





fully looked at before the choice is made.

Your travel backpack needs to have com-

stuff you will get on the go and it also

needs to be waterproof for you never

partments for all your stuff, extra space for

know when rain hits you out of the

blue. If you have a waterproof

zippers, you will not be

affected by heavy rain.

These will be heavy-

duty backpacks so

emphasis should defi-

nitely be on their size

backpack covering the

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Backpacks that cannot go wrong

Unless you are a stock broker or a corporate lawyer, it makes sense that you do not wear a suit to work. It is implied that if you do not have to wear a suit, you do not have to carry an old school briefcase either. And why would you? A briefcase is not comfortable and does not provide great functionality.

They are also not stylish and say almost nothing about you. Lucky for you, there are now really nice backpacks available right here in Dhaka. All you would need to do is throw it over your shoulders and you are ready to 'over-shake' hands with anyone you meet.

SCHOOL PACKS

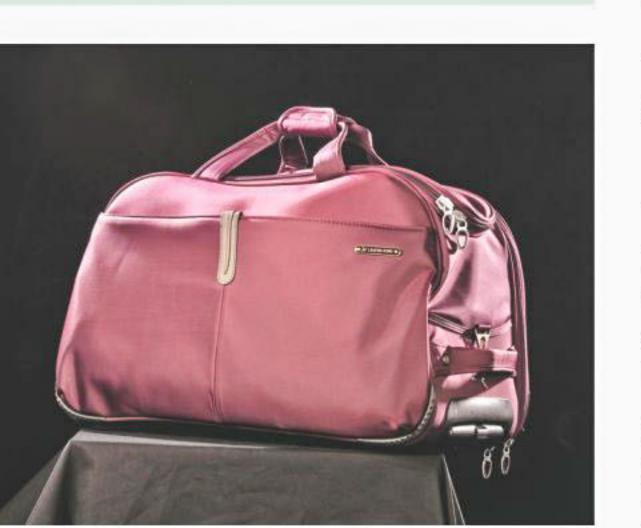
These can be found all over Facebook on pages such as Insomniac's store or at StitchCrafts and others.

OFFICE PACKS

You can find designer backpacks at high-end retail stores in Bashundhara City and Jamuna Future Park. Other places such as the New Market or the twin tower in Gulshan will offer you different types of office packs to choose from.

TRAVEL PACKS

You can get a Kucheer sports backpack for example at daraz.com.bd for about Tk 2200. For your travel packs, go that extra mile and check out New Market. You can also opt to get them online but nothing beats actually feeling the quality and size in person.



The more contemporary backpacks now cover a whole range of possible uses whether you are looking to carry some books to class or whether you are carrying lots of important documents to work. These backpacks are all uniquely designed to suit varying needs of portability, whether it's something light and breezy or something a bit more crazy and adventurous.

Before we get to the types, there are a few things that one should keep in mind when choosing a backpack. The backpack needs to have a solid construction so make sure you avoid poorly manufactured ones with ques-



tionable stitching. It is also important that your backpack has enough space so look for lots of pockets and compartments.

Also be sure to monitor the pack capacity. You do not want to buy a pack that is suited for trekking and use it to go to school. And finally, make sure your new pack has good straps, with proper shoulder and back support, and you should be ready to go.

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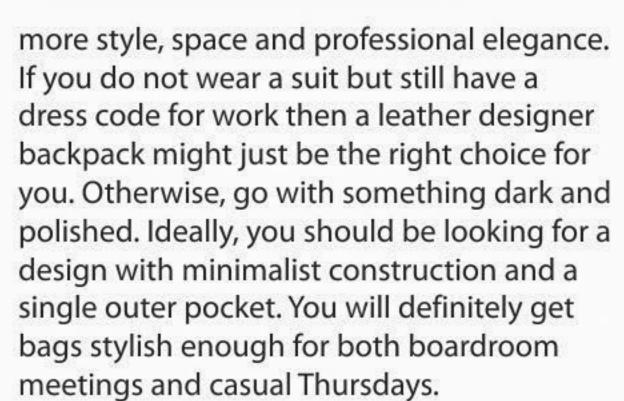
School is all about having fun so make sure you get yourself a pack with the three C's -

cuteness, colour and capacity. Your school pack should have enough space for you to carry the onslaught of books that you will be reading this summer but it should be cute enough for that girl or boy to notice. These backpacks come in different styles

and designs including solid colours, stripes, prints, polka dots and much more.

OFFICE PACKS

Work is an entirely new ballgame. What you want is less cuteness and



TRAVEL PACKS This is the big one and needs to be careand durability.

There are many types of travel backpacks. There is also the casual backpack, the ultra backpack (if you are planning to go trekking for example) or even, the tour bag.

So get yourself a colour that will work with most of your outfits and you are set for the best summer of your life with a backpack, which could become your favourite for life!

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