - NSCC Officer/CPO Shoulder Flash  
4110 - Miniature Metal Insignia - Collar  
4302.1 - Rating Badge - Chief Petty Officer

**ag. Shirt, Utility (E6 and Below).** Long sleeve shirt made of poly/cotton blend (chambray), with two breast patch pockets with button flaps, front placket, and six 22-line buttons down right front. Short sleeve shirts are optional if authorized. (3501.48)

**Correct Wear.** Female's shirts button to the left and male's shirts button to the right. Button all buttons except the top button. Embroidered tapes (i.e., Surname, and USNSCC or USNLCC) and rating badge are required. Embroidery directly onto the fabric is not authorized.

**Insignia.** 3102.1 - Surname Embroidered Tape  
3102.3 - USNSCC Embroidered Tape

- 4403.2 - NSCC Iron-On Insignia - Shoulder Flashes
- 4403.3 - NSCC Iron-On Insignia - Cadet Rating Chevron
- 4403.3 - NSCC Iron-On Insignia - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge
- 4401.1 - NSCC Shoulder Flash
- 4402.1 - Cadet Rating Chevron - NSCC
- 4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC
- 4401.2 - NLCC Shoulder Flash
- 4402.2 - Cadet Rating Chevron - NLCC
- 4402.4 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NLCC

**ah. Shirt, White, Dress (Male Officer/CPO's and all Females). (3501.49)**

**1. Male.** Made of plain white authorized fabric, with long sleeves with plain buttons, convertible or French cuffs, with epaulets, and with a single left breast pocket without pocket flap. Collar points measure no more than 3-1/4 inches with a medium spread.

**Correct Wear.** Button all buttons. Officers wear appropriate soft shoulder boards on the epaulets.

**2. Female.** Made of plain white authorized fabric, with plain buttons, short or long sleeve with epaulets. Collar points measure no more than 3-1/4 inches with a medium spread. A quality improved white dress long sleeve shirt made of cotton/polyester fabric, designed with a lower neckline, center front covered button placket, and one-piece front, has been approved as of summer 2001 with the current shirt phased out by 01 October 2003.

**Correct Wear.** Button all buttons. Officers wear appropriate soft shoulder boards on the epaulets.

- Insignia.**
- 4105.1 - NSCC Officer/CPO Shoulder Flash
  - 4108.2 - NSCC Officer Shoulder Board Insignia - Soft
  - 4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC
  - 4401.1 - NSCC Shoulder Flash
  - 4402.1 - Cadet Rating Chevron - NSCC
  - 4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC

**ai. Shirt, White, Formal (Female). A plain white formal dress shirt with tuxedo pleats and French cuffs. (3501.50)**

**Correct Wear.** Wear with all studs, buttons and cuff links fastened.

- Insignia.**
- 4105.1 - NSCC Officer/CPO Shoulder Flash
  - 4108.2 - NSCC Officer Shoulder Board Insignia - Soft
  - 4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC
  - 4401.1 - NSCC Shoulder Flash
  - 4402.1 - Cadet Rating Chevron - NSCC
  - 4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC

**aj. Shirt, White, Formal (Male Officer/CPO's). A plain white formal dress shirt with a turndown collar and a plain stiff or wide pleated soft front. (3501.51)**

**Correct Wear.** Wear with all studs, buttons and cuff links fastened.

- Insignia.**
- 4105.1 - NSCC Officer/CPO Shoulder Flash
  - 4108.2 - NSCC Officer Shoulder Board Insignia - Soft
  - 4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC

**ak. Shirt, White, Summer.** (3501.53)

**1. Males.** Made of plain white authorized fabric, with short sleeves, two breast pockets with button flaps, and an open collar forming a V-neck. Collar points measure no longer than 3-1/4 inch with a medium spread.

**Correct Wear.** Officers wear shirts with hard shoulder boards straps; enlisted wear shirts without shoulder board straps. The shirt and trouser fabric must match. Button all buttons.

**2. Females.** Made of plain, white authorized fabric, with short sleeves, two breast pockets with button flaps, epaulets, and a convertible collar. Collar points measure no more than 3-1/4 inches with a medium spread.

**Correct Wear.** Button all buttons except the top collar button. The shirt and skirt/slacks fabric must match.

**Insignia.**

- 4105.1 - NSCC Officer/CPO Shoulder Flash
- 4108.1 - NSCC Officer Shoulder Board Insignia - Hard
- 4302.1 - Rating Badge - Chief Petty Officer
- 4401.1 - NSCC Shoulder Flash
- 4402.1 - Cadet Rating Chevron - NSCC
- 4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC

**al. Shoes, Dress (Black/Brown/White)\*.** (3501.54)

**1. Males.** Plain toed, oxford style black, brown, or white, low quarter, lace shoe, made of smooth leather. The heel shall be an outside heel 3/4 inch - 7/8 inch high with a flat sole.

**Correct Wear.** They shall be kept well shined and in good repair. Males lace shoes from inside out through all eyelets and tie.

**2. Females.** Plain black, brown, or white dress pumps made of smooth leather with closed heels and toes. Heels shall be no higher than approximately 2-5/8 inches nor less than approximately 5/8 inch measured from the forward edge, and no wider than approximately 1-3/4 inches at the base. Sole shall be no thicker than approximately 1/4 inch. Wedge heels are not authorized.

**Correct Wear.** The shoes shall be kept well shined and in good repair at all times.

**am. Shoes, Formal, Black (Female)\*.** Plain black pumps with closed heels and toes, of suede, silk or peau-de-soie meeting the same heel requirements as the black dress pumps. (3501.55)

**Correct Wear.** Keep clean and in good repair.

**an. Shoes, Safety, Black.** Plain toed, laced safety shoes, made of water resistant leather. Outsoles constructed from nitrile rubber, which is inherently heat, and flame resistant. (3501.57)

**Correct Wear.** Keep clean, well blackened, and in good repair. Lace shoes from inside out through all eyelets and tie.

**ao. Shoes, Service (Black/Brown/White) (Female)\*.** Plain or moccasin stitch toed, oxford style black, brown, or white, low quarter, lace shoe, made of smooth leather. The heel shall be an outside heel 5/8 inch - 1 inch high, and the sole shall be 3/16 inch - 3/8 inch thick. Wedge heels are not authorized. (3501.58)

**Correct Wear.** Keep well shined and in good repair. Lace shoes from inside out through all eyelets and tie.

**ap. Skirt, Blue, Belted (Female).** A plain, Navy blue, belted skirt with two welt pockets in upper front and a zipper back. (3501.60)

**Correct Wear.** Length may range from 1-1/2 inches above to 1-1/2 inches below the crease behind the knee. Wear belted skirts with the zipper centered in the back and a belt through all loops.

**aq. Skirt, Blue, Unbelted (Female).** A plain, blue, six gored skirt, with a waistband pocket in the upper right front. The welt pocket style is worn as long as serviceable. (3501.62)

**Correct Wear.** Skirt matches the coat in color and fabric. Length may range from 1-1/2 inches above to 1-1/2 inches below the crease behind the knee. Wear the zipper on the left side.

**ar. Skirt, Khaki, Service (Female Officers/CPOs).** A plain, khaki, belted skirt, with two welt pockets in upper front and a zipper back. (3501.63)

**Correct Wear.** The shirt and skirt fabric must match. Length may range from 1-1/2 inches above to 1-1/2 inches below the crease behind the knee. Wear belted skirts with the zipper centered in the back and a belt through all loops.

**as. Skirt, White, Belted (Female).** A plain, white, belted skirt, with a full lining, with two welt pockets in upper front and a zipper in back. (3501.65)

**Correct Wear.** The shirt and skirt fabric must match. Length may range from 1-1/2 inches above to 1-1/2 inches below the crease behind the knee. Wear belted skirts with the zipper centered in the back and a belt through all loops.

**at. Slacks, Blue, Belted (Female)\*.** A plain, Navy blue, with fore-and-aft creases, belt loops, zipper fly front closure, with two side pockets, and two back pockets. (3501.68)

**Correct Wear.** The welt pocket style and slacks with no back pockets may be worn as long as serviceable. Button all buttons, close all fasteners and wear a belt through all loops. Slacks shall hang approximately 2 inches from the floor at the back of the shoe. Slacks should be tailored to include a 2-inch hem to provide material for adjustments.

**au. Slacks, Blue, Unbelted (Female)\*.** A plain, Navy blue, with fore-and-aft creases, left side zipper, and a waistband pocket in the upper right front. (3501.69)

**Correct Wear.** Fabric of the slacks must match the Service Dress Blue coat. Button all buttons, close all fasteners and wear a belt through all loops. Slacks shall hang approximately 2 inches from the floor at the back of the shoe. Slacks should be tailored to include a 2-inch hem to provide material for adjustments.

**av. Slacks, Khaki, Service (Female, Officers/CPOs)\*.** A plain, Khaki, with fore-and-aft creases, belt loops, zippered fly front closure, with two side pockets. Poly/cotton slacks have two back pockets. (3501.72)

**Correct Wear.** May be straight legged or slightly flared. The shirt and slacks fabric must match. The welt pocket style and CNT slacks with two back pockets may be worn as long as serviceable. Button all buttons, close all fasteners and wear a belt through all loops. Slacks shall hang approximately 2 inches from the floor at the back of the shoe. Slacks should be tailored to include a 2-inch hem to provide material for adjustments.

**aw. Slacks, Khaki, Working (Female, Officers/CPOs)\*.** A plain Khaki, in the same style as Service Khaki slacks, except slacks have two back pockets. (3501.73)

**Correct Wear.** Button all buttons, close all fasteners and wear a belt through all loops. Slacks shall hang approximately 2 inches from the floor at the back of the shoe. Slacks should be tailored to include a 2-inch hem to provide material for adjustments.

**ax. Slacks, White, Jumper (Female, E6 and Below)\*.** Made of white fabric with inverted side creases, zipper fly front closure, and two side pockets. A modesty liner, which extends to the bottom of the pockets, is required. (3501.75)

**Correct Wear.** Button all buttons and close all fasteners. Slacks shall hang approximately 2 inches from the floor at the back of the shoe. Slacks should be tailored to include a 2-inch hem to provide material for adjustments.

**ay. Slacks, White, Summer, Belted (Female)\*.** Made of white fabric with creases, belt loops, zippered fly front closure, and two side pockets. (3501.76)

**Correct Wear.** The shirt and slacks fabric must match. The welt pocket style may be worn as long as serviceable. A modesty liner, which extends to the bottom of the pockets, is required. Button all buttons and close all fasteners. Slacks shall hang approximately 2 inches from the floor at the back of the shoe. Slacks should be tailored to include a 2-inch hem to provide material for adjustments.

**az.Slips (Female).** May be full or half-slip. Shall be white or wearer's skin tone when wearing white uniform components. (3501.77)

**Correct Wear.** Wear right side out with all unlined skirts. A slip is optional with lined skirts.

**ba. Socks (Black/Khaki/White)\*.** Made of undecorated, plain or ribbed knitted material. Knee length or mid calf socks are authorized. (3501.78)

**Correct Wear.** Wear right side out.

**bb. Sweater, Cardigan.** A plain single-breasted cardigan style sweater made of Navy blue woolen or synthetic yarn, with a button front closure, long sleeves, wristlets and V-neck. A pocket in the lower part of one or both foreparts is optional. (3501.81)

**Correct Wear.** Female's sweaters button to the left and male's sweaters button to the right. Button all buttons. Wear only within the immediate office space. Shirt collar is worn inside the sweater when a tie is worn and outside the sweater when no tie is worn.

**Insignia.** 4105.1 - NSCC Officer/CPO Shoulder Flash  
4108.2 - NSCC Officer Shoulder Board Insignia - Soft  
4302.1 - Rating Badge - Chief Petty Officer  
4401.1 - NSCC Shoulder Flash  
4402.1 - Cadet Rating Chevron - NSCC  
4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC

**bc. Sweater, (Pullover Jersey) (E6 and Below).** Navy blue, jersey style sweater made of circular or seamed worsted knit, with a round collar, and cuffs on sleeves. (3501.82)

**Correct Wear.** Wear under long sleeved chambray/utility shirt, coveralls or Service Dress Blue jumpers.

**bd. Sweater, V-Neck\***. Black V-neck style pullover sweater, in both light (acrylic) and heavy (wool) weaves, with fabric epaulets, shoulder and elbow patches. A velcro backed, black leather nametag, (2" x 4") is required. (3501.83)

**Correct Wear.** Identification badges are not authorized to be worn on the sweater. The sweater is authorized for daily wear to and from work, in public places, onboard ship, on base and station, and for attending working level meetings/briefings. Officers wear soft shoulder boards on the epaulets. E7 and below personnel wear no rank insignia on the sweater. Shirt collar is worn inside the sweater when a tie is worn and outside the sweater when no tie is worn.

