

AUXILIARY

Uniform Care and Information

**Please read BEFORE washing your uniform!
And YES, please wash your uniform during the season!**

1. Each Auxiliary member is responsible for the uniform that is issued to them at the beginning of the season. Each piece has a number and that number is assigned to you. You must return the uniform that is assigned to you at the end of the season. You are responsible for any damage to the uniform. Do not use markers, tape or any kind of labels to put name on uniform. We will label your garment bag, hat and raincoat for you.
2. **DO NOT ALTER YOUR UNIFORM!**
3. **DO NOT APPLY HAIR SPRAY OR PERFUME UNLESS THE UNIFORM IS COVERED.** Hair spray and perfume will damage the uniform. Use clear deodorant.
4. If the uniform is damp from rain or perspiration, dry it thoroughly in an open area, then wash the uniform. Make sure the uniform is **COMPLETELY** dry before placing it in the garment bag. Your uniform will develop mold if it is not completely dry.
5. Treat stains immediately, generally sponge with cold water. Stains may be treated with Spray and Wash and other **non-chlorine** stain removers prior to washing. **Never use any kind of bleach on the uniform.**
6. **Uniforms are to be machine washed on a very gentle cycle in cold water using a non-chlorine detergent and never use fabric softener. DO NOT DRY CLEAN. Turn the top inside out while washing, this reserves the buttons. HANG TO DRY! DO NOT PUT UNIFORM IN THE DRYER! The uniforms wash up very nicely. We recommend washing your uniform when there is a lot of perspiration and after rainy performances. Garment bags can also be machine washed using the same process as the uniforms. AND WE RECOMMEND THAT YOU WASH YOUR GARMENT BAG ALSO!**
7. **NEVER** place a damp uniform in the garment bag, your uniform will develop mold!
8. Tops should be hung on a hanger and skirts should be hung with a skirt hanger inside out so there are no marks on the velvet. Do not fold your uniform and keep it in a duffle bag.
9. **Please do not go the whole season without washing your uniform! Mr. Cheskawich does not like smelly kids!!**
10. When it is cold, navy Lebo Gear is recommended for under the top.
11. **Every student MUST take his/her uniform home after EVERY performance. Lockers are not available to store uniforms this year.**
12. If you have a uniform issue or need a repair, please email Mrs. Thompson several days **BEFORE** Friday night's game! Fredi314@mac.com.