

HEADQUARTERS AIR FORCE PERSONNEL CENTER

*For official policy guidance, refer to AFI 36-2903,
Dress and Personal Appearance of Air Force Personnel*

OPTIONAL UNIFORM ITEMS

BLUE PULLOVER SWEATER

Pullover sweater is made of 50 percent acrylic / 50 percent wool material

Nametags will not be worn

Officers and senior NCOs wear shoulder mark rank insignia.



Metal rank worn by enlisted Airmen on light-weight blue jacket phased out on 1 January 2010. SNCO shoulder boards on blue shirt phased out on 1 August 2006. SNCO shoulder boards may only be worn on sweaters; Junior NCO's and Airmen wear metal/pin-on rank on sweaters

Enlisted Airmen will wear metal rank insignia 5/8 inch from the shoulder/sleeve seam of the epaulet. The bottom of the rank insignia will face the sleeve seam with the metal rank positioned parallel to the edges of the epaulet. SNCOs may wear shoulder mark insignia

Tie/Tab is optional

Wear shirt collar inside or outside of the sweater

The 50 percent acrylic/50 percent wool pullover sweater replaced the 100 percent wool pullover sweater

Phase-out date for the 100 percent wool pullover sweater was 1 October 2010

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