**Insignia.** 3305.2 - Velcro Backed Leather Nametag  
4105.1 - NSCC Officer/CPO Shoulder Flash  
4108.2 - NSCC Officer Shoulder Board Insignia - Soft  
4401.1 - NSCC Shoulder Flash

**be. Tie Clasp/Tack (Male).** Shall be gold for officers/CPOs and silver for E6 and below, decorated or plain with appropriate insignia to which the wearer is entitled. The tie clasp shall not be more than 3/16 inch wide. Tie tack shall be no more than 5/8-inch diameter. (3501.87)

**Correct Wear.** May be worn on the four-in-hand tie, 1 inch below the center of the tie in a horizontal position. The uniform coat should cover it.

**bf. Trousers, Blue, Dress (Male)\*.** Made of plain authorized blue fabric with creases, belt loops, zippered fly front closure, and two side and back pockets. May be either straight legged or slightly flared. (3501.90)

**Correct Wear.** Fabric of trousers must match the uniform coat/shirt worn (i.e., Service Dress Blue trousers must match the Service Dress Blue coat, and Winter Blue trousers must match the Winter Blue shirt). Button all buttons, close all fasteners and wear a belt, through all loops. Trousers shall hang approximately 2 inches from the floor at the back of the shoe. Trousers should be tailored to include a 2-inch hem to provide material for adjustments.

**bg. Trousers, Blue, Jumper (Broad fall) (Male E6 and Below)\*.** Made of 100% Navy blue wool serge with buttoned broadfall front, two front pockets and on right side rear pocket, laced gusset at the back, and inverted side creases and flared legs. Buttons are 25-line, and with black anchors. (3501.92)

**Correct Wear.** Button all buttons and lace gusset from the inside out, bottom to top, and tie. Bitter ends of lace are tucked in. Trousers shall hang approximately 2 inches from the floor at the back of the shoe. Trousers should be tailored to include a 2-inch hem to provide material for adjustments.

**bh. Trousers, Khaki, Service (Male Officers/CPOs)\*.** Made of plain authorized fabric with fore-and-aft creases, belt loops, zippered fly front closure, and two side and back pockets. May be either straight legged or slightly flared. (3501.94)

**Correct Wear.** Fabric of the shirt and trousers must match. Button all buttons, close all fasteners and wear a belt, through all loops. Trousers shall hang approximately 2 inches from the floor at the back of the shoe. Trousers should be tailored to include a 2-inch hem to provide material for adjustments.

**bi. Trousers, Khaki, Working (Male Officers/CPOs)\*.** Made of poly/cotton fabric, in the same style as Trousers, Khaki, Service. (3501.95)

**Correct Wear.** Fabric of the shirt and trousers must match. Button all buttons, close all fasteners and wear a belt, through all loops. Trousers shall hang approximately 2 inches from the floor at the back of the shoe. Trousers should be tailored to include a 2-inch hem to provide material for adjustments.

**bj. Trousers, Utility (E6 and Below)\*.** Made of Navy blue poly/cotton blend with a straight leg cut, fore-and-aft creases, belt loops, zippered fly front closure, and two side and two back pockets. (3501.96)

**Correct Wear.** Female's trousers fasten to the left and male's trousers fasten to the right. Button all buttons, close all fasteners and wear a belt, through all loops. Trousers shall hang approximately 2 inches from the floor at the back of the shoe. Trousers should be tailored to include a 2-inch hem to provide material for adjustments.

**Insignia.** 3101.2 - Surname Embroidered Tape

**bk. Trousers, White, Jumper (Male E6 and Below)\*.** Made of authorized 100% polyester (Certified Navy Twill) white fabric with inverted side creases, belt loops, zippered fly front closure, and two side and back pockets. (3501.97)

**Correct Wear.** Button all buttons, close all fasteners and wear a belt, through all loops. Trousers shall hang approximately 2 inches from the floor at the back of the shoe. Trousers should be tailored to include a 2-inch hem to provide material for adjustments.

**bl. Trousers, White, Summer (Male)\*.** Made of authorized white fabric with fore-and-aft creases, belt loops, zippered fly front closure, and two side and back pockets. May be either straight legged or slightly flared. (3501.98)

**Correct Wear.** Fabric of the shirt and trousers must match. Button all buttons, close all fasteners and wear a belt, through all loops. Trousers shall hang approximately 2 inches from the floor at the back of the shoe. Trousers should be tailored to include a 2-inch hem to provide material for adjustments.

**bm. Umbrella.** Plain, solid black, collapsible umbrella. (3501.99)

**Correct Wear.** May be carried when weather conditions warrant, provided safety regulations or practices are not violated (for example, FOD hazard). The umbrella should be carried in the left hand to permit saluting. The umbrella shall not be carried during military formations.

**bn. Underpants (Female).** White or wearer's skin tone when worn with white uniforms. (3501.100)

**Correct Wear.** Wear right side out.

**bo. Undershirt White.** Made of white cotton or poly/cotton. May be sleeveless, V-neck, or crew neck. (3501.101)

**Correct Wear.** Wear right side out, front of shirt to front of body. Crew neck shirts must be worn with Dungaree/Utility uniforms, Jumper Style uniforms, Coveralls, and with all uniforms aboard ship and in areas where an industrial fire hazard exists. Other than as required above, women may wear undershirts optionally at shore commands, except with dungarees and jumper style uniforms crew neck shirts are required.

**bp. Under shorts (Male).** White boxer shorts or white knitted brief style when worn with white uniforms. Color is optional with other uniforms. (3501.102)

**Correct Wear.** Wear right side out.

### **3302.3 FOOTNOTES.**

- a. Cap, Garrison, Navy Blue.** Can be worn optionally when the Navy black jacket and/or black V-Neck sweater is worn in lieu of the Service Dress Blue coat. (3501.10)
- b. Gloves, Black.** Can be worn with all outer garments in inclement weather when no other gloves are prescribed. (3501.24)
- c. Jacket, Black.** The Navy black jacket, Officer/CPO and E6 and below versions, is authorized for wear in lieu of the Service Dress Blue coat. The black V-Neck sweater is an optional item, which may be worn with this combination. This black jacket is authorized for daily wear to and from work, in public places, and for attending working level meetings, but is not authorized for ceremonies and high-level meetings. (3501.30)
- d. Slacks.** When wearing slacks and trousers with service shoes, socks are required. (Socks color shall match service shoes, except khaki socks shall be worn with brown shoes.) When wearing dress shoes (pumps), hosiery is required. (3501.68 - .76)
- e. Sweater, V-Neck.** The Navy V-Neck sweater is authorized for wear in lieu of the Service Dress Blue coat. The black V-Neck sweater is authorized for daily wear to and from work, in public places, and for attending working level meetings, but is not authorized for ceremonies and high-level meetings. The only outer garments authorized when wearing the sweater are those outer garments authorized with the basic uniform. (3501.83)
- f. Trousers.** When wearing slacks and trousers with service shoes, socks are required. (Socks color shall match service shoes, except khaki socks shall be worn with brown shoes.) (3501.90 - .98)

### **3303 – Buttons**

**3303.1** NSCC gold buttons ***MUST BE WORN*** by NSCC officers, midshipman, uniformed instructors and cadet CPOs in lieu of Navy gold buttons. Female cadets ***MUST WEAR*** NSCC silver buttons in lieu of Navy silver buttons on service dress jackets (Figure 1, Appendix 1, Page 1-1)

### **3304 - Ribbons/Appurtenances/Breast Insignia**

**3304.1** NSCC and NLCC cadets may wear only those NSCC/NLCC ribbons, awards and appurtenances specified in the NSCC Awards Manual. Cadets may not wear any DOD/DOT/DHS ribbons, medals, breast insignia or any other DOD/DOT/DHS appurtenances. Cadets awarded DOD/DOT/DHS ribbons, breast insignia or any other DOD/DOT/DHS appurtenances while performing Sea Cadet Training, ***MUST REQUEST and OBTAIN WRITTEN AUTHORIZATION*** from Sea Cadet Headquarters to wear them on the NSCC uniform.

**3304.2** NSCC officers, warrant officers, midshipmen and instructors may earn and wear certain NSCC ribbons, and awards as specified in the NSCC Awards Manual.

**3304.3** NSCC officers, warrant officers, midshipmen and instructors may wear all earned DOD/DOT/DHS ribbons and breast appurtenances on the NSCC uniform provided copies of such award authorizations are in their service record. When worn with NSCC ribbon awards, DOD/DOT ribbons will take precedence.

### **3305 - Nametags**

**3305.1 NAMETAG.** Nametags are rectangular not exceeding dimensions of 1 inch by 3-1/2 inches, and may be of any color and design as long as the nametag is standard throughout the command. If an insignia is placed on the nametag, it will be the NSCC or NLCC insignia as appropriate. Center nametags 1/4 inch above the right breast pocket. On uniforms without a right breast pocket, place nametags on the right breast aligned with the lower row of ribbons on the left breast.

**3305.2 VELCRO BACKED LEATHER NAMETAG.** Nametags shall be made of plain black leather in 2 inch by 4 inch dimension. Name, rank/rate and NSCC shall be embossed in gold for officers/CPOs and in silver for E6 and below with lettering in block letters, 1/4 inch high. The NSCC or NLCC insignia, as appropriate, may be embossed above the individual's name. The leather nametag can be worn on those clothing items that come with the matching Velcro patch.

## **SECTION 4: CIVILIAN ATTIRE**

### **3401 - Guidance**

**3401.1 GENERAL.** In order to provide a special identity for officers, midshipman, uniformed instructors and non-uniformed instructors, who for one reason or another, are unable to wear the officer style uniform, specific civilian attire as described below and in Table VII, *may* be worn. The purpose in authorizing this civilian attire is not to replace the officer style uniform, but to offer an additional alternative for wear under certain circumstances. Officer style uniforms are not usually available through excess property disposal outlets, and must be purchased by the individual at his or her own expense. Distinctive civilian attire provides a lower cost alternative, and normally would be available immediately upon affiliation. Those personnel who for one reason or another are unable to meet the physical requirements of the program (NSCC Regulations, paragraph 0733, Weight Standards) also may wear this civilian attire.

**3401.2 PRESCRIBED ATTIRE.** The civilian attire is authorized for non-uniformed instructors and officers, midshipman, and instructors during appropriate occasions. It is not intended to replace the NSCC Navy officer style uniform, but is being authorized as distinctive civilian attire that will give a special identity to members of the Naval Sea Cadet Corps. It shall not be worn in lieu of the Navy officer style uniform during drill periods, summer training or other occasions when the officer style uniform is prescribed. It is authorized during these occasions by those not able to wear the Navy officer style uniform. It may be worn during appropriate social occasions and at other times as determined by the Commanding Officer. The civilian uniform attire consists of three (3) configurations, one dress and two working.

### **3401.3 ATTIRE.**

**a. Belt.** A plain black civilian style belt with gold buckle for the dress uniform. The standard black or khaki military style belt with gold clip and buckle for the appropriate work uniform. The male belt is 1-1/4 inch wide and the female belt is 1 inch wide.

**b. Blouse (Female).** Made of plain white cotton or cotton/poly fabric, with long or short sleeves and one breast pocket. Collar points measure no more than 3-1/4 inches and have a medium spread. Buttons will be plain, round and flat in design. Female's shirts button to the left. Button all buttons except the top collar button, which will remain unbuttoned when no scarf is worn. Button all buttons including the top collar button when wearing the scarf.

**c. Brassiere (Female).** Shall be white or wearer's skin tone when worn with white shirts, otherwise, color is optional.

**Correct Wear.** Wear right side out with all uniforms and with all fasteners secured.

**d. Cap, Ball.** Shall be dark blue color made of durable fabric that reflects and complements a smart, neat appearance. Ball caps shall be appropriately identified with the NSCC insignia (yellow on blue field with the eagle facing the wearers right), or NLCC insignia (white on blue field) applied by a silk screen/puff print process, on the front. The unit name, if used, shall be centered below in sans serif (arial/helvetica block lettering). (Figure 6, Appendix 1, Page 1-6) The flash is 2-1/2 inches high in the center and 3-1/2 inches at the widest tip. (3501.8)

**Correct Wear.** The cap is worn squarely on the head, with the bottom edge parallel to and 1-1/2 inches above the eyebrows. The wearing of rank or rate insignia on the cap is prohibited.

**Insignia.** 4401.1 - NSCC Shoulder Flash  
4401.2 - NLCC Shoulder Flash

**e. Coat.** A dark blue blazer of the wearer's style choice (single or double breasted). There is no requirement for the number of pockets. The coat buttons will match the coat color or be black or navy blue in color. The coat will be worn buttoned.

