



2137 Calgary Highlanders Cadet Corps

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Dress Standards - Highland Dress

Glen

- Tails ironed and not frayed
- Glen shaved with no lint
- All parts attached
- Polished cap brass

Tie

- Proper Cadet / Regiment issued Tie
- Proper Windsor knot (Double)
- Clean and free of lint
- Ironed flat
- Tie covers top button which is done up

Green Dress Shirt

- Clean and free of lint
- Sharp creases down center of sleeves
- Front and back panels pressed flat without creases
- Collars tucked in and ironed flat
- All buttons fastened (top button only done up with tie)
- Ironed lapels with proper Epaulets

Cut Away

- Badges in correct position with proper spacing
- No stitch marks or threads
- Proper buttons done up
- Clean
- No lint
- Medals/Bars and name tag in correct position (CCO medals on the right breast pocket; CHS medals on the left breast pocket)
- No creases in sleeves

Kilt

- Clean
- No lint
- Sharp pleats / knife pleated
- Correct height and length (kilt should end at the knee)

Sporran

- Purse sporran to be filled in with brown polish/waxed
- Badger sporran brass to be polished
- Badger sporran tassels to be properly shaped/belled

Half/Lovat Hose

- Three diamonds showing (for Half Hose)
- Clean



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- Ironed
- Flashings are lined up in the front, middle of the hose
- Sgian Dubh (skin du) on right side with just the top inch of the handle showing

Boots

- Polished to a mirror shine
- Cleaned/blacken soles

Spats

- White
- Ironed with proper creases
- All buttons done up

General Appearance

- Groomed
 - Hair shall be kept tidy
 - Hair shall not prevent the proper wear of any headdress
 - Hair must be worn so that the cadets face is visible
 - Long hair shall be put up in a bun or in 1 or 2 braids towards the back of the cadet's head
 - Sideburns no longer than halfway down the ear
- Tattoos are permitted; however, they must be cadet appropriate and kept in line with CATO 15-22(code of conduct)
- Piercings
 - Cadets in uniform may have ear piercings no more than 2.5 cm in diameter
 - Cadets may have a single nose piercing, as associated with cultural, religious, or spiritual beliefs. Septum piercings are not permitted.
 - The only authorized piercing above the shoulders is those on the ears and nose
- Jewelry is permitted however must not be visible during training hours
- Makeup/Nail polish/Artificial nails are permitted as long as they do not impair the cadet's ability to perform their duties