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# 5 TIPS TO LOOK GREAT AT WORK!

Kat Griffin of Corporette.com shares her advice on building an office-appropriate wardrobe without overspending



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A GO-TO  
OUTFIT

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OPT FOR  
A NEUTRAL  
PALETTE

## 1 Consider the kind of job you have

“Before buying something new to wear to work, ask yourself how you spend your day. Are you usually behind a desk? Since people will mostly see you from the waist up, buy a variety of tops, jackets and necklaces. Spend less on a couple of key bottoms that you can rework many times. Do you often speak in front of a room of people? Spend a little more on flattering clothes that you can comfortably stand in, like a stretchy pencil skirt and cushioned nude heels. Avoid items that wrinkle easily as well as anything that might be trendy but doesn’t feel good to wear—you don’t want to be tugging and pulling at your clothes.”

## 2 Invest in one “power” outfit

“It’s good to have that go-to look that you can turn to on days when you need to look amazing—whether you have an important job interview or a big meeting with your boss. Try a jewel-toned sheath to stand out from the sea of LBDs, and pair it with great pumps. If you can get the cost-per-wear down to a reasonable amount, it’s worth the investment.”

## 3 Stick to a simple palette

“By building your wardrobe around one or two base neutrals, you’ll eliminate the need to buy a ton of pieces in order to create outfits that work. A combination like black-and-white or navy-and-tan is easy to mix and match. You can always accent these basic hues with colorful jewelry, a fun scarf or an eye-catching bag.”

## 4 Go for seasonless styles

“If you have a closet where almost everything is fair game year-round, you’ll end up spending less over time. Avoid buying too many clothes in seasonal fabrics like suede, leather and brocade. Instead, look for versatile materials like cotton, lightweight cashmere and breathable blends that you can layer easily and transition from season to season.”

## 5 Don’t buy too much

“For most people, a week and a half’s worth of looks is all you need for your work wardrobe. You’ll have enough items on hand to create different ensembles and mix up your look. Accessories in an array of textures and prints are also an easy, inexpensive way to add variety.”