**f. Nametag.** Will be the same as worn by other unit members.

**Insignia.** 3305.1 - Name Tag

**g. Necktie, Dark Blue, four-in-Hand (Male).** Made of a dull or shiny silk or synthetic fabric no wider than 3-1/4 inches. The tie shall be dark blue with very narrow red or yellow stripes. Wear hand tied knotted with, either a four-in-hand, half Windsor or Windsor knot. Wear the top of the knot parallel to and slightly above the tip of the shirt collar closure, hiding the shirt button. The bottom hangs within 1 inch of the top of the belt buckle, but does not cover the belt buckle.

**h. Scarf (Female).** Dark blue with very narrow red or yellow strips made of silk or synthetic fabric. When worn, the scarf is placed under the blouse collar and tied loosely in a hand over or square knot at the blouse front. The scarf ends will be approximately equal in length.

**i. Shirt (Male).** Made of plain white cotton or cotton/poly fabric, with long or short sleeves and one breast pocket. Collar points measure no more than 3-1/4 inches and have a medium spread. Buttons will be plain, round and flat in design. Male's shirts button to the right. Button all buttons except the top collar

button, which will remain unbuttoned when no necktie is worn. Button all buttons including the top collar button when the necktie is worn.

**j. Shirt, Golf.** Made of cotton or cotton/poly fabric, with no breast pockets. It will be Navy blue or heather in color, depending on the work uniform being worn. Sleeves can be short or long. Button all buttons except the collar button. The NSCC or NLCC logo (depending on the type of unit) will be over the left breast, with "STAFF" centered underneath. (Figure 14, Appendix 1, Page 1-15)

**k. Shoes, Dress Black.**

**1. Males.** Plain toed, oxford style black, low quarter, lace shoe, made of smooth leather or synthetic leather. The heel shall be an outside heel 3/4 inch - 7/8 inch high with a flat sole. They shall be kept well shined and in good repair. Males lace shoes from inside out through all eyelets and tie.

**2. Females.** Plain black dress pumps made of smooth leather or synthetic leather, with closed heels and toes. Heels shall be no higher than approximately 2-5/8 inches nor less than approximately 5/8 inch measured from the forward edge, and no wider than approximately 1-3/4 inches at the base. Sole shall be no thicker than approximately 1/4 inch. Wedge heels are not authorized. The shoes shall be kept well shined and in good repair at all times.

**l. Skirt, Khaki (Female).** A plain skirt, with or without belt loops, and with or without pockets in the front. Length may range from 1-1/2 inches above to 1-1/2 inches below the crease behind the knee.

**m. Slacks, Black or Khaki (Female).** A plain slack, with fore-and-aft creases, with or without belt loops, zipper fly front closure (optional for females), with two side pockets, and two back pockets (optional for females). Stretch pants/slacks are not authorized. Button all buttons, close all fasteners and wear a belt through all loops. Slacks shall hang approximately 2 inches from the floor at the back of the shoe. Slacks should be tailored to include a 2-inch hem to provide material for adjustments.

**n. Slips (Female).** May be full or half-slip. Shall be white or wearer's skin tone when wearing white uniform components. (3501.77)

**Correct Wear.** Wear right side out with all unlined skirts. A slip is optional with lined skirts.

**o. Socks.** Made of undecorated, plain or ribbed knitted material. Knee length or mid calf socks are authorized. They will be black in color.

**p. Stockings (Female).** Made of nylon, wearers skin tone or tan in color, undecorated and seamless. They may be panty/hose combination.

**q. Trousers, Black or Khaki (Male).** Plain pants, with fore-and-aft creases, with or without belt loops, zipper fly front closure, with two side pockets, and two back pockets. Stretch pants/slacks are not authorized. Button all buttons, close all fasteners and wear a belt through all loops. Trousers shall hang approximately 2 inches from the floor at the back of the shoe. Trousers should be tailored to include a 2-inch hem to provide material for adjustments.

**r. Underpants (Female).** Can be of any color. (3501.100)

**Correct Wear.** Wear right side out.

s. **Undershirt White.** Made of white cotton or poly/cotton. May be sleeveless, V-neck, or crew neck. (3501.101)

**Correct Wear.** Wear right side out, front of shirt to front of body. Crew neck shirts must be worn with Dungaree/Utility uniforms, Jumper Style uniforms, Coveralls, and with all uniforms aboard ship and in areas where an industrial fire hazard exists. Other than as required above, women may wear undershirts optionally at shore commands, except with dungarees and jumper style uniforms crew neck shirts are required.

t. **Under shorts (Male).** Can be of any color boxer shorts or knitted brief style. (3501.102)

**Correct Wear.** Wear right side out.

**3401.4 INSIGNIA.** Shirt/blouse will have the NSCC or NLCC flash, as appropriate, depending on the type unit to which assigned, silk screened or embroidered over the left pocket with "STAFF" centered under the logo as shown in Figure 14, Appendix 1, Page 1-14.

**3401.5 INFORMAL DRESS ATTIRE.** Blue blazer is optional and may be worn for appropriate informal occasions. The blazer is worn with a cotton shirt/blouse and neckwear depending on the situation and individual preference. A pocket nametag, of the same design as the rest of the unit, may be worn with the blazer.

## **SECTION 5: SPECIAL UNIFORMS**

### **3501 - General**

**3501.1** The only special uniforms authorized for Naval Sea Cadet Corps personnel are:

- a. **S-1** = Battle dress uniforms (BDU), camouflage utility woodland.

**3501.2 CRITERIA FOR WEAR - GENERAL.** These uniforms are for wear by specified units and special circumstances as follows:

- a. It MUST be remembered that this is the U.S. Naval Sea Cadet Corps and its PRIMARY uniforms are those Navy uniforms listed in Chapter 3, Section 2, of this manual. The special uniforms should ONLY be worn in accordance with the guidelines provided.

- b. The special uniforms are to be worn ONLY during actual training periods in those areas where they are applicable to the training. During unit activities such as quarters, military drill, unit meetings, classroom training, etc., prescribed Naval Sea Cadet Corps uniforms will be worn.

- c. Wearing of the special uniform is not authorized solely because of a billet a cadet is filling, training or working in.

### **3501.3 CRITERIA FOR WEAR - SPECIAL UNIFORM - S-1 CAMOUFLAGE UTILITY.**

- a. These units may authorize their personnel to wear the camouflage utility uniforms, instead of other prescribed work uniforms, only during related special training periods

- (1.) Units designated NSCC Construction Battalion Units.
- (2.) Units that consistently drill and train with an active duty counterpart that normally wears this uniform.
- (3.) Other units when, and only when, actually participating in a field exercise.
- (4.) Individual cadets when working/training with a unit or work center, that normally wears the uniform.
- (5.) When attending an advanced two-week training where that uniform has been approved by Sea Cadet Headquarters.
  - b. Units will not wear this uniform to public events or in parades unless working with or marching in actual formation, with an active duty or reserve counterpart who are wearing this uniform.
  - c. Only the Woodland camouflage utility uniform is authorized for NSCC cadet wear. The Desert camouflage utility uniform is not authorized for NSCC cadet wear.
  - d. All camouflage utility uniforms will be properly marked per Sea Cadet standards before being worn.
  - e. Camouflage utility uniforms are not authorized for NLCC cadet wear.

### **3502 Special Uniform, S-1, Camouflage Utility**

**3502.1 APPEARANCE.** Standards of appearance for all NSCC personnel wearing the camouflage utility uniform are as follows:

**a. General.** The standard camouflage utility uniform consists of woodland camouflage pattern headgear, coat, shirt, trousers, belt, buckle, footwear, socks and brown undershirt. Appropriate shoulder flashes and rank/rate insignia (E-2 and above) will be affixed per Sea Cadet standards. No force insignia will be worn. All authorized cadet accoutrements will be embroidered onto an olive drab cloth background and sewn on the uniform. All authorized officers, midshipmen, and uniformed instructors will wear the same shoulder flashes as those prescribed for cadets and have them sewn on the uniform. Blackened rank insignia, to include embroidered devices, is authorized. Iron-on, molded, or stenciled-on accoutrements ARE NOT AUTHORIZED, except as specified for the headgear (Figure 6, Appendix 1, Page 1-6). No items (excluding cap) of the nylon/cotton twill and nylon/cotton riplon poplin uniforms will be mixed.

(1.) The camouflage woodland utility uniform shall be clean and pressed to present a neat appearance. Although the use of starch or sizing is authorized as an individual option, it may adversely affect the comfort and durability of the uniform.

(2.) All accoutrements for the camouflage woodland utility uniform will be embroidered on an olive drab fabric background. They will all be embroidered with black thread except as noted in (2) directly above.

(3.) The NSCC Uniform Regulation, Chapter 2, requirements for smartness and personal appearance fully apply to the camouflage utility uniform.

### **3502.2 UNIFORM ITEM DESCRIPTION.**

**a. Belt/Buckle.** The 1-1/4 inch black cotton, nylon or elastic woven web belt, with black tip, and black open face buckle will be worn with the camouflage woodland utility trousers.

**Correct Wear.** Properly worn with the open face belt buckle, the belt tip will extend 2 to 4 inches from the buckle. Appropriate authority may authorize the standard Navy brass/nickel buckle, which will be blackened.

**b. Brassiere (Female).** Shall be white or wearer's skin tone when worn with white shirts, otherwise, color is optional. (3501.6)

**Correct Wear.** Wear right side out with all uniforms and with all fasteners secured.

**c. Cap, Cold Weather/Helmet Liner.** When prescribed by appropriate authority, the cold weather cap may be worn in lieu of the camouflage utility cap.

**Insignia.** 3502.3 - Insignia - c. Cap

**d. Cap, Utility.** The cap will be worn squarely on the head so that the visor is on a line and just above the level of the eyes.

**Insignia.** 3502.3 - Insignia - c. Cap

**e. Coat, Camouflage Cold Weather.** The camouflage cold weather coat (field jacket) is authorized for wear with the camouflage woodland utility uniform.

**Insignia.** 3502.3 - Insignia - a. Badges  
3502.3 - Insignia - b. Breast Insignia  
3502.3 - Insignia - f. Shoulder  
4105.1 - NSCC Officer/CPO Shoulder Flash  
4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC  
4401.1 - NSCC Shoulder Flash  
4402.1 - Cadet Rating Chevron - NSCC  
4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC

**f. Extreme Cold Weather Clothing System (ECWCS) (GORE-TEX).** The ECWCS camouflage parka and or trousers are authorized for wear with the woodland camouflage utility uniform. The parka and trousers will not have any accoutrements, including rank insignia.

**g. Gloves.** Black gloves are authorized for wear with the camouflage utility uniform. Work gloves may be worn while working for personal protection and safety.

**h. Helmet, Construction Worker's.** When prescribed by appropriate authority, the construction worker's protective helmet, with/without the camouflage cold weather cap/helmet liner, may be worn in lieu of the camouflage utility cap.

**Insignia.** 3502.3 - Insignia - d. Helmet, Construction Worker's

**i. Hood, Extreme Cold Weather.** During the winter uniform period, appropriate authority may authorize the cold weather hood for wear.

**j. Leather Equipment.** Standard black leather equipment is authorized for wear with the camouflage utility uniform. Black web or nylon guard belts may be worn in lieu of leather equipment.

**k. Scarf, Wool.** Appropriate authority may authorize wool scarves for wear with the field jacket. The green scarf may be worn with the camouflage utility uniform. When worn, the scarf will overlap to form a "V" at the base of the throat, hiding the garment beneath.

**l. Shirt.** The camouflage woodland utility shirt is to be worn outside the waistband of the utility trousers. Sleeves may be rolled up at the option of local commanders. When authorized, utility sleeves will be rolled with the inside out, forming a roll approximately 3 inches wide, and terminating at a point approximately 2 inches above the elbow.

**Insignia.** 3502.3 - Insignia - a. Badges  
3502.3 - Insignia - b. Breast Insignia  
3502.3 - Insignia - e. Collar  
3502.4 - Markings - a. Identification Markings. (1.)  
4105.1 - NSCC Officer/CPO Shoulder Flash  
4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC  
4401.1 - NSCC Shoulder Flash  
4402.1 - Cadet Rating Chevron - NSCC  
4402.3 - Cadet Petty Officer Rating Badge - NSCC

**m. Shoe.** Black combat boots, combination combat/safety boots, or all black "jungle" boots with black laces may be worn with the camouflage utility uniform, and will be blackened and buffed. Local commanders will direct wear of steel-toed boots when and where required. Bootlaces will be tucked in a manner to present a well-kept appearance.

