

AFJROTC ALTERNATE UNIFORM CONTRACT FIRST YEAR CADETS ONLY

TO: Hamilton High School AFJROTC Cadets and Parents

FROM: AZ-862 Senior Aerospace Science Instructor (Lt Col Dan Kline)

SUBJECT: AZ-862 Alternate Uniform Wear Contract

1. AFJROTC prefers all assigned cadets to wear the approved AFJROTC uniform. However, first year cadets who are not yet committed to wearing an AFJROTC uniform or maintaining grooming standards may opt out of these requirements during their first year.
2. First year cadets who opt out of the standard uniform have less restrictive grooming requirements but are still considered cadets and must participate in all required activities just as uniform wearing cadets do. There may be some activities or field trips they may not be allowed to participate in because they do not have an AFJROTC uniform.
3. At the beginning of the 1st, 2nd, or 3rd quarter, cadets who are wearing the alternate uniform, and will be enrolled in AFJROTC for a full year, may request to be issued the AFJROTC uniform. When issued, the cadet cannot revert to the alternate uniform.
4. Cadets who opt out of the standard uniform wear will be required to wear the unit Professional Citizens Attire (PCA). Which consists of a unit shirt, worn with a pair of full-length pants and a pair of closed-toed shoes with a full back. A full description of the PCA can be found in Chapter 3 of the AZ-862 Cadet Handbook. Cadets must purchase the unit shirt that will be worn on uniform wear days. **The cost of the shirt is \$50.00 and can be paid through Infinite Campus.** When wearing the PCA cadets will be required to keep their hair off their face. Cadets will be issued USAF PT gear, at no charge, for use during physical training.
5. Cadets are required to wear the PCA on the prescribed uniform wear day for each week. This is a mandatory requirement for this class. **Failure to wear the PCA three times during one semester will result in the student receiving a grade of "F" for their class and the student can be dropped from AFJROTC.** Students who do not wear the PCA on the scheduled uniform wear day must wear the PCA on the next school day that they have their Aerospace Science class. Students who have been excused from an *entire* week of school do not have to make up the previous week's PCA wear. The SASI will render a decision on make up uniform wear on a case-by-case basis.
6. If you damage, lose, destroy, or otherwise render the unit shirt or other issued clothing unserviceable due to negligence you will be required to pay for the item so it can be replaced. If an item becomes unserviceable during normal use, the instructors will determine whether the item will be replaced at no charge.
7. The professional citizen attire should be worn proudly. When you enrolled in an AFJROTC class you agreed to follow this alternate uniform wear policy. Each student and their parents or guardians will sign below to acknowledge that they understand the Alternate Uniform Policy. If you have any questions, please call MSgt Fred Driver at 480-883-5205 or me at 480-883-5207.

I understand and agree to follow the USAF JROTC Alternate Uniform Wear Policy and understand the consequences if I do not wear the JROTC Uniform on three (3) uniform wear days, in one semester.

Student's Printed Name

Student's Signature

Date

I understand the USAF JROTC Alternate Uniform Wear Policy for my son/daughter.

Parent/Guardian's Printed Name

Parent/Guardian's Signature

Date

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