

Dress for Success!

West Branch Career Based Intervention Program

Men

Interviewing Attire

Dos

No earrings

Silk necktie with conservative pattern

Shirt cuffs show only slightly at the wrist

Conservative 2-piece suit

Dark shoes & socks



Don'ts

Facial hair should be neat & trimmed

Avoid distracting or busy patterns

No rolled up pants
Don't forget socks



Pants should not be too loose or baggy.

Underwear should not be showing.

If your shirt is tucked in, wear a belt.

No big chains

Shoes should be tied.

Women

Interviewing Attire

Dos

Jewelry in moderation

Conservative 2-piece suit

Skirt: Knee-length

Hoisery at or near skin color

Dark Shoes



Don'ts

Necklace too large/distracting

No bright colors/patterns

Capris: too casual

No open-toed shoes



Dress conservatively.

Avoid shirts that are too tight or too low.

Avoid skirts or dresses that are too short, or pants that are too tight

Pants should be high enough or shirts long enough so that the midriff is covered.

Everyone

Good grooming is a must.

This includes clean hands and nails.

Young men should be clean-shaven.

Beards and mustaches should be neatly trimmed.

Young ladies should avoid wearing too much make-up.

Hair should be neatly combed.

Be aware that colorful hair (Pink, Purple, etc.) may not be considered professional by many employers.

No excessive jewelry.

Be aware that many employers may have issues with body piercing, especially lip and nose.

No excessive perfume or cologne.

No B.O.!

