

## ***Foster City Fire Department Station Uniform Requirements***

1. Per Directive D-8 in the Fire Department Procedures Manual, new personnel shall equip themselves with the Station Uniform before reporting for work. Personnel are responsible to equip themselves with all uniforms in D-8 before completion of the eighteen month probationary period.
2. Uniforms shall fit in such a manner that they do not bag or show excessive strain on seams, zippers or buttons. Pants shall be cuffless and be finished to cover the laces of the shoes in the front and ¼" above the heel in the back of the shoe, excluding safety boots.
3. Whenever "of approved style" or "approved equivalent" appears, it shall mean as approved by the Fire Chief.
4. All Station Uniforms purchased after September 1, 1978 shall meet appropriate OSHA Standards contained in Sections 3406 (c) and Section 3408 (c).

### ***Station Uniform Specifications (Firefighters)***

<b>Item</b>	<b>Description</b>
Badge	Left breast of shirt at required locations
Belt/Buckle	1¼" wide basket weave or plain black belt/ Silver buckle with "FCFD" approved style
Cap	Standard blue Fireman's cap as approved
Department Pin	To be worn on the collar or pocket flap of shirt. (optional)
Department Shorts	Approved Department black/dark color shorts, mid-thigh, for wear underneath station pants to facilitate donning of full turnouts.
Jacket	Holloway Scout-type Dark Blue Outer Shell and Grey Interior with FCFD Logo, approved style.
Name Tag	On the uniform shirt on the right side over the right breast pocket, directly over the pocket seam.
Officer Insignia	Appropriate for rank; on collar points
Shirt	Navy blue wool or polyester <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Short or long sleeve</li> <li>• No Epaulettes</li> <li>• 36 ligne white "cat eye" buttons on front</li> <li>• 24 ligne white "cat eye" buttons on pockets and cuffs of long sleeve shirt</li> </ul>
Shoes	Safety Boot – OSHA Approved
Socks	Black or dark blue crew type or any other color, as long as they are not visible to view.
Trousers	Dickies Black or equivalent or 14 oz. or 16 oz. Wool, meeting OSHA requirements. (Navy blue).
T-shirt	High neck shirt with Foster City Fire Department Logo, approved style only. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Navy Blue</li> <li>• Short or Long Sleeve</li> </ul>

## ***Obtaining Station Uniforms***

***The Foster City Fire Department does not endorse or recommend any of the following uniform stores; any store that can supply the required uniform is acceptable. The following stores have provided uniforms to personnel in the past. Stores or store contact information may not be current.***

Peninsula Uniforms  
2626 Broadway, Redwood City  
650-701-0911

Belt Buckles, nametags and hat pieces can be purchased at: Irvine & Jachens, 6700 Mission Street, Daly City, 650-755-4715

Butler Uniforms  
22415 Foothill Blvd., Hayward  
510-537-0392

T-shirts, sweatshirts and workout clothing can be purchased from Foster City Firefighters Association (FCFFA).

Butler Uniforms  
345 Ninth Street, San Francisco  
415-863-8119

Summit Uniforms  
345 Meridian Avenue, San Jose  
408-293-8633

Brinker-Mincolla Uniforms  
557 Fifth Street, Oakland  
510-435-7754

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