**n. Socks.** Socks shall be either olive green or black.

**o. Sweater, Service.** The olive green U.S. Marine Corps wool sweater "Wooly Pulley" is authorized for wear with the camouflage utility uniform. When worn, the sweater will be worn over the undershirt and beneath the camouflage utility shirt.

**p. Trousers.** The camouflage utility trousers shall be of the same material and woodland camouflage pattern as the utility shirt. When worn with combat boots or combination combat/safety boots, the trouser leg will be bloused with garters so that the blouse covers the top row of hooks or eyelets on the boots.

**Insignia.** 3502.4 - Markings - a. Identification Markings. (2.)

**q. Underpants (Female).** Any color can be worn with the camouflage uniforms. (3501.100)  
**Correct Wear.** Wear right side out.

**r. Undershirts.** Undershirts shall be desert brown, cotton, quarter-length sleeve, with an elliptical (crew-neck) collar. Thermal underwear is authorized to be worn underneath the camouflage uniform during

cold weather periods. Navy blue or dark green sweatshirts may be worn under the camouflage shirt during field training if approved by appropriate authority.

**s. Under shorts (Male).** Any color boxer shorts or knitted brief style when worn with the camouflage utility uniforms. (3501.102)

**Correct Wear.** Wear right side out.

### **3502.3 INSIGNIA.**

**a. Badges.**

(1.) Master-at-Arms badges shall be pinned on the left breast pocket and worn in accordance with the NSCC Awards Manual guidelines.

(2.) Other badges, command/unit patches or insignia, individual or personal, are not authorized.

**b. Breast Insignia.**

(1.) Command Insignia are pinned on and worn by eligible officers.

(2.) Only two earned warfare, or other qualification insignia, may be worn by officers, midshipman and uniformed instructors. The primary earned breast insignia will be worn above the "USNSCC" identification marking on the shirt, centered approximately 1/4 inch above the top edge of the fabric strip on the wearer's left breast.

(3.) NSCC SEAL device is authorized only for officers and cadet CPOs. Officers may blacken or embroider the device with black thread. CPOs use pin-on device only. PO1 and below cadets are not authorized to wear NSCC SEAL device on BDUs.

**c. Cap.** The NSCC Iron-on left flash (trimmed to fit per Figure 6, Appendix 1, Page 1-6) will be worn on the front of the headgear.

**d. Construction Worker's Helmet.** The NSCC/NLCC insignia will be centered on the front of the helmet. The bottom of the insignia will be approximately 1-1/4 inches above the brim. If Construction Helmets are being worn on a one-time basis in the interests of safety, markings schemes shown below may be waived.

(1.) Last name only, printed in black block approximately 1/4 inch letters on white background Kroy tape, embossing tape, or computer generated on paper will be placed below the insignia at the brim line. One type and color of tape will be standard throughout the command.

(2.) An organizational decal can be worn and shall be centered on the right side.

(3.) Safety insignia (Dec., Hard Hat, NSN 7690-LL-LCC-0982) will be centered on the left side.

(4.) Safety reflective tape will be silver in color, approximately 1 inch wide and 3 inches long. The long axis of the tape will be centered vertically on the rear of the helmet, extending up from the brim line.

e. **Collar.** The appropriate pin on miniature metal collar rank insignias will be worn on the camouflage utility shirt by all officers, midshipman and uniformed instructors. The center of the insignia will be placed at a point approximately 1 inch from the front and lower edges of the collar and the vertical axis of the insignia will lie along an imaginary line bisecting the angle of the collar point. Blackened insignia, to include embroidered devices, is authorized. (Figure 9 (right side illustrations) Appendix 1, Page 1-9).

f. **Shoulder.** Officers and midshipman will wear the full size metal pin on rank insignia centered on shoulder straps of the camouflage cold weather jacket (field jacket). Place the outer edge of each device approximately 3/4 inch from the squared end of the shoulder strap. Blackened insignia, to include embroidered devices, is authorized. (Figure 9 (bottom illustration) Appendix 1, Page 1-9)

#### **3502.4 MARKINGS.**

a. **Identification Markings.** Identification marking for the camouflage utility uniform consists of the wearer's surname and the acronym "USNSCC" embroidered in approximately 3/4-inch block letters on 1-inch wide fabric strips (the width of the pocket), which is then sewn to the uniform. Exceedingly long names can be embroidered in approximately 1/2-inch letters. Proper locations of fabric strips are as follows.

##### **(1.) Shirt.**

(a.) A olive drab fabric strip containing the wearer's surname will be sewn above and flush with the top of the wearer's right shirt pocket. [3101.2]

(b.) A olive drab fabric strip containing the lettering "USNSCC" will be sewn above and flush with the top of the wearer's left shirt pocket. [3101.3]

(c.) No force insignia will be worn on the camouflage uniform by NSCC personnel.

(d.) Shoulder flashes will be worn on both sleeves and rating chevrons/petty officer rating badges will be worn on the right sleeve of the camouflage uniform by Sea Cadets E2 and above. E1 will not wear rating chevrons. (Figure 11, Appendix 1, Page 1-11; Figure 12, Appendix 1, Page 1-12)

(e.) Command/unit patches or insignia, individual or personal, are not authorized

##### **(2.) Trousers.**

(a.) A fabric strip containing the wearer's surname will be sewn flush with the top of the right rear trouser pocket. [3101.2]

#### **3502.5 MISCELLANIOUS.**

a. **Authorized Modifications For Environmental Extremes.** The following modifications are not authorized uniform changes; rather, they are exceptions, which may be granted by appropriate authority.

(1) **Shirt.** The camouflage utility shirt may be removed on job sites or in working spaces.

(2) **Trousers.** The camouflage utility trousers may be worn un-bloused on job sites or in working spaces.

b. **Care and Cleaning.** The individual assumes the responsibility for the uniforms care and cleaning. Clothing may be tailored slightly to ensure proper fit, but form-fitting tailoring will not be permitted.

c. **Grooming/Jewelry.** Grooming and jewelry standards set for NSCC uniforms apply, and are described in Chapter 2 of this manual. However, appropriate authority may direct removal of jewelry under field operations or when work dictates.

## CHAPTER 4

### INSIGNIA

#### SECTION 1: OFFICERS, WARRANT OFFICERS, MIDSHIPMEN, AND UNIFORMED INSTRUCTORS

##### 4101 - General

**4101.1** - A description of each insignia is provided, along with what uniform items they should be worn on and how positioned. When reference is made to left or right, it is to the wearer's left or right.

##### 4102 - Cap Insignia - Officers and Warrant Officers

**4102.1 COMBINATION CAP INSIGNIA.** Consists of an NSCC cap device, gold chinstrap and NSCC retaining buttons. (Figure 3, Appendix 1, Page 1-3; Figure 4, Appendix 1, Page 1-4))

a. **NSCC Cap Device.** A fouled anchor with a spread eagle, in gold color, perched on the top with the eagle facing the wearer's right, and with a burnished silver color shield below the eagle. The device should be attached to the mount of the combination cap band.

b. **Chin Strap.** A ½-inch wide strap, faced with gold lace. It shall be secured at each side of the cap by NSCC gold buttons (Buttons, Figure 1, Appendix 1, Page 1-1)

**4102.2 GARRISON CAP INSIGNIA.** Consists of a small version of the NSCC cap device on the right side and the wearer's miniature rank insignia on the left side. (Figure 5, Appendix 1, Page 1-5)

a. **Garrison Cap Device.** A metal insignia of the same design and color as the cap device prescribed for wear on the combination cap, except that, the overall size is reduced by approximately one half. (Figure 2, Appendix 1, Page 1-2)

**b. Miniature Rank Insignia.** Miniature size metal collar rank insignia is of the same design as metal shoulder insignia.

**c. Position.** Cap device is worn on the left side and the rank device is worn on the right side of the garrison cap. Devices are attached in an upright position with the center of each 2 inches from the front seam and 1-1/2 inches from the bottom edge. (Figure 5, Appendix 1, Page 1-5)

**4102.3 BERET (Females) INSIGNIA.** Insignia on the beret consists of a small version of the NSCC cap device. No miniature rank insignia is worn on the beret. (Figure 4, Appendix 1, Page 1-4)

**a. Garrison Cap Device.** A metal insignia of the same design and color as the cap device prescribed for wear's on the combination cap, except that the overall size is reduced by approximately one half. (Figure 2, Appendix 1, Page 1-2)

**b. Position.** The garrison cap device is centered over the grommet hole on the face of the beret. (Figure 4, Appendix 1, Page 1-4)

### **4103 - Cap Insignia - Midshipman**

**4103.1 COMBINATION CAP INSIGNIA.** Consist of NSCC Midshipman cap device, gold chinstrap and NSCC retaining buttons. (Male, Figure 3, Appendix 1, Page 1-3, Female, Figure 4, Appendix 1, Page 1-4)

**a. Cap Device.** A gold pin-on fouled anchor. The length of the anchor, including the fouling, should be 1-13/16 inches, width at the flukes is 1-1/8 inches and the stock with other dimensions proportionate. The device shall be attached to the mount of the cap band; the unfouled arm of the stock shall be on the wearer's right (Figure 2, Appendix 1, Page 1-2)

**b. Chin Strap.** A 3/8-inch wide strap faced with gold lace and secured to each side of the cap by NSCC gold buttons. (Buttons, Figure 1, Appendix 1, Page 1-1)

**4103.2 GARRISON CAP INSIGNIA.** Consists of a small version of the NSCC cap device and the midshipman garrison cap device. (Figure 5, Appendix 1, Page 1-5)

**a. NSCC Garrison Cap Device.** A metal insignia of the same design and color as the NSCC cap device prescribed for wear on the combination cap, except that, the overall size is reduced by approximately one half. (Figure 5, Appendix 1, Page 1-5)

**b. Midshipman Garrison Cap Device.** A gold metal foul anchor like that worn on the Combination cap but 1-1/16 inches in length with other dimensions, proportionate

**c. Position.** The NSCC Garrison Cap device is worn on the left side and the Midshipman Garrison Cap Device is worn on the right side of the garrison cap. Devices are attached in an upright position with the center of each 2 inches from the front seam and 1-1/2 inches from the bottom edge. (Figure 5, Appendix 1, Page 1-5)

**4103.3 BERET (Females) INSIGNIA.** Insignia on the beret consists of the garrison cap device. No miniature rank insignia is worn on the beret. (Figure 4, Appendix 1, Page 1-4)

**a. Garrison Cap Device.** A gold metal fowl anchor like that worn on the Combination cap but 1-1/16 inches in length with other dimensions, proportionate

**b. Position.** The garrison cap device is centered over the grommet hole on the face of the beret. (Figure 4, Appendix 1, Page 1-4)

#### **4104 - Cap Insignia - Uniformed Instructor**

**4104.1 COMBINATION CAP INSIGNIA.** Consist of the NSCC officer cap device, black chinstrap and retaining buttons. (Male, Figure 3, Appendix 1, Page 1-3, Female, Figure 4, Appendix 1, Page 1-4)

**a. NSCC Cap Device.** A fouled anchor with a spread eagle, in gold color, perched on the top, with the eagle facing the wearer's right, and with a burnished silver color shield, below the eagle. The device should be attached to the mount of the combination cap band. (Figure 2, Appendix 1, Page 1-2)

**b. Chin Strap.** A 1/2 inches wide, black patent leather chin strap (identical to Navy CPO chin strap). It shall be secured to each side of the cap by NSCC gold buttons. (Button, Figure 1, Appendix 1, Page 1-1)

**4104.2 GARRISON CAP INSIGNIA.** Consists of a small version of the NSCC cap device on the left side. No rank insignia is worn on the right side. (Figure 5, Appendix 1, Page 1-5)

**a. Garrison Cap Device.** A metal insignia of the same design and color as the cap device prescribed for wear on the combination cap, except that, the overall size is reduced by approximately one half. (Figure 2, Appendix 1, Page 1-2)

**b. Position.** Cap device is worn on the left side, of the garrison cap. The device shall be attached in an upright position with the center 2 inches from the front seam and 1-1/2 inches from the bottom edge. (Figure 5, Appendix 1, Page 1-5)

**4104.3 BERET (Females) INSIGNIA.** Insignia on the beret consists of a small version of the NSCC cap device, no miniature rank insignia is worn on the beret. Figure 4, Appendix 1, Page 1-4)

**a. Garrison Cap Device.** A metal insignia of the same design and color as the cap device prescribed for wear's on the combination cap, except that, the overall size is reduced by approximately one half. (Figure 2, Appendix 1, Page 1-2)

**b. Position.** The garrison cap device is centered over the grommet hole on the face of the beret. (Figure 4, Appendix 1, Page 1-4)

#### **4105 - NSCC Officer/CPO Shoulder Flash**

**4105.1** The NSCC officer shoulder flash, embroidered gold lettering on either black, white or khaki field, will be worn on all NSCC officers, warrant officers, midshipmen, uniformed instructors and cadet CPO uniforms. For the camouflage utility uniform, the embroidered cadet black on olive drab shoulder flash will be worn.

