

Installations, Initiations and Official Visits

Members and Candidates:

Your choice must be considered tasteful and appropriate. If in doubt, think modesty.

Formal dress, floor or ankle length.

- Strapless dresses are appropriate if worn with a shrug or shawl covering the shoulders.
- Halter, one strap, and two strap dresses are appropriate. Straps must be firmly attached to the dress.
- The front and back of any dress must be **SOLID** and rest at or above the natural bra line.
- Any slit in the dress may not exceed the knee.
- Proper undergarments must always be worn and not be visible.
- No more than 50% of your clothing should be black or brown.

Dress shoes are preferred (any color, keeping in mind that white, silver, gold or color to match the dress look best with pastel colored dresses). If slippers are to be worn, only Ballerina slippers are acceptable.

Advisors and Guests:

Adults: You are the role models for the Girls.

Females: Dress or skirt and blouse. Mother Advisors must wear a formal dress. No more than 50% of your clothing should be black or brown.

Attire that is not appropriate:

Revealing formals

Males: Dress pants with dress shirt and tie.

Jacket is preferred. Dress shoes are preferred (any color).

Rainbow Business Meetings and Other Fraternal and Civic Events

Members and Advisors:

Adults: You are the role models for the Girls.

Females: Dress or skirt with blouse may be worn. No more than 50% of your clothing should be black or brown. Your choice must look and be considered tasteful and appropriate.

- Length of dress or skirt should be **NO HIGHER THAN** two-inches above the knee. Dress shoes are preferred (any color).
- Leggings are acceptable in business meetings under an appropriate dress.

Attire that is not appropriate:

Jeans, dress pants, skorts, mini-skirts, capris, t-shirts, tube tops, bare midriffs, or "Yoga" pants.

Males: Dress pants with dress shirt or polo shirt. Dress shoes are preferred (any color).

General Appearance

Proper undergarments must always be worn and not be visible.

Hosiery is preferred when wearing meeting or formal attire. "Yoga" pants **ARE NOT** considered hosiery.

Dress shoes are preferred.

- Dress boots are allowed during business meetings.
- Clogs, flip-flops, and athletic shoes **ARE NOT** considered "dress shoes."

Body piercing jewels (other than earrings) should not be worn at Rainbow functions. There should be no visible tattoos.

Rainbow Casual Service Projects, Practices, Socials, Public Relation Events, Fund Raising, Traveling, Etc.

Weather permitting and providing the event does not require professional dress:

Members and Advisors:

Skorts, pants, jeans, capris, or shorts may be worn when appropriate for the activity as determined by the Advisory Board.

Pants, jeans, capris and shorts must be worn at the waistline, have no holes, have a hem, and must be in good taste and appropriate.

Leggings are acceptable in a casual setting as long as the top garment covers the buttocks when girls are bowing/bending over.

Shirts must contain no print that is offensive or controversial. Matching polo, Assembly or Grand Assembly t-shirts are appropriate and encouraged!

Attire that is not appropriate:

Short shorts, tight jeans, miniskirts, tube tops, bare midriffs, spandex shorts, spandex pants, or "Yoga" pants.

Swimming Attire

Bathing suits may be one-piece or two-piece (tankini recommended) providing the suit is in good taste and not revealing. In hotels and other facilities, fingertip-length cover-ups and appropriate shoes must be worn when traveling to and from the pool.

Grand Assembly

Grand Assembly is always full of surprises and fun events throughout the weekend! Please dress accordingly and appropriately for the planned functions.

Members and Advisors

Meetings:

If you are to be introduced, you should dress as outlined in the "Installations, Initiations and Official Visits" section.

If not being introduced please dress as outlined in the section on "Rainbow Business Meetings."

Hosiery is preferred. "Yoga" pants **ARE NOT** considered hosiery.

During free time:

Dress skorts, dress walking shorts, dress pants or capris may be worn. They must be worn at the waistline, have no holes, have a hem, and must be in good taste and appropriate.

Shirts must contain no print that is offensive or controversial. Matching polo, Assembly or Grand Assembly t-shirts are appropriate and encouraged!

Please review the swimming attire section. Fingertip-length cover-ups and appropriate shoes must be worn.

Attire that is not appropriate at Grand Assembly:

Short shorts, jeans, miniskirts, tube tops, bare midriffs, spandex shorts, spandex pants, "Yoga" pants or leggings without a dress or appropriate top garment.

Always
"DRESS FOR SUCCESS"



Colorado Dress Code International Order of the Rainbow for Girls



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Why a Dress Code? Every organization, school and workplace have a dress code. As a member of Colorado Rainbow, you represent not only yourself, but also the organization to which you belong. Having and following a dress code allows those in the community to see our organization in a positive light. Our dress code prepares our girls to understand the expectations of others, while dressing professionally.

One of the benefits of Rainbow is helping our members mature into beautiful, responsible young women prepared to meet challenges with dignity, grace and poise. The following Dress Code is intended to help our members make appropriate clothing choices, based on the activities they will participate in as Rainbow Girls.