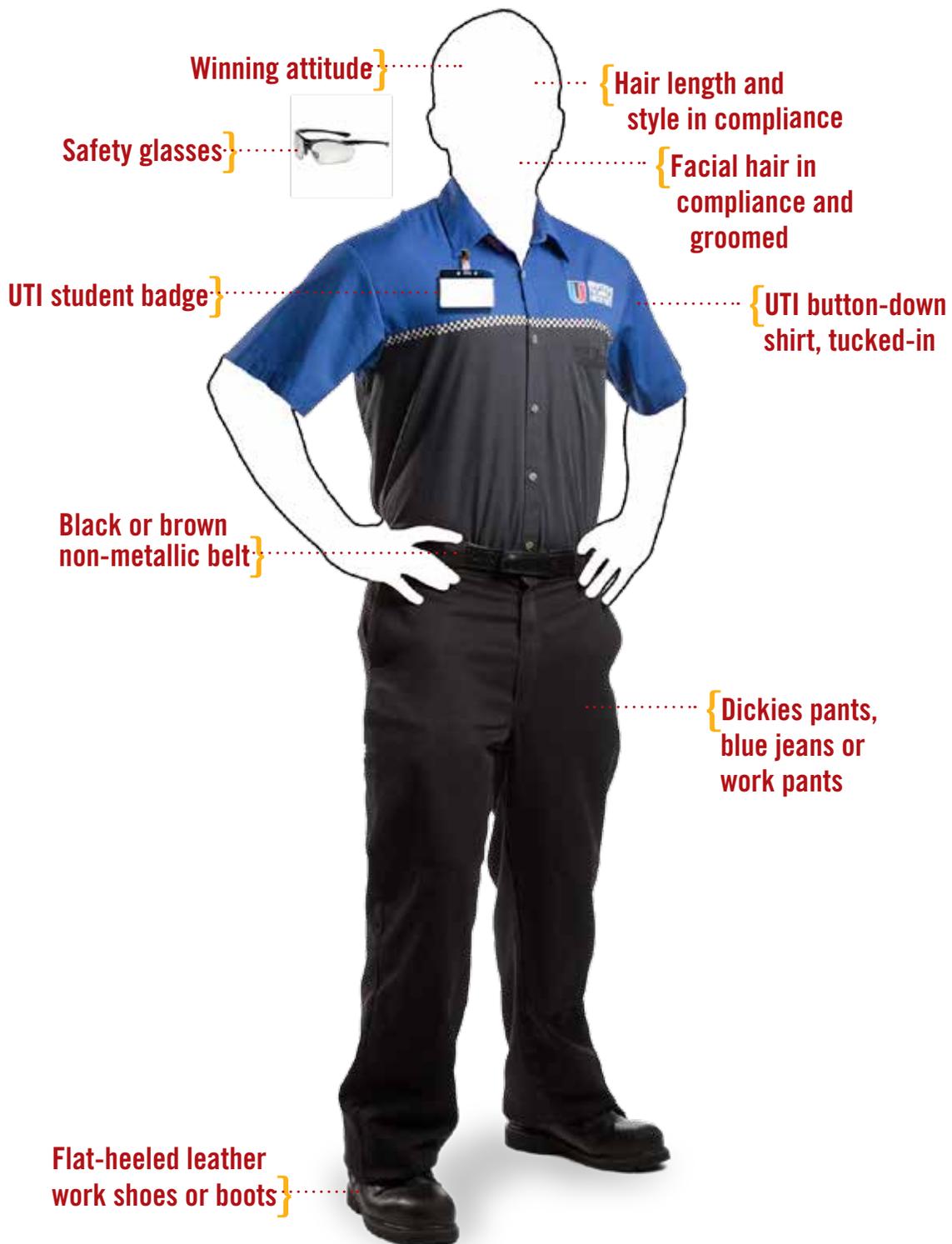


UTI / NASCAR TECH DRESS CODE



UTI maintains a professional dress code for all students for reasons of safety as well as meeting industry standards for professionalism. To best prepare students for the industry, the following standards apply:

- All students must wear approved apparel sold by the school. Shirts must be kept clean, mended and tucked in. Additional shirts may be purchased from the school. The UTI uniform shirt must be buttoned from at least the third fastener down. Female students must wear the uniform shirt in the appropriate manner and have no skin or cleavage showing.
- All “hoodies” (i.e., hooded jackets/garments) are prohibited unless disclosed otherwise by the campus. Please contact the campus Student Services Department for specific guidelines regarding outerwear (jackets, hoodies, etc.).
- No mouth grills (gold, silver, etc.) are allowed to be worn on campus. They must be removed prior to the start date.
- Unless a student is wearing a UTI uniform sweater or a jacket front zippered or buttoned, a UTI T-shirt or UTI button-down shirt with collar must be the outermost layer of garment.
- Pants are to be clean and without holes of any kind. Dickies pants (black or blue) are preferred. However, blue jeans and work pants are acceptable. Pants are to be worn at the waistline and supported with a black or brown belt. Sagging pants are not allowed on campus.
- No pants frayed in the cuff are allowed on campus.
- Pants cannot drag on the ground. They should fit neatly over the boots.
- Black or brown belts must be worn with the UTI uniform. Designer belts with studs or beads are not allowed.
- Multicolored pants, cutoffs, shorts, jogging clothes, military clothes, bib overalls, baggy clothing or clothing with large, extended pockets are not permitted while attending class and lab.
- Male students must be clean-shaven or keep beards and mustaches neatly trimmed.
- Only baseball type caps featuring a UTI logo are permitted and must be worn with the bill facing forward while on campus. The wearing of these caps is only allowed in areas designated by the school. Do-rags, bandanas, visors, skull caps or pantyhose-type caps are prohibited. However, only during winter months, a knit black or blue skull cap featuring a UTI logo may be worn when lab area temperatures fall consistently below 70 degrees Fahrenheit. Note: This is campus specific. Please contact the campus to ensure UTI hats are allowed on campus.
- Students must wear black or brown leather work shoes or boots of a traditional work boot/shoe style. Oil-resistant soles are required for auto and diesel students. Work shoes or boots must be tightly laced and tongue-in. Pants must be worn on the outside of the boots.

Hair Requirements

Haircuts must comply with professional and safety standards as determined by the school. No outlandish hairstyles are permitted. The Campus President, Education Director(s) and/or the Student Services Director will review unresolved disputes concerning the hairstyle policy on a case-by-case basis and make a final determination.

Male Students – Hair Compliance

Hair must be clean, combed, neatly trimmed and well groomed at all times. No shaving of the sides only (as in a Mohawk style), ponytails (unless previously authorized by school administrators via documentation of religious affiliations), jewelry or beads attachments, or designs etched into hair or scalp. Braided or “cornrow” hair is allowed provided the hair is clean, neat and tight to the head. The true length of hair cannot be longer than the top of the work shirt collar. If the true length does touch the work shirt collar, the student will receive downgrades until it is corrected and ultimately fail the course if it remains uncorrected.

General rules to follow:

- True length of hair cannot touch or hang below the top edge of the work shirt collar.
- Rubber bands, hair ties or any other device cannot be used to hold the hair above the collar.
- Hair cannot fall below the eyebrows in the front or the mid point of the ear on the sides, or stand up more than 2 inches in height.
- Hair may be dyed provided the color(s) are natural and, if highlighted, are subtly blended with no more than two colors.

Female Students – Hair Compliance

Hair must be clean, neat and contained away from the face and eyes or pulled back from the face and eyes so it does not pose a safety threat. Generally, this means the hair must be fastened securely to the back of the head or held away from the face in all lab situations.

General rules to follow:

- No shaving of the sides only (as in a Mohawk style).
- No jewelry or beads or designs etched in the hair or scalp.
- Hair may be dyed provided the color(s) are natural and, if highlighted, are subtly blended with no more than two colors.
- Hair should be placed in a bun or a single ponytail.
- Ponytails should be tucked into the shirt during labs.