**a. Shoulder Flash.** Shall be worn on each sleeve (background field color matching the uniform item color, with the eagles facing forward) of all uniform coats, sweaters, outer garments (except raincoats), and on all uniforms not having a coat prescribed.

**b. Position.** The flash will be centered on the outer face of each sleeve, with the top edge of the flash 1-inch below the shoulder seam, and the eagle facing forward. (Figure 11, Appendix 1, Page 1-11)

### **4106 - NSCC Officer Sleeve Insignia**

**4106.1** The NSCC Sleeve Insignia is an embroidered gold eagle over a silver NSCC crest on a black field. (Figure 7, Appendix 1, Page 1-7)

**a. Officers, Warrant Officers and Midshipmen.** Shall wear the embroidered NSCC sleeve insignia.

**b. Position.** Worn on the outer face of the Service Dress Blue Coat sleeve, centered midway between the front and the rear crease and 1/4 inch above the uppermost gold rank sleeve stripe. For Midshipmen it is centered midway between the front and rear crease and 3-3/8 inches above the sleeve cuff. (Figure 7, Appendix 1, Page 1-7).

**c. Uniformed Instructor.** Does not wear the NSCC sleeve device.

### **4107 - NSCC Officer Gold Rank Sleeve Stripes**

**4107.1** The NSCC sleeve gold rank sleeve stripes shall consist of stripes of gold lace indicating rank (except midshipmen and instructors). (Figure 7, Appendix 1, Page 1-7)

**a. Position.** Officer and Warrant Officer rank shall be indicated by a single stripe or various combinations of stripes of 1/2 or 1/4 inch widths, encircling the sleeves; the stripes to be of gold lace. The lower edge of the first stripe shall be 2 inches from the edge of the cuff with 1/4-inch interval between stripes.

**b. Configuration.** The sleeve stripe configuration for the NSCC officer ranks is as follows:

(1). **Lieutenant Commander.** Shall wear two 1/2-inch stripes with one 1/4-inch stripe between them.

(2). **Lieutenant.** Shall wear two 1/2-inch stripes.

(3). **Lieutenant (junior grade).** Shall wear a 1/2-inch stripe with one 1/4-inch stripe above it.

- (4). **Ensign.** Shall wear one 1/2-inch stripe.
- (5). **Warrant Officer.** Shall wear one 1/2 inch stripe of gold lace with 1/2 inch breaks of bright blue silk thread with breaks 2 inches apart, three breaks centered symmetrically on the outer face of the sleeve (similar to WO-2, USN).
- (6). **Midshipmen.** There is no midshipmen sleeve rank insignia.
- (7). **Uniformed Instructor.** There is no uniformed instructor sleeve rank insignia.

## **4108 - NSCC Officer Shoulder Board Insignia**

### **4108.1 SHOULDER BOARDS, HARD.**

- a. **Hard Board.** A combination of insignia, embroidered eagle with NSCC shield and stripes of gold lace indicating rank on a black field, which indicates the wearer's grade and NSCC status. (a smaller size is available and appropriate for females). (Figure 8, Appendix 1, Page 1-8)
- b. **Officers.** Grade shall be designated by stripes of gold lace of the same width, number, and spacing as specified for stripes on the sleeves of the blue coat, except that the outer edge of the first stripe shall be 1/4 inch (1/2 for ensigns) from the squared end of the shoulder board.
- c. **Warrant Officers.** The outside surface shall be covered with black cloth, the stripe to be the same as specified for the sleeves of the blue coat except that the blue silk breasts shall be 1/2 inch apart instead of 2 inches apart. The outer edge of the stripe is to be 1/2 inch from the squared end of the shoulder board.
- d. **Midshipmen.** An embroidered NSCC sleeve device is positioned with its center 2 inches from and with its base pointed toward the squared end of the shoulder board.
- e. **Uniformed Instructor.** Uniformed instructors do not wear shoulder boards.
- f. **Position.** The tab on the bottom of the shoulder board is slipped through the two epaulets on each shoulder and secured in place with the gold button supplied with the board. The eagles should face forward.

### **4108.2 SHOULDER BOARDS, SOFT.**

- a. **Soft Board.** A combination of insignia, and stripes, which indicate the wearer's grade and NSCC status. They are 3/4 the size of, and of the same design as, the male hard shoulder board for lieutenant commanders and below. Males and females wear the same soft shoulder boards. Uniformed instructors do not wear shoulder boards.

b. **Position.** The shoulder strap on the shirt slips through the soft shoulder board and is buttoned back down. The eagles should face forward.

#### **4109 - Metal Grade Insignia – Shoulder**

##### **4109.1 FULL SIZE.**

a. **Position.** Regular size metal grade insignia shall be centered on the shoulder straps of Navy blue raincoats, khaki jackets and blue jackets. The outer edge of each device shall be placed 3/4 inch from the squared end of the shoulder end of the shoulder strap. (Figure 9 (bottom illustration), Appendix 1, Page 1-9)

(1). **Lieutenant Commander.** A gold color oak leaf worn with the top tip of the leaf toward the collar, stem toward the shoulder.

(2). **Lieutenant.** Two silver color bars, attached near the ends, shall be placed on the centerline of each shoulder strap with the longer dimension of the bars in a fore-and-aft line.

(3). **Lieutenant (junior grade).** A silver color bar placed on the centerline of each shoulder strap with the longer dimension of the bar in a fore-and-aft line.

(4). **Ensign.** A gold color bar placed on the centerline of each should strap with the longer dimension of the bar in a fore-and-aft line.

(5). **Warrant Officer.** A metal bar of blue background with two, 1/4-inch, gold breaks separated by 1/4 inch of blue background in center (similar to WO-2, USN).

(6). **Midshipmen.** No metal shoulder insignia will be worn.

(7). **Uniformed Instructor.** No metal shoulder insignia will be worn.

#### **4110 - Metal Insignia – Collar**

a. **Grade.** Miniature size metal grade insignia is worn on the right collar points of khaki and blue shirts. The collar grade insignia shall be of the same design as metal shoulder insignia. Midshipmen and Uniformed instructors do not wear miniature metal grade insignia.

b. **NSCC Miniature Insignia.** Miniature size, 1-1/16 inch version of the NSCC Combination Cap Insignia shall be worn on the left collar points of khaki and blue shirts. Uniformed Instructors wear this insignia on both collar points (Figure 2, Appendix 1, Page 1-2)

c. **NSCC Midshipman Miniature Insignia.** Miniature gold pin-on anchor of a size to be inscribed in a circle 5/8 inch in diameter size and shall be worn on the left collar point of khaki and blue shirts.

d. **Manner of Wearing.** NSCC officers, warrant officers and midshipmen shall wear the grade insignia on the right collar only, with the NSCC miniature insignia on the left collar point. Midshipman and

uniformed instructors will wear as noted in items a., b. and c. above, in the locations noted below. Each insignia is worn at identical points on their respective collar points. (Figure 9, Appendix 1, Page 1-9)

(1). **Long Sleeve Khaki and Blue Shirts.** The insignia shall be centered as per the measurements on the left hand illustrations of Figure 5, on the collar. This procedure applies regardless of whether the collar is worn open or closed. (Figure 9, Appendix 1, Page 1-9)

(2). **Short Sleeve Khaki Shirt.** The insignia shall be centered as per the measurements on the right hand illustrations of Figure 5, and positioned with the vertical axis of the insignia along an imaginary line bisecting the angle of the collar point. (Figure 9, Appendix 1, Page 1-9)

## **SECTION 2: NSCC MIDSHIPMEN COAT INSIGNIA - MALE AND FEMALE**

### **4201 - Coat and Collar Anchor Insignia**

**4201.1 GENERAL.** Coat collar insignia is a plain gold anchor 1-7/16 inches in length, with a stock 3/4-inch in width and 1/16 inches wide at the flukes. The stock is inclined eight degrees from the horizontal (right and left). This insignia is worn on the service dress blue uniform. (Figure 10, Appendix 1, Page 1-10)

a. **Manner of Wearing.** The lower end of the stock shall be outboard and the stock shall be approximately horizontal. (Figure 10, Appendix 1, Page 1-10)

1. **MALE.** Shall be pinned on each collar tip of the coat so that the crown of the anchor is 1/2 inch above the notch of the lapels, and the centerline of the shank is parallel to and approximately 3/4 inch from the outer edge of the collar.

2. **FEMALE.** Shall be pinned on each collar tip of the coat so that the crown of the anchor is 1 inch from the bottom and midway between the two sides, and the centerline of the shank is parallel to and approximately 3/4 inch from the outer edge of the collar.

## **SECTION 3: NSCC CHIEF PETTY OFFICER INSIGNIA - MALE AND FEMALE**

### **4301 - Cap Insignia - Chief Petty Officer and Female Cadets**

**4301.1 COMBINATION CAP.** Consists of a NSCC Female Cadet and Chief Petty Officer cap device; black chinstrap and NSCC retaining buttons. (Male - Figure 3, Appendix 1, Page 1-3, Female - Figure 4, Appendix 1, Page 1-4)

a. **NSCC Cap Device.** Is a 1-1/2 inch emblem, gold (matte/satin finish) circular device with the NSCC crest inscribed thereon. The device should be attached to the mount of the combination cap band. (Figure 2, Appendix 1, Page 1-2)

b. **Chin Strap.** Is 1/2-inch wide, black patent leather strap, and shall be secured at each side of the cap by NSCC gilt buttons (Buttons, Figure 1, Appendix 1, Page 1-1)

**4301.2 GARRISON CAP.** Garrison cap insignia will consist of the NSCC Female Cadet small cap device on the left side. (Figure 2, Appendix 1 Page 1-2)

- a. Garrison Cap Device.** Consists of the miniature version NSCC Female Cadet Cap Device that is a 1-1/16" emblem, gold (matte/satin finish) circular device with NSCC crest inscribed thereon (Figure 2, Appendix 1, Page 1-2)
- b. Position.** Cap device shall be worn on the left side of the garrison cap. Device shall be attached in an upright position with the center 2 inches from the front seam and 1-1/2 inches from the bottom edge. (Figure 5, Appendix 1, Page 1-5)

**4301.3 BERET (Female).** Insignia on the beret will consist of the NSCC Female Cadet Cap Device, no miniature rank insignia is worn on the beret. (Figure 4, Appendix 1, Page 1-4)

- a. Garrison Cap Device.** Shall consist of the miniature NSCC Female Cadet Cap Device that is a 1-1/16" emblem, gold (matte/satin finish) circular device with NSCC crest inscribed thereon. (Figure 2, Appendix 1, Page 1-2)
- b. Position.** The small cap device is centered over the grommet hole on the face of the beret. The beret is worn to place the small cap device over the left eye. (Figure 4, Appendix 1, Page 1-4).

## **4302 - Rating Badge - Chief Petty Officer**

### **4302.1 RATING BADGE.**

- a. Badge.** A gold embroidered eagle sitting on an arch, that passes over a star, and connects to the outer points of the upper most of the three chevrons, on a background that matches the uniform being worn, blue, khaki, or white. For the camouflage utility uniform, the embroidery is black on an olive drab cloth.
- b. Position.** Is worn on the right sleeve, with the top of the badge 1/8 inch below the bottom edge of, and centered on, the NSCC Shoulder Flash. The background color of the badge shall match that of the uniform being worn (Figure 12, Appendix 1, Page 1-12)

## **SECTION 4: CADET INSIGNIA - MALE AND FEMALE**

### **4401 - NSCC/NLCC Shoulder Flash**

#### **4401.1 NSCC.**

- a. Flash - Pair.** The NSCC cadet shoulder flash consists of an embroidered yellow border, with yellow lettering and eagle, on a blue field for both blue and white uniforms. They can also be worn on the Utility and Coverall uniforms. For the camouflage utility uniform, the embroidered cadet black on olive drab shoulder flash will be worn. There is only one size for both males and females.
- b. Position.** Will be worn on the outer face of each sleeve of all uniforms, jumpers, blouses, shirts, coats and all other outer garments except raincoats, and it can also be worn on the front of the blue working cap. The flash will be centered on the front immediately above the bill, with the eagle pointing toward

the right shoulder. The flash will be centered on the outer face of each sleeve with, the top edge of the flash 1-inch below the shoulder seam, with the eagles facing forward. (Figure 11, Appendix 1, Page 1-11)

#### **4401.2 NLCC.**

**a. Flash - Single.** The NLCC cadet shoulder flash consists of an embroidered white border, with white lettering and a yellow fouled anchor, on a blue field. There is only one size for both males and females.

