

# Fashion FORECAST

## Update Your Wardrobe With A Variety Of Shoe Styles

(NAPSA)—Every fashionista knows a great way to transform an outfit is with a fabulous pair of shoes. A simple black sundress paired with metallic heels is terrific for a night out. Substitute with a pair of embellished flip-flops and you're ready for the beach. Shoes make any outfit versatile, so many women just can't have enough.

"Shoes are an inexpensive way to revitalize your wardrobe," says style expert Amy Cafazzo. "A dress goes from a day at the office with heels, to flirty and fun with bright, strappy sandals at night. Whatever you choose, shoes are the finishing touch to any great outfit."

To find the right pair for any occasion, follow these tips:

**Color:** Every color of the rainbow is represented in footwear. However, there is a special emphasis on citrus colors like orange, lime and yellow. Pair these shades with neutral colors such as white, tan, navy or black to create a color-blocking effect.

**Peep-Toes:** The 1940s elegance is back and peep-toes are all the rage. For a night on the town, metallic peep-toe wedges or platform heels will get you noticed. This sophisticated shoe is seen in all styles from ballet flats to wedges and stacked heels. Look for patent leather, straps, chunky heels, metallic finishes and platforms.

**Strappy Sandals:** Easy, breezy, elegant lines come together with gladiator-like strappy sandals. Whether it's ankle straps, T-straps, or strappy Mary Janes, straps are everywhere and flatter any foot. No longer simple and flat, they come in a variety of heel heights and colors.



**Put your best foot forward with the latest look in stylish shoes.**

**Flip-Flops:** Flip-flops are essential for the wardrobe. This versatile shoe is fun in plaid, polka dots, nautical styles and wedges. A sure fit for every look. Dress up your beach ensemble with jewel- and rhinestone-accented flip-flops. Or try a heeled version for the office.

**Sculptured Heels:** High heels, chunky heels, wooden heels—this season is definitely about the extreme heel. Unique stitching and decorative buckles also add flair to this bold shape. From a curving stiletto to a solid cone, heels rise to new heights.

**Wedges:** Wedges are a key shoe silhouette this season and can be seen with a variety of texture detail. Look for cork, raffia, basket weave, braiding, polished wood and patent leather. Pair them with this season's "it" dress for a modern style.

**Flats:** Flats remain a must-have but are updated with new detail and styles such as bold block colors, small prints and metallic finish. Add sexiness to your look with open-toe styles. Dress up your jeans with a pair of bright, embellished flats.

You can find all these shoes at Marshalls, home of the newly expanded Shoe MegaShop.