

# **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT UNIFORM FITTING DAY 2022 & UNIFORM & BRANDING REQUIREMENTS**

**Q - Is there an alternate fitting day?**

A - **NO, Saturday, October 23** is the only fitting day we will offer. Orders must be submitted by 11:59 pm on Monday, October 25.

**Q - Why the quick turnaround time in getting our order in?**

A - Our Rawlings reps have encouraged us to get our orders completed before November. Production and the supply chains have been greatly affected. It is very important that everyone has their order in by **11:59 on Monday night, October 25**. This will allow for our orders to get checked and processed and sent off by the November 1 deadline.

**Q - Do I have to come in and get fitted?**

A - No, but you must order all items by 11:59 pm on Monday, October 25.

**Q - If I elect to not attend the fitting day, when can I order?**

A - We plan on opening up the online store prior to October 23. The link will be shared with you by email.

**Q - My son is on the High School age summer teams. Do I order now?**

A - Yes, you need to order all of your items now. High School age ball players will have the option to buy pants in March. But, if you think your ball player will be able to fit in the pants in summer, we would REALLY encourage you to order now as well.

**Q - Is there a sizing chart on the webstore?**

A- Yes, the webstore will have size charts to assist in sizing your athlete. For perspective, the product line is the same as last year for returning MAVS. This knowledge should help guide the

fitting process. If a new player can't attend for varying reasons, please look at the sizing chart and/or communicate with similar sized players on the team for additional sizing feedback.

**Q - I am a returning MAV, and my jersey top still fits. Do I need to order that jersey top?**

A - No, but keep in mind this is the ONLY time you have to purchase a jersey top. Some people like having two of varying sizes (and for cleaning purposes). **We can't stress enough.... ALL jerseys must be ordered at this time due to the nature of the production of our customized tops.**

**Q - When putting in my son's jersey number. Is there anything we need to know about single digit numbers or double zero?**

A - The ordering system takes your order exactly as you enter. If you want #00 put in 00. If you want a single digit number ONLY put in the single digit.

**Q - I want to purchase a hat to wear and my ball player's grandpa wants a hat. When do I order those?**

A - You should order the hats during this store offering. Two reasons - 1) this is our lowest price we will offer hats and 2) there is no guarantee we will have spare or extra hats available for purchase after this ordering opportunity. If you would like a hat for family and friends, we strongly encourage you to order now.

**Q - I already have white pants. Do we have to order more?**

A - Our teams wear Rawlings Pants on the field with a single navy stripe down the side. These must be worn in games. Can you ever have enough white pants?!

**Q - Do we need gray pants this year?**

A - Yes, we will be wearing GREY pants with a single navy stripe down the side with the grey jersey top this year.

**Q - What color pants do our teams wear to practice?**

A - Our teams wear WHITE pants to practice only please.

**Q - I like the "Monte the Mav" white front hat, but my team is not wearing a jersey for that hat. Can I order the hat?**

A - Yes, but unless your team is wearing the White jersey, those hats will not be worn on the field in games. But, yes it is a cool looking hat!

**Q - What color hats do our teams wear at practice?**

A - Our teams wear Navy hats at all practices. A lot of times, people like to order multiple Navy Hats because they are worn the most.

**Q - What is the purpose of the fleece top?**

A - The fleece top is worn by our teams in cold weather situations. It has a player number on the back. No doubt our teams will play in cold weather situations.

**Q - I have a helmet already. Can I just wear it?**

A - Our teams are to wear Rawlings matte navy helmets and no other colors. Rawlings helmets are our approved brand. However, if a Rawlings helmet does not fit your ball player correctly. They may wear another brand, but it must be matte navy in color.

**Q - I'm a new Mav, I already have an existing bat bag. Can I use that bag?**

A - Our teams are to use Navy Rawlings Bat Bags. Bags from past clubs or other colors or brands are not permissible. This is important to our club brand to show up with a team bag, not another team's bag.

**Q- I noticed there are minimums on the customized batting gloves? Do you think we will hit these minimums?**

A - Yes, with your help we should be able to hit the minimums. If NOT, we will work to get the minimums met or worst case we will refund your money.

**Q - I see that you are offering two styles of solid navy socks. Does it matter which pair we order?**

A - No, you choose the solid navy sock of choice. We have families that like the Stance brand and those that like the other. Both are acceptable for our uniform combos. Although more expensive, the stance brand socks, hold up better and from what players tell us, more comfortable.

**Q - What color socks do our players wear at practice?**

A - Our players are to wear Navy colored socks at practice. Thus, many families choose to purchase multiple pairs and types of Navy socks.

**Q - I noticed there is a navy leather belt option and the more common adjustable belt option in the store. Does it matter which belt we order?**

A - No, you choose the style of Navy belt you wish to wear.

**Q - There are different styles of pants, knickers and long pants? Does it really matter which kind we order?**

A - Yes, it matters, ALL of our teams wear knicker style pants. We want our teams whether they are 7U or HS, looking like a Mav. The definition of a "uniform" is to be the same.

**Q - What about all the optional items in the store?**

A - Optional items are just that, optional. We try to put things in our stores that we think our families might need during the season.

**Q - I heard our teams wear the same uniform combos if playing in the same tournament location?**

A - That is correct, our teams are to look the same when at a tournament complex. We have a plan in place and that will be communicated.

**Q - Will you be offering these items again later in the spring?**

A - You should order everything you think you might need for the season during this store ordering opportunity. There is no guarantee we will offer these items again.

**Q - When will we get our orders?**

A - Please have patience with the orders. BSN/Rawlings will bundle and sort ALL of our orders once ALL of the items are received by BSN/Rawlings. Once that occurs, BSN/Rawlings sorts the orders by players and team and then we establish a pick up day. Last year we got items by February.

**Q - I am a coach. Do I order items?**

A - If there is an item you want, we encourage you to order that item at this time. There will be a Coaches apparel ordering day during the shoe ordering day.

**Q - When do we order shoes?**

A - We will have a New Balance Shoe ordering and fitting day on **Saturday, January 8** at MAVS Indoor. We will have until **Tuesday, January 11** to get orders in.

**Q - Do we have to order New Balance Shoes?**

A - Unless your son can not wear New Balance Shoes due to fit, we request our players to wear our Navy New Balance shoe offerings. We have OUTSTANDING prices in our approved colors in molded, turf, metal and hopefully the hybrid style. You won't be disappointed.

**Q - Does it matter what color the shoes are IF my ballplayer can't fit in New Balance Shoes?**

A - If for some reason you can't wear New Balance shoes. We request that the shoes you purchase are primarily NAVY in color.