**b. Position.** Will be worn on the left sleeve of all uniform, blouses, shirts, coats and all other outer garments except raincoats, and it can also be worn on the front of the blue working cap, the flash will be centered on the front immediately above the bill. The flash will be centered on the outer face of the left sleeve, with the top edge of the flash 1-inch below the shoulder seam. (Figure 11, Appendix 1, Page 1-11)

#### **4402 - Cadet Rating Chevron/Petty Officer Rating Badge**

##### **4402.1 NSCC CADET RATING CHEVRONS.**

**a. Chevrons.** The E-2 and E-3 rating chevrons (two or three chevrons respectively), consist of yellow embroidered chevrons on a blue field for the blue and white uniform. They can also be worn on the Utility and Coverall uniforms. Black embroidered on an olive drab field will be worn on the camouflage utility uniform. E-1, recruit cadets, do not wear any Cadet Rating Chevrons. There are different sizes for males and females.

**b. Position.** The rating chevrons will be worn centered under the NSCC shoulder flash on the right sleeve of all uniforms, jumpers, blouses, shifts, coats and all other outer garments except the raincoat. The chevrons measured from the center of the "V" to the lower edge of the NSCC Shoulder Flash, will be 3-1/8 inches. (Figure 11, Appendix 1, Page 1-11)

##### **4402.2 NLCC CADET RATING CHEVRONS.**

**a. Chevrons.** The E-2 and E-3 rating chevrons (two or three chevrons respectively) consist of a white embroidered chevron on a blue field. The E-1, recruit cadet, does not wear any Cadet Rating Chevrons. There is only one size for both male and female cadets

**b. Position.** The chevron is only supplied as a single chevron, so for E-2 and E-3 ratings, the appropriate multiples will be affixed on the right sleeve, centered between the shoulder seam and the elbow. (Figure 11, Appendix 1, Page 1-11)

##### **4402.3 NSCC PETTY OFFICER RATING BADGE.**

**a. Badge.** The petty officer rating badge consists of yellow embroidered eagle over crossed anchors and the appropriate number of chevrons for the cadet's rate on a blue field for the blue and white uniforms. They can also be worn on the Utility and Coverall uniforms. Black embroidered on an olive drab field will be worn on the camouflage utility uniform. There are different sizes for the male and female cadets. There are two versions available. The first is the NSCC Cadet Rating Badge with no chevrons attached. The appropriate number of Cadet Rating Chevrons, 4402.1, will be attached under the badge for the cadet's rate.

The second version is the NSCC Cadet Rating Badge with the appropriate number of chevrons attached for E-4, E-5 or E-6.

**b. Position.** The petty officer rating badge will be worn centered under the NSCC Shoulder Flash on the right sleeve of all uniforms, jumpers, blouses, shifts, coats and all other outer garments except the raincoat. The badge's top edge will be 1/8 inch below the NSCC Shoulder Flash bottom edge. (Figure 12, Appendix 1, Page 1-12)

#### **4402.4 NLCC PETTY OFFICER RATING BADGE.**

**a. Badge.** The petty officer rating badge consists of a white embroidered eagle over crossed anchors on a blue field. The appropriate number of Cadet Rating Chevrons, 4402.2, will be attached under the badge for the cadet's rate

**b. Position.** The petty officer rating badge, with the appropriate number of chevrons, 4402.2, for LC-4, LC-5 or LC-6, will be worn centered on the right sleeve of all uniforms, jumpers, blouses, shifts, coats and all other outer garments except the raincoat. The rating badge and its chevrons are centered between the shoulder seam and the elbow. The upper edge of the chevrons will touch the bottom edge of the rating badge and there shall be no space between chevron patches. (Figure 12, Appendix 1, Page 1-11)

#### **4403 - NSCC Iron-On Insignia**

**4403.1 GENERAL.** NSCC cadets, on the Utility and Coverall working uniforms, may wear iron-on flashes, rating chevrons and petty officer rating badges, instead of the embroidered insignia. The standard embroidered flashes, rating chevrons, and petty officer rating badges may be used if the iron-on is not available. There is only one size for male and female cadets. As has been stated before, unit uniformity should be paramount and all cadets should wear the either the embroidered or iron-on insignia on the working uniform.

**4403.2 SHOULDER FLASHES.** The iron-on shoulder flashes must be worn as prescribed in 4401.1. If the flash has not been trimmed to match the flashes boarder, it should be done before application, leaving no more than 1/4 inch outside the boarder. Application of the iron-on flashes can be reinforced, by sewing around the flashes boarder.

**4403.3 CADET RATING CHEVRON/PETTY OFFICER RATING BADGE .** The iron-on rating chevrons and petty officer rating badge must be worn as prescribed in 4402.1 and 4402.3 respectfully. Each iron-on Petty Officer / Rate Chevron comes as a PO1 assembly. It must be trimmed to each cadet's rate. Application of the iron-on chevrons and petty officer rating badge can be reinforced, by sewing around its outer perimeter.

#### **4404 - NSCC Unit Sleeve Identification Insignia (Optional)**

**4404.1 GENERAL.** NSCC Cadets are authorized to wear a unit sleeve insignia as an optional item only on uniforms, on which the NSCC shoulder flash is worn, except for working uniforms. Units opting to wear the unit sleeve identification insignia will ensure that it is worn by all cadets, for uniformity within the unit.

**a. Insignia.** The unit sleeve insignia will be rectangular in shape, approximately 3/4 inch high and 3-1/2 inches across, of black background material with yellow embroidered lettering. Only the unit name will appear on the insignia, as size will not permit the inclusion of the words: Division, Squadron, Battalion, etc.

**b. Position.** The unit sleeve insignia will be worn only on the left sleeve. It is centered on the shoulder flash with its upper edge 1/2 inch below the bottom edge of the shoulder flash. (Figure 11, Appendix 1, Page A-11)

#### **4405 - NLCC Female Cadet Cap Device**

**a. Device.** A gold (matte/satin finish) 1-1/16 inch circular device with the NLCC crest inscribed thereon. (Figure 2, Appendix 1, Page 1-2)

**b. Position.** The cap device will be worn on the garrison cap. It will be worn on the left side with the center 2 inches from the front edge of the cap and 1-1/2 inches from the bottom edge. (Figure 5, Appendix 1, Page 1-5)

#### **4406 - Other Insignia and Awards**

**a.** Cadets will wear only those NSCC/NLCC ribbons and appurtenances specified in the NSCC Awards Manual. They may not wear DOD/DOT ribbons and awards, nor ribbon and awards from other military oriented youth programs (CAP, JROTC, Sea Explorers, etc.) on NSCC uniforms, unless specifically authorized in writing by Sea Cadet National Headquarters.

## CHAPTER 5

### RIBBONS AND BREAST INSIGNIA

#### SECTION 1:

##### 5101 - General

**5101.1** Authorized ribbons and awards are described in the NSCC Awards Manual.

**5101.2** Ribbon awards recognize meritorious performance and service of NSCC personnel, provide incentive for greater effort, and enhance morale. Commanding officers must ensure that the program is not abused, and that each award made or recommended to Area Field Representatives or Sea Cadet National Headquarters, meets the criteria specified in the NSCC Awards Manual. Only those officers, midshipmen, instructors and cadets, who are enrolled in NSCC or NLCC units, or members of regional staffs, are eligible to receive ribbon awards. People who leave the program for any reason, are not eligible for NSCC awards.

**5101.3** Cadets will wear only those NSCC/NLCC ribbons and appurtenances specified in the NSCC Awards Manual. They may not wear DOD/DOT/DHS ribbons and awards, nor ribbon and awards from other military oriented youth programs (CAP, JROTC, Sea Explorers, etc.) on NSCC uniforms, unless specifically authorized in writing by Sea Cadet National Headquarters. Badges developed for NSCC cadets for award upon successful completion of TWT or other like training (SEAL, EOD, etc.) may be worn as approved by NHQ and detailed in the Awards Manual. Manner of wear shall follow that of earned warfare or other qualification insignia, with only two permitted.

**5101.4** NSCC officers, midshipman and uniformed instructors may wear all earned DOD/DOT/DHS ribbons and breast insignia. Documentation in the form of DD-214, NAVPERS 1650/65 (from Bureau of Naval Personnel, Retired Records Section), or other appropriate documentation, must be in the members NSCC Service Record, verifying the member's entitlement to such awards and insignia. When worn with NSCC ribbon awards, DOD/DOT/DHS ribbons take precedence.

## **CHAPTER 6**

### **SPECIAL SEA CADET UNIFORMS ACCESSORIES**

#### **SECTION 1:**

##### **6101 – General**

**6101.1** The following are general guidelines for changes to items, and additional items that may be worn on the Navy style uniforms presently authorized for Sea Cadet wear. Naval Sea Cadet officers, midshipman, uniformed instructors, NSCC chief petty officers, NSCC cadets and NLCC cadets are authorized to make these changes to uniform items, and to wear the additional uniform items listed, provided these guidelines are strictly adhered to.

#### **SECTION 2: COLOR GUARDS AND DRILL TEAMS.**

##### **6201 – General**

**6201.1** The prescribed uniform for color guards and drill teams will comply with the authorized uniforms in Chapter 3. The following modifications can be made to those uniforms ONLY while the cadets are actually performing.

**a.** Color guard unit members' uniforms shall be as similar as feasible, keeping within the regulations, so as not to detract from the flags.

**b.** Female color guard and drill team members may wear the NSCC male cadet dress uniforms, with crew neck undershirt, and matching trousers (bell bottoms), and oxford style shoes, while performing with the teams.

##### **6202 – Aiguillettes**

**6202.1** Aiguillettes may be worn only by members of unit color guards and drill teams. They will be a single loop, White on the Blue uniforms and Dark Blue on white uniforms.

##### **6203 – Dickeys**

**6203.1** Dickeys, if worn, will be either white, or navy blue and made of shiny material (i.e. nylon).

#### **6204 – Gloves**

**6204.1** Cadets may wear the standard white gloves with all uniforms while performing.

#### **6205 - Guard Belts**

**6205.1** Wear the standard white guard belt with all uniforms and outside all outer garments while performing.

#### **6206 - Helmet / Helmet Liners**

**6206.1** Cadets may wear a single color, white, Navy blue or silver helmet/helmet liner, with no markings, while performing.

#### **6207 – Leggings**

**6207.1** Wear the standard white leggings on all uniforms, ballooning the pants above the leggings slightly.

#### **6208 – Outerwear**

**6208.1** Only those outerwear items described in Chapter 3 may be worn by these teams.

### **SECTION 3: WATCH STANDING**

#### **6301 – General**

**6301.1** Only the following items can be added to the Uniform of the Day while standing watch. They must be put on when assuming the watch and taken off when relieved.

#### **6302 - Guard Belts**

**6302.1** Wear the standard white (or olive drab if appropriate), as a guard belt with guard uniforms and outside all outer garments.

