

When you are not wearing your tabard; place it on a hanger – this helps it keep its shape and allows any recent creases formed during wear to drop out.

To help preserve your tabard we recommend you do not clean it too frequently as every clean reduces the longevity of a clothing item.

To help avoid frequent cleaning try to remove any spills or dirty marks as soon as they happen with a damp cloth or towel.

Please follow the instructions printed inside this leaflet relating to how to wash your tabard. If after washing you still have stains and marks, take it to a reputable Dry Cleaners who will clean it with care and press it back to shape.

In the unlikely event that your garment has some loose thread ends the first rule is NOT to pull them, you MUST ALWAYS cut them about 2mm away from the garment face, do not cut them any shorter.

If you decide to pull a thread end, in many instances it will create a worse problem.

The stitching types used in certain areas of garments are created in a way that pulling at a thread can cause it to unravel. e.g. hem stitching, button stitching, buttonhole stitching and some seam stitching.



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How to Care for your New Uniform Tabard



Tabard

As soon as you receive your tabard, place it on a hanger.

If it is heavily creased let it hang for 24 hours, if after 24 hours there are still some creases, iron them out with a steam iron.



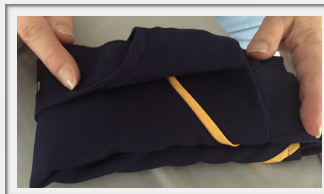
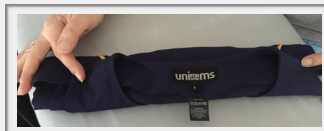
When ironing - do not Iron on the face side, only iron on the inside of the garment.



if you iron on the face side this will cause the fabric to shine.

Try to keep your tabard crease free for as long as possible as it will be folded and packed away for most of the time.

In order to do this roll it and fold once to pack it - please place it back on a hanger as soon as possible.



Washing:

Do not bleach or use whiteners.

Do not use fabric conditioners (check your detergent does not have a conditioner in it or bleaching agents).

The tabard can be washed with other dark coloured items - BUT NOT JEANS. Before washing fasten all press studs.

Wash it at 40 degrees on a synthetic cycle. It can be spun at a speed of 1400 revs to help it dry.

As soon as it has finished washing take it out of the washing machine and place it on a hanger to dry.

Wait until it is dry before you iron it - please note this item is to be ironed with a steam iron on warm setting not hot.

It must also be ironed on the inside of the garment.