

## DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY WEST POINT, NY 10996

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MEMORANDUM FOR United States Corps of Cadets, West Point, New York 10996-1692

SUBJECT: Policy Letter #28 on International Cadets Regarding the Wear of Foreign Uniforms

- 1. Purpose. The purpose of this memorandum is to provide guidance to four-year international cadets on the wear of foreign uniforms during the duty day. Foreign Cadets enrolled in the four-year Cadet program are fully assimilated into the USMA Corps of Cadets to gain the full 47 month experience; as such, these Cadets must wear the US Army Combat Uniform with the respective foreign nation's flag patch and country nametape. The wear of foreign uniforms for four-year international Cadets is a privilege and may be revoked. All four-year international Cadets wearing a foreign uniform under the guidance of this policy should reflect a neat, clean, and professional appearance as they would normally.
- 2. Privileges. Four-year international Cadets are permitted to wear their Nation's Army uniform on their nation's Independence Day, veteran's day, or armed forces day equivalent, and during Branch Week and the Sandhurst competition, unless otherwise specified by the Brigade Commander. Uniforms must be of equivalent formality to the uniform of the day, e.g. if the uniform of the day is As for Class, the foreign uniform should be a daily dress uniform and cannot be a combat uniform.
- 3. The point of contact for this memorandum is the Brigade Senior Enlisted Leader at 845-938-7904.

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