#### **6303 – Leggings**

**6303.1** Wear the standard white leggings on all uniforms, ballooning the pants above the leggings slightly.

**TABLE I - M**  
**NSCC OFFICER/WARRANT/MIDSHIPMAN/UNIFORMED INSTRUCTOR/CPO**  
**(MALE) DRESS UNIFORMS**

[ ] parenthetical letters refer to section 3302.1 – Description and Wear of Uniform Components

BASIC UNIFORM COMPONENTS	SERVICE DRESS BLUE	SUMMER WHITE
Coat	Service Dress Blue [j]	None
Shirt	White, Dress [ah]	White, Summer [ak]
Trousers	Blue, Dress [bf]	White [bk]
Cap	Combination, White [g]	Combination, White [g]
Shoes	Dress, Black [al]	Dress, White [al]
Socks	Black [ba]	White [ba]
Undershirt	White [bo]	White [bo]
Under shorts	Any Color [bp]	White [bp]
Belt	Black w/gold tab [b/e]	White w/gold tab [b/e]
Necktie	Black, four-in-hand [y]	None
Ribbons	DOD/DOT/DHS/NSCC	DOD/DOT/DHS/NSCC
Insignia	Sleeve	Shoulder Board - Hard
Shoulder Flash	Black	White
<b>PRESCRIBABLE ITEMS</b>		
Coat	All-Weather Coat, Blue [a]	All-Weather Coat, Blue [a]
Gloves	Black/White [o]	None
<b>OPTIONAL ITEMS</b>		
Cap	Garrison, Blue [h]	
Jacket	Black [s]	Black [s]
Overshoes	Yes [aa]	Yes [aa]
Scarf	(w/outer garment) [ac]	(w/outer garment) [ac]
Sweater	Cardigan, Blue [bb]	Cardigan, Blue [bb]
Sweater	V-Neck, Black [bd]	V-Neck, Black [bd]

**TABLE I - F**  
**NSCC OFFICER/WARRANT/MIDSHIPMAN/UNIFORMED INSTRUCTOR/CPO**  
**(FEMALE) DRESS UNIFORMS**

[ ] parenthetical letters refer to section 3302.1 – Description and Wear of Uniform Components

BASIC UNIFORM COMPONENTS	SERVICE DRESS BLUE	SUMMER WHITE
Coat	Service Dress Blue [j]	None
Shirt	White, Dress [ah]	White, Summer [ak]
Skirt	Blue, Unbelted [aq]	White, Belted [as]
Cap	Combination, White [g]	Combination, White [g]
Shoes	Dress, Black [al]	Dress, White [al]
Hosiery	Flesh-tone [r]	Flesh-tone [r]
Brassiere	Any Color [d]	White [d]
Underpants	Any Color [bn]	White [bn]
Slip	Any Color [az]	White [az]
Belt	None	White w/gold tab [b/e]
Necktie	Black [w]	None
Ribbons	DOD/DOT/DHS/NSCC	DOD/DOT/DHS/NSCC
Insignia	Sleeve	Shoulder Board - Hard
Shoulder Flash	Black	White
<b>PRESCRIBABLE ITEMS</b>		
Coat	All-Weather Coat, Blue [a]	All-Weather Coat, Blue [a]
Gloves	Black/White [o]	None
Handbag	Black [p]	White [p]
Shoes	Service, Black [ao]	Service, White [ao]
Slacks	Blue, Unbelted [au]	White, Belted [ay]
Socks	Black [ba]	White [ba]
Undershirt	White [bo]	White [bo]
<b>OPTIONAL ITEMS</b>		
Beret	Yes [c]	Yes [c]
Cap	Garrison, Blue [h]	
Jacket	Black [s]	Black [s]
Overshoes	Yes [aa]	Yes [aa]
Scarf	(w/outer garment) [ac]	(w/outer garment) [ac]
Sweater	Cardigan, Blue [bb]	Cardigan, Blue [bb]
Sweater	V-Neck, Black [bd]	V-Neck, Black [bd]

**TABLE II - M**  
**NSCC OFFICER/WARRANT/MIDSHIPMAN/UNIFORMED INSTRUCTOR/CPO**  
**(MALE) WORKING UNIFORMS**

[ ] parenthetical letters refer to section 3302.1 – Description and Wear of Uniform Components

BASIC UNIFORM COMPONENTS	WINTER BLUE & WORKING BLUE	SERVICE KHAKI	WORKING KHAKI
Coat	None	None	None
Shirt	Winter, Blue [ad]	Khaki, Service [ae]	Khaki, Working [af]
Trousers	Blue, Dress [bf]	Khaki, Service [bh]	Khaki, Working [bi]
Cap	Combination, White [g]	Combination, Khaki [g]	Combination, Khaki [g]
Shoes	Dress, Black [al]	Dress, Black [al]	Safety, Black [an]
Socks	Black [ba]	Black [ba]	Black [ba]
Undershirt	White [bo]	White [bo]	White [bo]
Under shorts	Any Color [bp]	Any Color [bp]	Any Color [bp]
Belt	Black, w/gold tab [b/e]	Khaki, w/gold tab [b/e]	Khaki w/gold tab [b/e]
Necktie	Black, Four-in-Hand [y]	None	None
Ribbons	(Winter Blue Only) DOD/DOT/DHS/NSCC	DOD/DOT/DHS/NSCC	
Insignia	Collar - Miniature	Collar - Miniature	Collar - Miniature
Shoulder Flash	Black	Khaki	Khaki
<b>PRESCRIBABLE ITEMS</b>			
Coat	All-Weather, Blue [a]	All-Weather, Blue [a]	All-Weather, Blue [a]
Cap	None	Garrison, Khaki [h]	Garrison, Khaki [h]
Shoes	Safety, Black [an]	Dress, Brown [al]	Dress, Black [al]
Socks	Black [ba]	Khaki [ba]	Black [ba]
<b>OPTIONAL ITEMS</b>			
Cap	Garrison Blue/Ball [h/f]	Ball [f]	Ball [f]
Jacket	Black [s]	Black or Khaki [s]	Black or Khaki [s]
Overshoes	Yes [aa]	Yes [aa]	Yes [aa]
Scarf	(w/outer garment) [ac]	(w/outer garment) [ac]	(w/outer garment) [ac]
Sweater	Cardigan, Blue [bb]	Cardigan, Blue [bb]	Cardigan, Blue [bb]
Sweater	V-Neck, Black [bd]	V-Neck, Black [bd]	V-Neck, Black [bd]

**TABLE II - F**  
**NSCC OFFICER/WARRANT/MIDSHIPMAN/UNIFORMED INSTRUCTOR/CPO**  
**(FEMALE) WORKING UNIFORMS**

[ ] parenthetical letters refer to section 3302.1 – Description and Wear of Uniform Components

BASIC UNIFORM COMPONENTS	WINTER BLUE & WORKING BLUE	SERVICE KHAKI	WORKING KHAKI
Coat	None	None	None
Shirt	Winter, Blue [ad]	Khaki, Service [ae]	Khaki, Working [af]
Skirt	Blue, Belted [ap]	Khaki, Service [ar]	-----
Slacks	-----	-----	Khaki, Working [aw]
Cap	Combination, White [g]	Combination, Khaki [g]	Combination, Khaki [g]
Shoes	Dress, Black [al]	Dress, Black [al]	Safety, Black [an]
Hosiery	Flesh-tone [r]	Flesh-tone [r]	None
Socks	-----	-----	Black [ba]
Brassiere	Any Color [d]	Any Color [d]	Any Color [d]
Underpants	Any Color [bn]	Any Color [bn]	Any Color [bn]
Slip	Any Color [az]	Any Color [az]	Any Color [az]
Belt	Black, w/gold tab [b/e]	Khaki w/gold tab [b/e]	Khaki w/gold tab [b/e]
Necktie	Black [w]	None	None
Ribbons	DOD/DOT/DHSNSCC	DOD/DOT/DHSNSCC	DOD/DOT/DHS/NSCC
Insignia	Collar - Miniature	Collar - Miniature	Collar - Miniature
Shoulder Flash	Black	Khaki	Khaki
<b>PRESCRIBABLE ITEMS</b>			
Coat	All-Weather, Blue [a]	All-Weather, Blue [a]	All-Weather, Blue [a]
Cap	None	Garrison, Khaki [h]	Garrison, Khaki [h]
Handbag	Black [p]	Black or Brown [p]	Black [p]
Shoes	Service, Black [ao]	Service, Black/Brown [ao]	Service, Black/Brown [ao]
Shirt	-----	-----	Khaki, Working, LS [af]
Slacks	Blue, Belted [at]	Khaki, Service [av]	-----
Socks	Black [ba]	Black or Khaki [ba]	Black or Khaki [ba]
Undershirt	White [bo]	White [bo]	White [bo]
<b>OPTIONAL ITEMS</b>			
Beret	Yes [c]	Yes [c]	Yes [c]
Cap	Garrison Blue/Ball[h/f]	Ball [f]	Ball [f]
Jacket	Black [s]	Black or Khaki [s]	Black or Khaki [s]
Overshoes	Yes [aa]	Yes [aa]	Yes [aa]
Scarf	(w/outer garment) [ac]	(w/outer garment) [ac]	(w/outer garment) [ac]
Sweater	Cardigan, Blue [bb]	Cardigan, Blue [bb]	Cardigan, Blue [bb]
Sweater	V-Neck, Black [bd]	V-Neck, Black [bd]	V-Neck, Black [bd]

**TABLE III - M  
NSCC CADET (MALE) DRESS UNIFORMS**

[ ] parenthetical letters refer to section 3302.1 – Description and Wear of Uniform Components

ARTICLE	SERVICE DRESS BLUE	SERVICE DRESS WHITE
Jumper	Blue Dress [u]	White Dress [v]
Trousers	Blue, Broadfall [bf]	White Jumper [bk]
Hat	White [q]	White [q]
Shoes	Dress, Black [al]	Dress, Black [al]
Socks	Black [ba]	Black [ba]
Undershirt	White Crew Neck [bo]	White Crew Neck [bo]
Under shorts	Any Color [bp]	White [bp]
Neckerchief	Yes [z]	Yes [z]
Belt	None	White w/silver tab [b/e]
Ribbons	NSCC/NLCC.	NSCC/NLCC
Shoulder Flash	Blue	Blue
<b>PRESCRIBABLE ITEMS</b>		
Coat	All-Weather, Blue [a]	All-Weather, Blue [a]
Gloves	Black [o]	None
Peacoat	Blue [ab]	Blue [ab]
Sweater	Pullover Jersey [bc]	None
<b>OPTIONAL ITEMS</b>		
Gloves	White [o]	White [o]
Overshoes	Yes [aa]	Yes [aa]
Scarf	(w/outer garment) [ac]	(w/outer garment) [ac]

**TABLE III - F**  
**NSCC CADET (FEMALE) DRESS UNIFORMS**

[ ] parenthetical letters refer to section 3302.1 – Description and Wear of Uniform Components

ARTICLE	SERVICE DRESS BLUE	SERVICE DRESS WHITE
Coat	Service Dress Blue [j]	None
Jumper	None	White Dress [v]
Shirt	White, Dress [ah]	None
Skirt	Blue, Unbelted [aq]	White, Belted [as]
Cap	Combination, White [g]	Combination, White [g]
Shoes	Dress, Black [al]	Dress, Black [al]
Hosiery	Flesh Tone [r]	Flesh Tone [r]
Brassiere	White [d]	White [d]
Underpants	Any Color [bn]	White [bn]
Undershirt	None	White, Crewneck [bo]
Slip	Any Color [az]	White [az]
Neckerchief	None	Yes [z]
Necktie	Black [w]	None
Belt	None	White w/silver clip [b/e]
Ribbons	NSCC/NLCC.	NSCC/NLCC
Shoulder Flash	Blue	Blue
<b>PRESCRIBABLE ITEMS</b>		
Coat	All-Weather, Blue [a]	All-Weather, Blue [a]
Gloves	Black [o]	None
Handbag	Black [p]	Black [p]
Peacoat	Blue [ab]	Blue [ab]
Shoes	Service, Black [ao]	Service, Black [ao]
Slacks	Blue, Unbelted [au]	White, Jumper [ax]
Socks	Black [ba]	Black [ba]
Undershirt	White [bo]	White Crew Neck [bo]
<b>OPTIONAL ITEMS</b>		
Beret	Yes [c]	Yes [c]
Cap	Garrison, Blue [h]	Garrison, Blue [h]
Gloves	White [o]	White [o]
Jacket	Black [s]	None
Overshoes	Yes [aa]	Yes [aa]
Scarf	(w/outer garment) [ac]	(w/outer garment) [ac]
Sweater	Cardigan, Blue [bb]	None
Sweater	V-Neck, Black [bd]	None

**TABLE IV - M**  
**NSCC CADET (MALE) WORKING UNIFORMS**

[ ] parenthetical letters refer to section 3302.1 – Description and Wear of Uniform Components

BASIC UNIFORM COMPONENTS	WINTER BLUE	WINTER WORKING BLUE	SUMMER WHITE
Shirt	Winter, Blue [ad]	Winter Blue [ad]	White, Summer [ak]
Trousers	Blue, Dress [bf]	Blue, Dress [bf]	White [bk]
Hat	White [q]	White [q]	White [q]
Shoes	Dress, Black [al]	Dress, Black [al]	Dress, Black [al]
Socks	Black [ba]	Black [ba]	Black [ba]
Undershirt	White [bo]	White [bo]	White [bo]
Under shorts	Any Color [bp]	Any Color [bp]	White [bp]
Belt	Black, w/silver tab [b/e]	Black, w/silver tab [b/e]	White, w/silver tab [b/e]
Necktie	Black, Four-in-Hand [y]	None	None
Ribbons	NSCC/NLCC	NSCC/NLCC	NSCC/NLCC
Shoulder Flash	Blue	Blue	Blue
<b>PRESCRIBABLE ITEMS</b>			
Coat	All-Weather, Blue [a]	All-Weather, Blue [a]	All-Weather, Blue [a]
Peacoat	Blue [ab]	Blue [ab]	Blue [ab]
Shoes	-----	Safety, Black [an]	-----
<b>OPTIONAL ITEMS</b>			
Cap	Garrison Blue/Ball [h/f]	Garrison Blue/Ball [h/f]	Ball [f]
Jacket	Black [s]	Black [s]	Black [s]
Overshoes	Yes [aa]	Yes [aa]	Yes [aa]
Scarf	(w/outer garment) [ac]	(w/outer garment) [ac]	(w/outer garment) [ac]
Sweater	Cardigan, Blue [bb]	Cardigan, Blue [bb]	Cardigan, Blue [bb]
Sweater	V-Neck, Black [bd]	V-Neck, Black [bd]	V-Neck, Black [bd]

