

HOSA

OFFICIAL UNIFORM POLICY

The HOSA uniform will be worn for all official functions, such as: Competitive Events unless other uniform specified, official business and Executive Council meetings, when representing HOSA in various public relations activities, and other related activities. The official uniform policy is:

1. **Blazers for members – Males and Females.** A tailored navy blazer with emblem affixed over the heart. In 1991, the Board of Directors for HOSA Inc. designated Awards Unlimited the official supplier for this blazer.
2. **Shirt/blouse for female members.** A white tailored shirt or blouse. This is interpreted to mean: an open or closed neck. Jewel necklines with lace, ruffle or full-edged collars are not acceptable.
3. **Shirt for male members.** A white closed-neck man-tailored dress shirt, suitable for use with a tie.
4. **Accent for female members.** The maroon HOSA scarf no longer is a required part of the official uniform for females. However, the use of a maroon neck accent is optional.
5. **Accent for male members.** A solid navy or maroon man-tailored long tie.
6. **The official HOSA member/advisor pin.** The pin is centered on the left lapel of the jacket.
7. **Slacks, slacks/skirts.** Matching navy or white slacks for males and slacks or skirts for females. (Jeans and denim skirts are not considered appropriate.)
8. **Footwear.** Appropriate to the overall appearance of the uniform in navy, black or white, should be consistent among the particular group. (Tennis and track sneakers/shoes are not considered appropriate.)

Attire for Recognition and Award Sessions:

Females: A “dressy” short or long dress or official HOSA uniform.
Males: Business attire or official HOSA uniform.

Business Attire:

Females: Business suit, tailored dress, or blazer and skirt with tailored blouse.
Males: Business suit or sport coat and slacks with dress shirt and tie.