

How To Clean Formal Shoes?

If you're willing to put in the effort, you can make your old shoes look better than when you actually bought them.



Step 1 - Clean the shoes

- Remove any dirt, salt, and grime.
- lightly apply saddle soap to a clean rag and rub gently over the soap to create a little bit of a lather.
- Apply the soap to the surface of the shoe to clean it.
- Let your shoe air dry for about ten minutes.



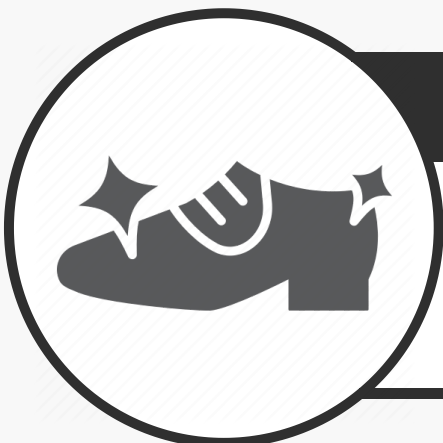
Step 2 - Condition your leather dress shoe

- Condition your shoes weekly if you wear them at least three times a week.
- Use a clean rag to work the conditioner evenly.
- Let the conditioner soak in and dry for twenty minutes.



Step 3 - Apply a cream polish to the shoes.

- Take the applicator brush and evenly coat the surface.
- After you finished applying the polish cream, give it a quick buffing with the horsehair brush.
- Repeat as necessary and at the end of the procedure give it about fifteen minutes to dry.



Step 4 - Apply wax polish over the shoes.

- Apply a small amount of the polish to the cloth.
- Coat the surface of the shoe working in small circular motions.
- Buff it with the soft horsehair brush and repeat the step.
- Apply a very small amount of polish on your rag.
- Repeat this step many times.