

# **UNIVERSAL COLLEGE - ALEY**





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Dear UCA Parents and Guardians of the Graduating Class of 2025,

We hope this message finds you well. With the graduation ceremony for the Class of 2025 just around the corner, we are excited to celebrate this important milestone in your child's academic journey. As we prepare for this special event, we would like to provide you with the dress code requirements for seniors participating in the ceremony. Please ensure that your child adheres to these guidelines, as they are essential for their participation:

#### Attire:

Seniors are expected to dress in appropriate formal attire for the graduation ceremony. This includes:



### Female students Dress Code:

- A modest, knee length white dress. Pants suits will not be allowed.
- Tan, white or off-white dress shoes. Please avoid excessively high heels or overly revealing outfits to maintain the solemnity of the occasion. Students should be able to enter and exit the stage comfortably and confidently.
- Hair (as per the UCA handbook hair should be its natural color).



#### Male students Dress Code:

- Black, dark blue or dark grey suits.
- Ties should be black, dark blue or dark grey.
- White, long sleeve, button-down dress shirts.
- Black, dark blue or dark grey dress socks.
- Black, dark blue or dark grey dress shoes.
- Hair (per the UCA handbook hair should be):
  - Neat, tidy and the proper length.
  - Natural hair color.
  - Beards must be neatly trimmed and their natural color.



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## Caps and Gowns

Students will pick up their caps and gowns from school prior to the graduation date. Details will be provided to you later.

- Please ensure that the gown remains *clean* and *wrinkle-free* for the ceremony.
- Please note that any alterations or personal additions to the cap and gown (such as decorations, writing, or accessories) are strictly prohibited. The cap should be worn flat on the head with the tassel on the right side before the ceremony, and then moved to the left side after the official conferral of diplomas.

We kindly request your cooperation in ensuring that your child follows these dress code requirements. Graduation is a formal event, and appropriate attire contributes to the dignity and significance of the occasion. If you have any questions or concerns regarding the dress code or need further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact the school administration. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Please note that accounts must be fully settled with the Business Office for Seniors to participate in the graduation ceremony, receive their diplomas and their end of year official documents. You may contact the UCA Business Office at any time should you require any information.

We are looking forward to celebrating the achievements of our graduating seniors and sharing this memorable moment with you all. Congratulations Class of 2025!

Sincerely,

Rola Malaeb **UCA Director** 



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