**TABLE IV - F**  
**NSCC CADET (FEMALE) WORKING UNIFORMS**

[ ] parenthetical letters refer to section 3302.1 – Description and Wear of Uniform Components

BASIC UNIFORM COMPONENTS	WINTER BLUE	WINTER WORKING BLUE	SUMMER WHITE
Shirt	Winter, Blue [ad]	Winter, Blue [ad]	White, Summer [ak]
Skirt	Blue, Belted [ap]	-----	White, Belted [as]
Slacks	-----	Blue, Belted [at]	-----
Cap	Combination, White [g]	Combination, White [g]	Combination, White [g]
Shoes	Dress, Black [al]	Service, Black [ao]	Dress, Black [al]
Hosiery	Flesh-tone [r]	None	Flesh-tone [r]
Brassiere	Any Color [d]	Any Color [d]	White [d]
Underpants	Any Color [bn]	Any Color [bn]	White [bn]
Slip	Any Color [az]	None	White [az]
Belt	Black, w/silver tab [b/e]	Black, w/silver tab [b/e]	White w/silver tab [b/e]
Necktie	Black [w]	None	None
Ribbons	NSCC/NLCC	NSCC/NLCC	NSCC/NLCC
Shoulder Flash	Blue	Blue	Blue
<b>PRESCRIBABLE ITEMS</b>			
Coat	All-Weather, Blue [a]	All-Weather, Blue [a]	All-Weather, Blue [a]
Handbag	Black [p]	Black [p]	Black [p]
Peacoat	Blue [ab]	Blue [ab]	Blue [ab]
Shoes	Service, Black [ao]	Dress/Safety Black [al/an]	Service, Black [ao]
Skirt	-----	Blue, Belted [ap]	-----
Slacks	Blue, Belted [at]	-----	White, Belted [ay]
Socks	Black [ba]	Black [ba]	Black [ba]
Undershirt	White [bo]	White [bo]	White [bo]
<b>OPTIONAL ITEMS</b>			
Beret	Yes [c]	Yes [c]	Yes [c]
Cap	Garrison Blue/Ball [hf]	Garrison Blue/Ball [h/f]	Garrison Blue/Ball [h/f]
Jacket	Black [s]	Black [s]	Black [s]
Overshoes	Yes [aa]	Yes [aa]	Yes [aa]
Scarf	(w/outer garment) [ac]	(w/outer garment) [ac]	(w/outer garment) [ac]
Sweater	Cardigan, Blue [bb]	Cardigan, Blue [bb]	Cardigan, Blue [bb]
Sweater	V-Neck, Black [bd]	V-Neck, Black [bd]	V-Neck, Black [bd]

**TABLE V**  
**NSCC CADET (MALE & FEMALE) WORKING UNIFORMS**  
 [ ] parenthetical letters refer to section 3302.1 – Description and Wear of Uniform Components

ARTICLE	UTILITIES	COVERALLS
Coveralls	None	Yes [k]
Shirt	Utility, LS [ag]	None
Trousers	Utility [bj]	None
Cap	Ball [f]	Ball [f]
Shoes	Safety, Black [an]	Safety, Black [an]
Socks	Black [ba]	Black [ba]
Undershirt	White, Crew Neck [bo]	White, Crew Neck [bo]
Brassiere [Female]	Any Color [d]	Any Color [d]
Under shorts [Male]	Any Color [bp]	Any Color [bp]
Underpants [Female]	Any Color [bn]	Any Color [bn]
Belt	Black w/silver clip [b/e]	Black w/silver clip [b/e]
Shoulder Flash	Blue	Blue

**PRESCRIBABLE ITEMS**

Coat	All-Weather, Blue [a]	All-Weather, Blue [a]
Cap	Knit (Watch) [i]	Knit (Watch) [i]
Handbag [Female]	Black [p]	None
Jacket	Blue Working [t]	Blue Working [t]
Peacoat	Blue [ab]	Blue [ab]
Shoes [Male]	Dress, Black [al]	Service, Black [ao]
Shoes [Female]	Service, Black [ao]	Service, Black [ao]
Sweater	Pullover Jersey [bc]	Pullover Jersey [bc]

**OPTIONAL ITEMS**

Jacket	Black [s]	None
Overshoes	Yes [aa]	None
Scarf	(w/outer garment) [ac]	None
Shirt	Utility, SS [ag]	None
Sweater	Cardigan, Blue [bb]	None
Sweater	V-Neck, Black [bd]	None

- NOTE:**
1. When engaged in athletics or working on or around boats, cadets may wear white socks with nonskid athletic shoes.
  2. When engaged in athletics (PT) cadets may wear light colored tee shirts with navy blue shorts in warm weather or sweats in cold weather/climates maintaining uniformity.

**TABLE VI - M  
NLCC CADET (MALE) UNIFORMS**

[ ] parenthetical letters refer to section 3302.1 – Description and Wear of Uniform Components

ARTICLE	DRESS	WORKING
Shirt	White (short/long sleeve) Black (optional for winter)	Dungaree (light blue chambray or similar material)
Trousers	Black (straight legs, no cuffs)	Dungaree (or similar "blue jean" material)
Undershirt	White, Crew Neck [bo]	White, Crew Neck [bo]
Under shorts	Any Color [bp]	Any Color [bp]
Belt	Black w/silver clip [b/e]	Black w/silver clip [b/e]
Socks	Black [ba]	Black [ba]
Shoes	Black	Black (Note 2)
Hat	White [q]	Ball [f]
Insignia	NLCC (single NLCC Flash on left shoulder only)	NLCC (single NLCC Flash on left shoulder only)

**PRESCRIBABLE ITEMS**

Jacket	Peacoat [ab]	Blue Utility Jacket [t]
Sweater	Black/Dark Blue	Black/Dark Blue (for cold weather)

- NOTE:**
1. Uniformity within the unit is paramount; shirts and trousers are available at most department stores at a reasonable cost.
  2. When engaged in athletics or working on or around boats, cadets may wear white socks with nonskid athletic shoes.
  3. As an option to the above uniforms, the Navy blue undress (no white piping) jumper or white dress uniforms may be worn by NLCC cadets. All unit personnel must maintain uniformity, i.e., all cadets must wear either the NLCC standard uniform above or the dress/undress jumper style. NLCC unit/company Commanding Officers must keep in mind that the cost of tailoring jumper uniforms to properly fit the younger and smaller NLCC cadets may present a financial burden that cannot be borne by the individual cadet. This should not be a deterrent to allowing the young cadet to enroll in the NLCC program.
  4. When engaged in athletics (PT) cadets may wear light colored tee shirts with navy blue shorts in warm weather or sweats in cold weather/climates maintaining uniformity.

**TABLE VI - F**  
**NLCC CADET (FEMALE) UNIFORMS**  
**[ ] parenthetical letters refer to section 3302.1 – Description and Wear of Uniform Components**

ARTICLE	DRESS	WORKING
Shirt/Blouse	White (short/long sleeve) Black (optional for winter)	Dungaree (light blue chambray or similar material)
Trousers	Black	Dungaree (or similar "blue jeans" material)
Brassiere	White [d]	Any Color [d]
Underpants	Any Color [bn]	Any Color [bn]
Undershirt	White, Crewneck [bo]	White, Crewneck [bo]
Belt	Black w/silver clip [b/e]	Black w/silver clip [b/e]
Socks	Black [ba] (female cadets in skirts wear flesh-toned hose[r])	Black [ba]
Shoes	Black	Black (Note 2)
Hat	Garrison [h]	Ball [f]
Insignia	NLCC (single NLCC Flash on left shoulder only)	NLCC (single NLCC Flash on left shoulder only)

**PRESCRIBABLE ITEMS**

Skirt	Black	None
Hosiery	Flesh Tone [r]	None
Slip	Any Color [az]	None
Sweater	Black/Dark Blue	Black/Dark Blue (for cold weather)
Jacket	Peacoat [ab]	Blue Utility Jacket [t]

- NOTE:**
1. Uniformity within the unit is paramount; shirts and trousers are available at most department stores at a reasonable cost.
  2. When engaged in athletics or working on or around boats, cadets may wear white socks with nonskid athletic shoes.
  3. As an option to the above uniforms, the Navy blue undress (no white piping) or dress white jumper uniforms may be worn by NLCC cadets. All unit personnel must maintain uniformity, i.e., all cadets must wear either the NLCC standard uniform above or the dress/undress jumper style. NLCC unit/company Commanding Officers must keep in mind that the cost of tailoring jumper uniforms to properly fit the younger and smaller NLCC cadets may present a financial burden that cannot be borne by the individual cadet. This should not be a deterrent to allowing the young cadet to enroll in the NLCC program.
  4. The NLCC small cap device is worn as described in figure 6, Appendix 1, Page 1-5.
  5. When engaged in athletics (PT) cadets may wear light colored tee shirts with navy blue sports shorts in warm weather or sweats in cold weather/climates maintaining uniformity.

**TABLE VII  
SPECIAL UNIFORMS**

[ ] parenthetical letters refer to section 3302.1 – Description and Wear of Uniform Components

**Civilian - Alternate Uniform Requirements  
NSCC (FEMALE & MALE) UNIFORMS**

BASIC UNIFORM COMPONENTS	DRESS	WORKING #1	WORKING #2
Coat	Dark Blue Blazer	None	None
Blouse [Female]	Dress White w/collar	None	None
Shirt	Dress White w/collar	Blue Golf Shirt	Heather Gray Golf Shirt
Slacks [Female]	Khaki	Khaki	Navy Black
Trousers [Male]	Khaki	Khaki	Navy Black
Scarf [Female]	Dark Blue w/stripes	None	None
Necktie [Male]	Dark Blue w/stripes	None	None
Shoes	Dress, Black [al]	Black	Black
Hosiery [Female]	Tan or Flesh-tone [r]	Tan or Flesh-tone [r]	Tan or Flesh-tone [r]
Socks	Black [ba]	Black [ba]	Black [ba]
Brassiere [Female]	White Color [d]	Any Color [d]	Any Color [d]
Underpants [Female]	Any Color [bn]	Any Color [bn]	Any Color [bn]
Undershirt	White [bo]	White [bo]	White [bo]
Under shorts [Male]	Any Color [bp]	Any Color [bp]	Any Color [bp]
Belt	Black, civilian	Khaki w/gold tab [b/e]	Black w/gold tab [b/e]
<b>PRESCRIBABLE ITEMS</b>			
Cap	None	Ball [f]	Ball [f]
Handbag	Black [p]	Black or Brown [p]	Black [p]
Skirt	Khaki	None	None
Slip	Any Color [az]	None	None

- NOTE:
1. Uniformity within the unit is paramount.
  2. Items in working uniforms should not be interchanged.
  3. Golf shirts should have the Sea Cadet logo over the left breast as reflected in these regulations. Lettering underneath logo to indicate "STAFF" centered underneath logo.
  4. NSCC officers can display their rank by placing a miniature collar device in the center of the Sea Cadet logo on the front of the Ball Cap.
  5. Name tags, if worn, should match those of uniformed NSCC members in size and style.

**TABLE VIII  
SPECIAL UNIFORMS**

[ ] parenthetical letters refer to section 3302.1 – Description and Wear of Uniform Components

**"Battle Dress Uniform (BDU)/Camouflage"  
NSCC (FEMALE & MALE) UNIFORMS**

ARTICLE

Shirt	Woodland Camouflage
Trousers	Woodland Camouflage
Cap	Woodland Camouflage
Shoes	Black Combat boots
Socks	Black or Olive Green [ba]
Undershirt	Desert Brown [bo]
Brassiere [Female]	Any Color [d]
Under shorts [Male]	Any Color [bop]
Underpants [Female]	Any Color [bn]
Belt	Black w/black clip [b/e]
Shoulder Flash	Olive Drab

- NOTE:
1. Uniformity within the unit is paramount, all like cadets must wear like uniforms or none will wear the special uniform.
  2. This uniform is not authorized for wearing by NLCC Cadet.
  3. NSCC SEAL device wear on BDU is not authorized for PO1 and below.