

Uniform Requirements for Football

1. Hat Referee: Solid White, Sized
Other Officials: Black with White Piping, Sized
2. Shirt Short and Long Sleeve Required. Non Meshed Material.
FHSAA patch centered on front, left breast pocket.
Flag patch on left sleeve 2" down from seam.
All officials to wear same type shirt.
No FHSAA Patch at youth games or at Church & Private Schools.
3. Pants White Football Knickers. No yellow pants.
4. Belt Black Officials Belt. No inappropriate buckles.
5. Shorts Black coaches shorts only with belt loops.
Worn for Youth and Scrimmages Only.
6. Socks Varsity - Solid, one-piece hose with Northwestern Stripe woven in.
Youth and Scrimmages, white crew socks only. No ankle socks.
7. Shoes Solid Black with Black Laces is preferred. No Logos or Markings.
If Shoes with White Stripes are worn, the entire crew must match.
8. Jacket Solid Black with No Patches.
9. Penalty Flags Two Yellow Weighted Flags Required.
May be carried in pockets or stuffed in front of knickers/shorts.
10. Whistle Lanyard or Finger Type. Bring a spare.
11. Game Card One card for recording data.
12. Chain Clip Required for Linesman only.
13. Stopwatch Required for Clock Operator.
Required for Line Judge (4-man crew).
Required for Back Judge (5-man crew).
14. Bean Bag Solid White or Blue. One required. BJ carry a spare.
Crew must be consistent – either all white or all blue.
15. Pencil Required.
16. Down Indicator Black elastic wrist band or thick rubber band.
17. White Towel Umpires Only, recommended for night games.
Required for inclement weather games.

Chain Crews: White, Short Sleeve Shirt with Collar.
Black - Pants, Belt, Shoes, Hat, and/or Jacket.

A clean, complete, and properly fitted uniform is essential for successful officiating.
Make sure you always look the part. Wear your uniform with pride and confidence.
Dress for Success.