

LBUA

Lamar Baseball Umpire Association

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Umpire Uniform Policy

CAPS: Caps will be navy blue or black fitted wool or mesh. When you are the plate umpire, you will wear your hat, bill facing forward. Unless you are using the hockey style mask then no cap is required. The LBUA cap is recommended.

SHIRTS: All umpires must have a navy blue umpire shirt, which is the default color. Umpires may also choose optional colors: Including but not limited to: Powder Blue, Cream, Red, or Black (The Powder Blue comes in three styles of trim: Red/White/Navy, Black, or White/Navy. (Powder Blue with Black trim is recommended). The optional colors may be worn only if the entire crew has the same color. All shirts must be clean and pressed.

T-SHIRTS: Under the uniform both officials shall wear an undershirt. The color is determined by the last color of the trim on the outer jersey. If black is the color of the undershirt then you must wear a black hat and black ball bags if applicable.

BELTS: Black leather, flat, not woven.

PANTS: All umpire pants shall be heather gray or charcoal gray. The plate umpire should wear pants that have enough leg room to hide the shin guards worn under the pants (plate or combo slacks are recommended). Base or combo slacks should be worn when working the bases. All pants must be clean and pressed.

BALL BAGS: Bags will be navy blue or heather gray. Black if the undershirt is black. They will be of a material similar to the pants. If two are worn, they will be the same color: if one has a logo, the other will have the same logo. Bags are worn directly over the side belt loops, never to the front or rear. Ball bags are never worn on the bases.

SOCKS: Black.

SHOES: Must be predominately black with any trim being white. Shoelaces will be black. Steel-toed plate shoes are recommended when working behind the plate. Shoes are to be cleaned and shined.

INCLEMENT WEATHER GEAR: The black or navy pullover jackets are the only approved jackets to be worn. Wear whatever it takes to keep warm under the pullover in extreme cold weather for this area (i.e.: long underwear, red sweatshirts, turtlenecks, etc.). If ski caps or gloves are necessary, wear a dark color (navy or black).

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