Attire Guidelines for Class of ‘24 Graduation Week Events
Graduation Reception and Banquet

- Cadets: India White (Reception & Banquet)
- Military: AGSU-As or ASU-As with four in hand tie (no cover)
- Civilian: Business
  - According to DA PAM 670-1, when soldiers are wearing the above uniform, the appropriate civilian attire is:
    - Men: business suit or sport coat and tie
    - Women: business casual evening or cocktail attire; or Sunday dress or pant suit
  - guests who are active duty or retired officers are welcome to wear their uniform
B–2. Service equivalent uniforms
Table B–2 is intended to serve as a guideline for appropriate attire. Some uniforms are optional, seasonal, or required for specific pay grades only. Uniforms may deviate from table B–2 depending on the event or when directed by host or command.

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<td>Official formal and evening functions, state occasions, private and formal dinners, or occasions requiring more formality than Service uniforms</td>
<td>Sliver or white mess evening dress, ASU or AGSU dress variation</td>
<td>Formal tuxedo (low tie is standard), semiformal tuxedo, or dark dinner jacket</td>
<td>Formal cocktail or evening gown, formal or semiformal long or short evening dress, or evening trousers with a formal top</td>
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<td>Parades, ceremonies, reviews (when special honors are being paid), and official visits of foreign dignitaries</td>
<td>Class A ASU, ASU tropical dress variation, or Class A AGSU</td>
<td>Informal or business casual business suit or sport coat and tie</td>
<td>Informal or business casual evening or cocktail attire; Sunday dress; or business suit or pant suit</td>
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<td>Business or informal social occasions, uniform of the day, office work</td>
<td>Service uniform Class B short-sleeved shirt, open collar with name tag and rank; or long-sleeved shirt with tie, name tag, and rank</td>
<td>Informal or business casual business suit or sport coat without tie; or trousers with open color shirt</td>
<td>Informal or business casual simple skirt or dress: slacks with jacket, pantsuit, low or flat shoes</td>
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<td>Daily work environment</td>
<td>Utility uniforms (ACU or physical training) or Class C garrison</td>
<td>Civilian casual slacks with open color shirt or golf shirt; no sport coat</td>
<td>Civilian casual slacks or capri pants with blouse and sandals or flats</td>
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<td>Field or plant environment where soiling of clothing is expected</td>
<td>Maintenance or field duty</td>
<td>Jeans (no holes); shorts (medium length); and tennis shoes, work boots, sandals, or boots</td>
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Notes:
1 If host indicates a certain dress, follow the host’s intent.
2 Determined by host, current fashion, local customs, and time and type of event.
Appropriate knee-length cocktail dresses for Graduation reception and banquet
Strapless dresses are appropriate when the neckline is not too revealing. When in doubt, add a jacket, wrap or shawl.
Additional options for Graduation Reception and Banquet:
Tea-length dress, skirt and dressy top, pant suit
Civilian Attire for Men - Graduation Reception & Banquet: Suit or sport coat and tie
Regimental Receptions at Quarters 100
“The Superintendent’s Garden Reception”

Women: Day dress; skirt/slacks and blouse
Men: Sport coat, slacks, collared shirt, tie (optional); Seasonal suit
Officers: AGSU-A or ASU-A with four-in-hand tie
Cadets: White over Gray
Graduation Day Ceremony and Bar Pinnings

Remember: *This is a once-in-a-lifetime Photo Opportunity!*
Attire guidelines are similar to Supe’s Garden Receptions
TIPS:

• All events require a lot of walking, so keep in mind to bring comfortable shoes.
• Check the forecast ahead of travel – weather can be either cool, hot and humid, or rainy.
• Pack a light poncho, umbrella and sunscreen.
• For women, a light wrap may be needed for the evening banquet.

Questions?

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