

UMPIRE DRESS CODE

Shirts: Umpires may wear golf style or polo type shirts of any color as long as umpires are all wearing the same color shirt. The DBB patch shall be worn on or above the left pocket. Umpires may display the American flag on the shoulder or the back of the shirt, one inch in the center of the collar.

No other insignia shall be displayed either on the shirt, ball bag, or cap.

Ball bags may be either gray, black or navy blue but not a combination. Two ball bags shall be worn by the plate umpire. Base umpires shall not wear a ball bag on the field.

Slacks: Shall be charcoal gray. No shorts of any style shall be worn in DBB.

Shoes: Shall be predominately black and shined. Plate umpires shall wear plate shoes.

Socks, Belts: Socks shall be black or dark in color. Belts shall be black in color.

Caps: Shall be navy blue or black and have the official DBB logo on them. Caps shall not be worn backwards anywhere on the field.

Jewelry: With the exception of a wedding band or medical ID bracelet, no jewelry shall be displayed in plain sight while on the field. This includes watches and wrist bands.

Miscellaneous: With the exception of emergency personnel, no beepers shall be worn on the playing field, no cell phones shall be carried on the field. Umpires shall not carry keys, change or anything that rattles onto the playing field.

Equipment: shall be kept in good condition and shall be worn underneath (shin guards and chest protector). The mask shall be equipped with a throat protector.

Umpires shall not chew, dip or smoke in the vicinity of a playing field.

Before or after a game the umpire shall not sit in the stands or near the playing field in partial or full uniform.