

CARING FOR YOUR CUSTOM SUIT

You've invested in some quality threads, and now it's time to maintain their appearance. The first point may surprise you!

Drycleaning should be left as a "final option" when caring for your custom suit, which does surprise some people. The chemicals used in dry cleaning can actually damage fabrics, especially if they are exposed to them on a reoccurring basis.

Below are 5 great ways to prolong the life of your new suit:



1. Shaped hangers are your friend. Unless you want the shoulders of your suit to lose shape over time, invest in a few plastic or wooden shaped hangers. You'll really see a difference if you use the wire hangers instead.

2. It's spring! Open windows, hang your suit in a safe place outside to allow the air to clean it. Fresh air can do wonders for a suit that's been exposed to smoke and other aromas that like to grab onto fabrics.

3. Seal them up. Once your suit has been properly aired out, keep it protected in a storage bag. This will help your suit look it's absolute best for a longer period of time.

4. Don't over-wear one suit. You may have a favorite as we all surely do, but just know that daily wear of the same suit will speed up its aging process. Try to have a few suits that you rotate on a weekly basis. Not only will your style be fresh, but so will your clothes.

5. Steam press vs. Iron. Bring your suit to Aldo Formal Wear and we'll happily put some life back in your suit for you. You can also try hanging your suit in the bathroom when you take a hot shower as the indirect steam is much better for the fabric than direct. Too much ironing of certain fabrics can actually cause the fibers to melt, giving it a shiny appearance.

Thank you for choosing Aldo Formal Wear as your one stop tailor shop, we are here to help you look and feel your best.

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