

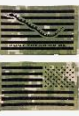
Navy Working Uniform (NWU) Type III Quick Fit Guide

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OPTIONAL PATCHES:

- Reverse U.S. Flag (worn on right shoulder)
- Don't Tread on Me flag (worn on left shoulder)
- Command Patch (if not worn on the right breast pocket) can replace the DTOM
- Shoulder patches are laser cut or embroidered



WARFARE INSIGNIA:

- Primary warfare insignia sewn centered and flush atop top edge of the Service tape. Secondary insignia may be sewn centered and between primary insignia and Service tape or centered and below the Service tape at the top of the pocket flap. Fabric strip will extend a ¼ inch on the left and right of the embroidery. (DOUBLE STACKING OPTIONAL)



ROLLED SLEEVES:

- 3" wide band covered by cuff with fabric side out.
- Falls approx. 2" above elbow.



SLEEVE LENGTH:

- Fully extended, cuffs fastened.
- Should cover wrist bone but not extend beyond first knuckle at base of thumb.



TROUSER LENGTH:

- When not bloused, trouser leg length shall not extend below bottom of boot heel.

PARKA & FLEECE

- To determine correct size, parka, fleece, and NWU blouse should be worn/fitted simultaneously.



WASH/CARE OF THE UNIFORM

- ALL BUTTONS/CLOSURES FASTENED AND SECURED
- WASH THE UNIFORM INSIDE OUT

HEAD GEAR:

- 8-Point cover is "Standard Head Gear." (ACE 8-Point 1 OCT 2019)
- Navy blue or coyote brown "Navy or Command" ball cap is optional.
- Worn squarely on head, parallel to the deck above the ears and eyes.

T-SHIRT & UNDERGEAR:

- Brown crewneck t-shirt. Collar should fit comfortably around neck.
- Thermal underwear authorized but must not be visible when wearing.

RANK INSIGNIA:

- Slip on embroidered (E-4 to O-10)
- Muted gold (O-1 & O-4)
- Silver (O-6)
- Black (all others)

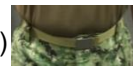


BLOUSE:

- Blouse worn squarely on shoulders
- Length should fall between bottom of crotch and no further than the middle of the trouser cargo pocket flap

TROUSERS:

- Worn squarely on waist with 1 ¼" cotton or nylon belt or 1 ¾" rigger belt (E-1 to E-6 black belt) (E-7 to O-10 khaki/COY brown belt)



TROUSER BLOUSING:

- Blouse trousers using blousing straps. When bloused, blousing should cover top three rows of boot eyelets.

NWU BOOTS:

- Laces must be tied and tucked into boots.
- Boots should be fitted in, and worn with boot socks.

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8-Point Cover:

- Square on head, not resting on ears
- Visor just above eye level & parallel to deck

T-Shirt & Mockneck Sweater:

- Collar should fit comfortably around neck.
- Mockneck Sweater sleeve length shall not extend beyond the length of the NWU shirt sleeve

Trouser:

- Trousers worn at waistline with belt.

Shirt Length:

- Shirt length must extend to the bottom of the crotch
- But not lower than the middle of the cargo pocket flap.
- No gapping at blouse front, both sides of shirt opening must overlap

Trouser Blousing:

- Blouse trousers using blousing straps. The blousing straps should be affixed between the 3rd and 4th eyelets from the top.

NWU Boots:

- Boot laces must be tied and tucked into the cuff of the boots.
- Boots should be worn with boot socks.
- Smooth finish boots are authorized for shore and shipboard use.
- Rough-out boots are authorized for shore duty only.



Warfare Insignia:

Primary warfare insignia shall be sewn centered and flush with the top of the US Navy tape. The fabric strip shall be sewn with a 1/4 inch border on the left and right of the embroidery.



Sleeve Rolling:

- 3-inch wide band covered with fabric side out and cuff clearly visible.
- 2 inches above elbow



Parka and Fleece:

Sized in accordance with blouse. To determine correct size both parka and fleece should be worn simultaneously.



Sleeve Length:

When shirt cuff is fastened length of sleeve should cover the wrist bone, but not extend further than the first knuckle at the base of the thumb.

Trouser:

- Trousers length should be long enough to touch deck when not wearing boots.

****All buttons and closures shall be secured
*Recommend uniforms be washed inside out***

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