



Dear Incoming Brave,

Congratulations! I look forward to meeting you and having you a part of The Criminal Justice Magnet Program here at Boone High School.

In order to give you an opportunity to get a head start, I wanted to give you information regarding certain purchases you will be **required** to make and use during your time in the Criminal Justice Magnet Program. Preparing in advance to meet the expectations of the program will make your transition into Boone High School easier.

Professional Dress is a graded dimension of the Criminal Justice Magnet Program curriculum and proper wear of the Criminal Justice Magnet Program uniform is part of the Professional Dress Requirement. The Criminal Justice Magnet Program uniform will be worn every Wednesday. The Criminal Justice Magnet Program uniform will also be worn anytime identification as a member of the Criminal Justice Magnet Program is desired, such as on field trips and some cadet details.

The uniform for the Criminal Justice Magnet Program will be khaki tactical pants, dark blue polo shirt, black belt (shown below), black leather shoes/sneakers, black socks that cover the ankle, and cold weather hoodie.

Do not wait until the first day of school to order the uniform. Order the uniform now. All students will be expected to be in uniform on Wednesday August 16, 2023. This is a graded dimension of the course. Failure to comply with uniform will affect your grade.

Criminal Justice Magnet Uniform Items to be purchased by parent for student:

Our program has contacted Unique Custom Apparel and uses an Online vendor for shirts. The required shirt can be purchased from Unique via email. To place an order please email **artwork@uniquedtg.com**, please include the students name, phone number, and size needed per order. The cost will be \$33 plus tax. This includes the embroidery and free shipping if local or garments are available for pick up at 1033 Pine Street, Orlando, FL 32824.

The required uniform pants can be purchased from Galls website. Students will be required to wear Tru-Spec BDU basic pants in the Khaki color, TRU-SPEC BDU BASICS PANT Item#: TJ600M fg#: 1829003. These are a new style of pant as they are more economical and will allow the students to grow taller and wider. It is my hope that the students will not need a new uniform as they grow the next three years. I cannot guarantee this as some children do grow quite a bit in high school. You can order using this link. <https://www.galls.com/tru-spec-bdu-basics-pant?PMWTNO=000000000002316&PMSRCH=> Galls does have a store in Orlando located at 11602 Lake Underhill Rd. Orlando, Florida. I cannot guarantee their inventory. Some feel the pants run big though adjustable on the side.

When selecting the specific uniform articles, their cost, durability and ease of care were considered while also being able to provide the professional appearance the program desires to achieve. **When a particular manufacturer and / or model is specified, care should be taken to obtain only those items as these are the only items that will be accepted.**

I recommend you purchase your uniform by mid-July to ensure you have it by the beginning of the school year. Students will be required to be in a UNIFORM ON AUGUST 17, 2022.

Uniform Shirt

TEAM 365 (Sport Dark
Navy) Local Retailer:
Unique Custom Apparel
1033 Pine Street
Orlando Fl 32824
Office: 407.286.7215

artwork@uniquedtg.com



Uniform Pants

Tru-Spec BDU basic pants in the Khaki color

TRU-SPEC BDU BASICS PANT Item#: TJ600M fg#: 1829003.



Belt

The suggested belt Galls 1.75" Tactical EDC Belt, the link can

be found here, <https://www.galls.com/galls-1-75-tactical-edc-belt?PMSRCH=tactical%20belt>

This belt or a tactical belt like is required. The pictured belt is \$8.



Shoes

The fit and function of shoes is very important. Shoes that offer improper support or fit can affect the posture and good health of the wearer. For this reason, some personal preference in footwear is permitted, with certain uniform restrictions. Dress shoes are not required, or even desirable, given the nature of the field of study. The shoe, regardless of manufacturer or model, **MUST BE constructed of all black leather** (no nylon, suede or nubuck, etc.) If a logo is present, it must also be made of black leather. The entire upper of the shoe, including the logo (if applicable) must be capable of accepting shoe polish and being buffed to a shine. There are numerous manufacturers of such footwear. Shown are several different products available at Walmart. Other acceptable shoes are available from Nike, New Balance, Hi-Tec, Bates, etc.

Lastly, we offer a Boone Cadet Hoodie Sweatshirt. This sweatshirt is the only acceptable sweatshirt on Wednesday as is to be worn on cold weather uniform days over the uniform shirt while in my classroom or on field trips. This sweatshirt is \$25.00 and must be bought using schoolpay once school starts in August. They will arrive before winter.

Every year the junior class designs a spirit shirt. This shirt is optional and will be available for purchase through Boone High School using schoolpay during the 2023-2024 school year.

Please review the grooming standards below. These are the expectations for every Boone Cadet when in uniform. **These are not negotiable.** If you do not want to comply with the grooming standards, then this is not the program for you. This means I can tell you to get a **haircut.** This means you cannot have, for example, bright purple hair. If you cannot comply, DO NOT enroll.

Grooming:

Cadets will be clean and well-groomed when in uniform. Male cadets will be clean-shaven.

Hair Requirements:

Males - must be tapered above the ears and collar, and cut above the eyebrows. Any afro style may not be higher than 1 inch on top.

Females - hair touching the shoulders shall be pulled back in a single ponytail or a single braid.

Jewelry:

Necklaces must not be visible.

A watch and a ring on each ring finger are permitted.

Females may wear one pair of post earrings in gold or silver.

Tattoos

No tattoos may be visible while in uniform.

Some of this information is new for the incoming freshman class, as availability of pants has changed. If you have a uniform from an older sibling that was in the program, please contact Mrs. Williamson for instructions. Please do not take advice from other families who are or were once in the program as every freshman class has its own policies and rules. These will stay in place for your duration in the program. While I try to keep everything uniform, some things do change from year to year.

I look forward to meeting you.

Be Kind, Be Strong, **Be Brave,**

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