Uniform Inspection.
Conduct the uniform inspection with common sense; the basic rule is neatness. Every Scout should leave the inspection feeling proud to be a member of the unit.

Scouts BSA Handbook
☐ The Scouts BSA handbook is considered part of a Scout's uniform. Either a physical copy or an electronic version is acceptable.

General Appearance.
Allow 2.5 points for each:
☐ Good posture
☐ Clean face and hands
☐ Neatly dressed
☐ Clean fingernails

Headgear.
All troop members must wear the headgear chosen by vote of the troop.

Shirt and Neckwear.
Official uniform shirt, either long- or short-sleeved with green shoulder loops on epaulets. The troop decides whether to wear the shirt tucked in or untucked. The troop may vote to wear a neckerchief, bolo tie, or no neckwear. The troop has the choice of wearing the neckerchief over the turned-under collar or under the open collar. In any case, the top button of the collar should be unbuttoned.

Pants/Shorts/Skort/Roll-up Pants.
Official pants or official uniform pants or shorts; no cuffs. (Units have no option to change.) Female Scouts BSA members may select the olive skort or roll-up pants.

Belt.
Official Scouts BSA belt, web or leather, as selected by members of the troop. All troop members wear the same style of belt.

Socks.
Official socks with official shorts, pants, roll-up pants, or skort. Either long or short socks are acceptable.

Shoes.
Leather or canvas, neat and clean.

Registration.
Current membership card or temporary certificate is on person. Digital image is acceptable.

Uniform points. Total points from above (70 possible)

Insiginia.
Correct placement: left pocket, 5 points; right pocket, 5 points; left sleeve, 5 points; right sleeve, 5 points; merit badge sash, 5 points; shoulder epaulets, 5 points.

Insignia points from reverse (30 possible)

Total Uniform Inspection Score
Uniform and insignia points combined. A perfect score is 100 points.

Notes

*For more information about insignia, see the Insignia Guide, No. 33066.
Scouts BSA Uniform Inspection Sheet

Official Placement of Insignia
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Merit Badge Sash
5 pts.
- If worn, merit badges are attached to front (and back, if needed) of sash.
- Temporary insignia may be worn on back.

Shoulde rEpaulets
5 pts.
- Green shoulder loops identify Scouts BSA participants (all members of a troop).

Right Sleeve
5 pts.
- U.S. flag emblem centered directly below shoulder seam. Only the most recently earned Journey to Excellence recognition may be worn below Arrow emblem or below the National Honor Patrol star.
- Musician badge, if in band or drum corps, is worn ½ inch below patrol emblem.

Left Sleeve
5 pts.
- Council shoulder emblem, unit numeral, and veteran unit bar are worn as shown snug up, and touching each other. On the official uniform shirt, the veteran unit bar (25, 50, 55, 60, 65, 70, 75, or 80 years) is positioned above and touching the troop numeral and in turn touching the council emblem.
- On the official shirt, the badge of office is centered on the pocket, as shown. On the official uniform shirt, the badge of office is centered and touching the unit numeral, or centered 4 inches below the shoulder seam. On the official uniform shirt, the Trained Leader emblem is worn immediately below and in contact with the badge of office.
- On the shirt, the Trained Leader emblem is centered as shown at the top of the pocket flap.
- Den chief cord is worn over the left shoulder, under epaulet.

Right Pocket
5 pts.
- National or world jamboree insignia (only one) worn above the BSA program or corporate strip or the interpreter strip.
- Order of the Arrow lodge insignia worn on pocket flap.
- Temporary insignia worn centered on the pocket or hung from the button. Only one temporary insignia is worn at a time.
- Nameplate, if worn, is centered above the program or corporate strip and, if worn, above the interpreter strip. If worn, the jamboree emblem is worn above the interpreter strip.

Left Pocket
5 pts.
- Service stars are centered above the pocket, ¼ inch from top point to top point and ½ inch from either the pocket or embroidered knots.
- Embroidered square knots are worn centered above the pocket in rows of three.
- Not more than five medals may be worn, pinned centered immediately above the pocket (extending over knots if both are worn).
- The order of wearing knots and medals is at the wearer's discretion; typically the medal or knot the wearer deems most important is worn to the wearer's right.
- Badges of rank are worn centered on the pocket above the Arrow of Light Award, as shown.
- The World Crest emblem and Messengers of Peace ring are worn centered horizontally over the left pocket and vertically between the left shoulder seam and the top of the pocket.

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