

Visiting Clinical Year DVM Students

Required Veterinary Apparel, Instruments, and Supplies

Veterinary Apparel

Most of the following listed supplies can be found, among other places, at www.veterinaryapparel.com. However, you are not restricted to this supplier.

Short Sleeve or Insulated Coveralls

Color must be dark blue. Please remember, you **must** wear clothing under your coveralls. For certain rotations in winter months, it is strongly recommended that your purchase these in a size large enough to wear warm clothes underneath.



Scrub Shirts and Pants

The senior class color will be provided to you from the Academic Affairs office. You are not required to wear these colors unless you prefer to match. However, the scrubs must be a solid color.



Clinician Jackets

This **must be purchased** in the class' color. The current senior class color will be provided to you from the Academic Affairs office.



Lab Coats

These must be white, standard, and not display another college logo.

Rubber Boots

These must have no outside buckles, straps, or ties. They must be capable of being scrubbed and disinfected easily and can be either over-the-shoe type or boot slip-on type. If you purchase the cover the shoe type, close toed shoes must be worn underneath.



Nametag

One nametag is furnished by the college (two if your visit will be spanning two academic years). If you have not already done so, please send your name as you wish it to appear on the tag to acadaff@vt.edu

Reminder: Students are expected to maintain themselves and their wearing apparel in a clean, neat state. Therefore, purchase apparel quantities accordingly.

Specific Attire for Various Rotations

While on each orientation for each rotation, your clerkship leaders will explain in detail what is required. The following are basic guidelines for the apparel needed for particular internal rotations.

Small Animal Medicine (SAM), Small Animal Surgery (SAS), and Specialty Medicine (Cardio, Derm, Oncology and Neuro): “Dress” shoes are required for SAM and SAS; tennis-type shoes are okay while on SPMED. Wear scrubs and white lab coat where appropriate. Gentlemen, a shirt, tie and dress pants (Dockers-type are acceptable) are required under clinician jackets. Ladies, professional dress (a professional type shirt is appropriate), and dress pants (Dockers-type pants are acceptable). No jeans of any kind in any of these services.

Radiology and Ultrasound: Follow the same guidelines as stated above. However, jeans and tennis shoes are acceptable.

Anesthesiology: Scrubs and white lab coat.

Large Animal Clinical Services (LACS or LAMS): Appropriate attire includes polo shirt in class color and clean chino pants any color. Blue Coveralls may be substituted but must cover appropriate clothing. Work or rubber boots need to be worn during these rotations. For farm visits, boots that can be easily disinfected and coveralls are required. Scrubs and lab coats will be needed when appropriate.

Production Management Medicine (PMM) and Equine Field Services (EFS): Navy coveralls, with appropriate attire underneath are required. Rubber boots must be worn during these rotations. Scrubs and lab coats will be needed when appropriate.

Lab Services: Navy coveralls, gloves, and rubber boots are needed for necropsy. For other portions: follow the dress code discussed under “Radiology and Ultrasound”.

Instruments and Supplies

The following listed supplied can be found, among other places, at one of the two suppliers:

- General and Small Animal Supplies

www.allheart.com

- Large Animal Supplies

www.enasco.com/prod/Home

Again, you are not restricted to these suppliers

Item	Specification
Specification	Littman – Master Classic, Classic or Cardiology with XL tubing
Watch	Make sure that it is seconds capable
Thermometer	Digital, non-breakable
Penlight	Disposable
Bandage Scissors	5-1/2”
Suture Scissors	
Hemostat	5-1/2”
Reflex Hammer	
Hoof Pick	