

## **Packing List for New Cadets**

Because our uniform items are specific to FUMA by screen printing or embroidery, this list shows just the items that may be brought from home.

Returning cadets may find this list useful also, but should refer to the supply list for returning cadets.

### **Uniforms**

All new cadets (boarding and day) will be required to purchase new uniform items. Used items will not be allowed. Fork Union Military Academy takes pride in the fact that the cadet uniforms are well tailored and properly fitted. In the event an incorrect size is issued, the cadet should return the item to the Supply center promptly so it can be inspected and replaced. Should the parent have a question concerning the cadet's clothing, do not hesitate to contact the Quartermaster.

In order to avoid delays and insure proper fit in issuing caps, it is strongly suggested that cadets report with a military haircut.

With the large number of students at the Academy, it is hard for the Quartermaster's Department to monitor individual purchases made by each cadet. If items are lost or damaged through neglect or carelessness then they must be replaced by the cadet in a timely manner. We want to stress that there is a complete understanding on the part of the cadet that all items are handled with care and responsibility. We encourage parents to advise your cadet in advance of this important information. Please understand that if an item is lost or damaged he will need to be accountable for replacing the uniform or clothing. Thank you for helping us with this communication.

### **Required for Uniform Issue**

- 1 Shoeshine Kit
- 12 pair Black Socks
- 6 White Bath Towels
- 6 White Washcloths
- 6 White Handkerchiefs
- 12 White Crew Neck T-Shirts
- 12 White Undershorts (QM only has limited sized briefs)
- 6 pair White Athletic Socks- 2" or more above the ankle no logos/color, no footies
- 1 pair Athletic/casual shoes

*All of the above (except athletic/casual shoes) may be purchased from the Supply Center and can be charged to your account.*

### **Uniform Account (Mandatory)**

This account is required for all cadets, and will be charged as necessary to maintain proper uniform attire for each cadet. Note: There are also charges for additional uniform articles such as insignia for cadet rank, ribbons, pins, patches, shoulder cords, etc. These charges will be applied to your Uniform Account as they arise. Parental authorization is not necessary for this account.

### **Required Items for Dorms**

20 Clothes Hangers

**Toiletry Items** – (Tissues, Body Wash, Soap, Shampoo, Deodorant, Razor, Shaving Cream, Lotions, etc.) No Aerosols please.

**Cleaning Supplies** – Window Cleaner, Broom and Dustpan, Paper Towels,

**School Supplies** – Pens, Pencils, Notebook Paper, Notebook, 2 inch binder

**Not Required – But recommended**

- Pillow
- Dark Blue Blanket – no quilt or comforter
- Small Clock Radio or Alarm Clock
- Wrist Watch (Black, gold or silver)
- Air Fresheners such as Febreze – non aerosol
- Writing Supplies – Envelopes, Stamps, Addresses
- Phone Card – Required for all Outbound Phone calls